

BILL PERIOD CLOSURE AGREEMENT SUPPLEMENT

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A. BILL CLOSURE:

This Bill Period Closure Agreement Supplement forms a part of the Bill Period Closure Agreement which is included in Attachment I of the Access Billing Supplier Quality Certification Operating Agreement dated October 5, 1992. AT&T and QWEST agree to close the billing period indicated below to all further analysis and financial transactions. Justification for this action is based upon an analysis by both parties of the appropriate process documentation and measurement reports.

BILLING PERIOD(S): February 1, 2005-February 28, 2005

EFFECTIVE DATE: 06-01-05

B. EXEMPTIONS:

Both parties agree that issues stated in Paragraphs 2, 3 and 4 of the Bill Period Closure Agreement will be exempted from this Agreement. In addition, the parties may exempt other issues. The category checked below indicates the presence of any additional issues to be exempted from this agreement as well as any previous exempted issues that are now to be closed:

None

See attached Bill Period Closure Agreement Supplement Issue Exemption Form

Prior exempted issue(s) has now been closed. (See attached Bill Period Closure Agreement Supplement Issue Exemption Form)

QWEST BY:

NAME: *W. J. Lee*

TITLE: Billing Manager

AT&T BY:

NAME: *Ann Z. Caplan*

TITLE: Sr. Associate

APPROVED:

NAME: *Heiko Petting*

TITLE: Center Manager

DATE: 5-16-05

APPROVED:

NAME: *Rochelle Richardson*

TITLE: Manager

DATE: 5-31-05

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EXEMPTION FORM**

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FOR THE BILL PERIODS: February 1, 2005-February 28, 2005

ISSUE TRACKING # 55

ISSUE NAME: Factors for Orig & Term 800 traffic

INITIATOR (EC/AT&T): Qwest

JURISDICTION: All

FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT: Estimated \$14M Annually

TIME PERIOD: July 1, 2002-December 31, 2003. (3Qtr02-4Qtr03)

DESCRIPTION: This exemption is being opened effective with 3002 Factors. AT&T is providing a factor to use to determine the jurisdiction for all originating & terminating 800 traffic. Currently, Qwest is unable to utilize AT&T's self reported PIU. Qwest will still use actuals for billing.

TARGET CLOSE DATE: June 30, 2005

DATE ISSUE CLOSED: _____

QWEST

AT&T

BY: *Mary Jo Letts*

BY: *Lee J. [Signature]*

TITLE: Billing Manager

TITLE: Sr. Associate

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ISSUE TRACKING # 03-016 ISSUE NAME: CCSAC rate applications

INITIATOR (QWEST/AT&T): AT&T

JURISDICTION: all STATE: All

SERVICES: Switched Access

FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT: Unknown @ this time

TIME PERIOD: August 1, 2003 through February 28, 2005

DESCRIPTION: ATX is opening this exemption in order to complete an investigation relating to CCSAC rates and rate applications and for POM.

TARGET CLOSE DATE: 06-30-2005 DATE ISSUE CLOSED: _____

QWEST

AT&T

BY: 

BY: 

TITLE: Billing Manager

TITLE: Sr. Associate

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FOR THE BILL PERIODS: February 1, 2005 through February 28, 2005

ISSUE TRACKING # 04-001 ISSUE NAME: AT&T Surrogate POM Factors

INITIATOR (QWEST/AT&T): AT&T

JURISDICTION: All Applicable STATE: All

SERVICES: Switched Access

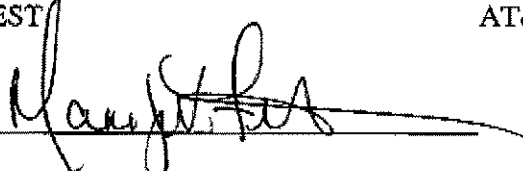
FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT: Unknown @ this time

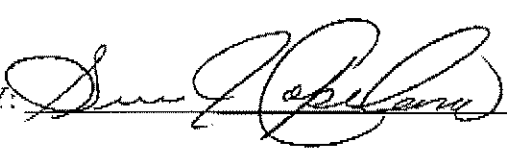
TIME PERIOD: October 1, 2003 thru February 28, 2005

DESCRIPTION: AT&T is opening an exemption to recover under billings associated with the surrogate POM factors provided by AT&T, because at this time AT&T is unable to identify all of the type of calls noted in the tariff.

TARGET CLOSE DATE: June 30, 2005

DATE ISSUE CLOSED: _____

QWEST
BY: 
TITLE: Billing Manager

AT&T
BY: 
TITLE: Sr. Associate

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FOR THE BILL PERIODS: February 1, 2005 through February 28, 2005

ISSUE TRACKING # 04-003 ISSUE NAME: LINK charges and LPC withheld by AT&T.

INITIATOR (QWEST/AT&T): Qwest

JURISDICTION: Intrastate STATE: All

SERVICES: Switched Access

FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT: \$ 835,517.13

TIME PERIOD: March 1, 2004 thru February 28, 2005

DESCRIPTION:

TARGET CLOSE DATE: June 30, 2005

DATE ISSUE CLOSED:

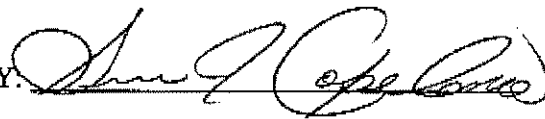
QWEST

AT&T

BY:



BY:



TITLE:

Billing Manager

TITLE:

Sr. Associate

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FOR THE BILL PERIODS: February 1, 2005 through February 28, 2005

ISSUE TRACKING # 04-005 ISSUE NAME: VOIP

INITIATOR (QWEST/AT&T): AT&T

JURISDICTION: Interstate/Intrastate STATE: ALL

SERVICES: Switched Access

FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT: Unknown @ this time

TIME PERIOD: March 1, 2004 through February 28, 2005.

DESCRIPTION:

Qwest reserves the right to recover any and all access charges that have billed incorrectly for usage that is Voice Over Internet Provider.

TARGET CLOSE DATE: June 30, 2005

DATE ISSUE CLOSED: _____

QWEST

AT&T

BY: 

BY: 

TITLE: Billing Manager

TITLE: Sr. Associate

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FOR THE BILL PERIODS: January 1, 2005-January 31, 2005

ISSUE TRACKING # 04-033
over 90 days

ISSUE NAME: Switched Non Recurring charges

INITIATOR (EC/AT&T): AT&T

JURISDICTION: All

FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT unknown @ this time

TIME PERIOD: January 1, 2005 -January 31, 2005.

DESCRIPTION: This exemption is being opened to recover billing for Switched Non Recurring charges billed 90 days from the date the service was completed.

TARGET CLOSE DATE: May 31, 2005

DATE ISSUECLOSED May 31, 2005

QWEST

AT&T

BY:

BY:

TITLE: Billing Manager

TITLE: Sr. Associate

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FOR THE BILL PERIODS: February 1, 2005-February 28, 2005

ISSUE TRACKING # 05-034
over 90 days

ISSUE NAME: Switched Non Recurring charges

INITIATOR (EC/AT&T): AT&T

JURISDICTION: All

FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT unknown @ this time

TIME PERIOD: February 1, 2005 -February 28, 2005

DESCRIPTION: This exemption is being opened to recover billing for Switched Non Recurring charges billed 90 days from the date the service was completed.

TARGET CLOSE DATE: June 30, 2005

DATE ISSUECLOSED _____

QWEST

BY: 

AT&T

BY: 

TITLE: Billing Manager

TITLE: Sr. Associate

AT&T and QWEST Proprietary

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FOR THE BILL PERIODS: February 1, 2005 – February 28, 2005

ISSUE TRACKING # 05-001 ISSUE NAME: Network Optimization Initiative

INITIATOR (QWEST/AT&T): AT&T

JURISDICTION: ALL STATE: ALL

SERVICES: Switched Access

FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT: TBD

TIME PERIOD: January 1, 2005 – February 28, 2005

DESCRIPTION:

This exemption is being opened to recover any over or under billing associated with the AT&T Network Optimization Initiative that may be identified as a result of a post bill referral.

The Network Optimization Initiative is designed to identify ways to reduce access expense within the AT&T Network by increasing utilization of the current facilities by re-engineering the Network to a more optimal state. The following are examples (but may not be all inclusive) of different types of work being accomplished:

- Grooming DSO off of low filled DS1s (disconnecting the zero filled DS1s)
- Grooming DS1s off of low fill DS3s (disconnecting the zero filled DS3s)
- Rolling stand alone facilities over to a Hi Cap configuration (reducing access expense)
- Reducing mileage for DS1s and DS3 by re-engineering these circuits (reducing mileage expense)

TARGET CLOSE DATE: December 2005

DATE ISSUE CLOSED: _____

QWEST

AT&T

BY: 

BY: 

TITLE: Billing Manager

TITLE: Associate Manager

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FOR THE BILL PERIODS: February 1, 2005 – February 28, 2005

ISSUE TRACKING # 05-002 ___ ISSUE NAME: SST Pricing Plans

INITIATOR (QWEST/AT&T): AT&T

JURISDICTION: ALL STATE: ALL

SERVICES: Switched Access

FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT: TBD

TIME PERIOD: January 1, 2005 – February 28, 2005.

DESCRIPTION:

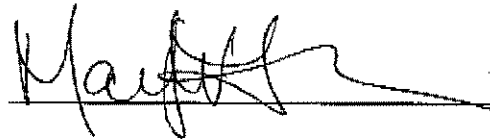
- This exemption is being opened to recover any over or under billing associated with SST circuits being changed from pricing plan option to month-to-month.

TARGET CLOSE DATE: June 2005

DATE ISSUE CLOSED: _____

QWEST

AT&T

BY: 

BY: 

TITLE: Billing Manager

TITLE: Associate Manager