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**"AMERITECH – Exception Request Update to the Final Requirements for the EDI/LSR Ordering Release and Web-Based GUI Scheduled for March 24, 2001 as a Result of the January 3, 2001 Walk-Through"**

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This Accessible Letter provides the Revised Final Requirements for the LSR (Local Service Request) Release scheduled for March 24, 2001 as a result of the walk-through held on January 3, 2001 (**CLECAMS00-074** dated December 15, 2000). All CLECs who plan to pass either manual or mechanical LSRs or who are using or developing to Ameritech's EDI Gateway should review these changes to determine impacts. Included in this notification is a list of the changes that occurred as a result of the walk-through mentioned above (see Attachment 3). Per the Change Management Process (CMP), this update is an exception request. CLECs may comment on these updates to the CMP Point of Contact at [sbccmp@msg.pacbell.com](mailto:sbccmp@msg.pacbell.com) through January 26<sup>th</sup>.

The Revised Final LSOR for Ameritech, reflecting changes from the walkthrough, is large in volume and is not being distributed with this letter. However, Attachment 4 includes the latest revisions to the Ameritech Local Ordering Requirements manual (LSOR) in support of the March 24, 2001 release. The Revised Final LSOR may be found on the CLEC Online web site at: <https://clec.sbc.com/> by January 22, 2001. Once this site is activated, select CLEC HANDBOOK, then select any Ameritech state from the State drop down box, then click on GO. Next, select USERS GUIDES & TECH PUBS, then select LSOR. This is a complete replacement of the LSOR and we suggest you review all pertinent fields for your ordering processes. In addition, the manual ordering forms have been incorporated into this LSOR.

As previously stated in CLECAMS00-074, Ameritech plans to implement the following enhancements:

- Electronic Data Interface/Local Service Request (EDI/LSR) Ordering Version 04.01
  - Implementation of LSOG 4 (Local Service Ordering Guidelines)
  - Implementation of EDI mapping changes that will coincide with the published EDI Guidelines [Electronic Local Mechanization Specifications 4 (ELMS 4)]
  - Implementation of full refresh order supplement format
  - Change in the format of the documentation:
    - Change from product specific to form specific, aligning with the Ordering and Billing Forum (OBF) Guidelines

- Implementation of an Ameritech LSOR (Local Service Ordering Requirements)
- Provide the CLEC the ability to issue migration orders including line sharing without providing the service address for the end user. AIT will use the address presently on its records for the TN provided to populate the address on the service order.
  - Fields SASN (Service Address Street Name), CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE from the End User form will no longer be required and will be ignored if sent for the following:
    - LSRs with Activity (ACT) of W (Conversion as is) for Request Types:
      - **E** (Resale)
      - **K** (Resale Private Line)
      - **P** (Centrex Resale)
      - **R** (Digital Trunking Resale)
      - **T** (DID/PBX Resale)
      - **Z** (Resale ISDN PRI)
    - or
    - Activity of V (Conversion with Change) for Request Types:
      - **C** (Number Portability)
      - **E** (Resale)
      - **K** (Resale Private Line)
      - **M** (Loop w/ Port)
      - **P** (CENTREX Resale)
      - **R** (Digital Trunking Resale)
      - **S** (Digital Trunking Port /Loop)
      - **T** (DID/PBX Resale)
      - **W** (DID/PBX Port w/Loop)
      - **X** (Port w/ Loop CENTREX)
      - **Y** (Port w/ Loop ISDN PRI)
      - **Z** (Resale ISDN PRI)
- LSRs with ACT of N (New Install) and C (Change) for REQTYPs A (Loop) or B (Loop with Number Portability) where a ported telephone number (PORTED NBR) or disconnect telephone number (DISC NBR) fields are provided.
- Additional edit changes
  - Added the capability to retain listings on Request Types B and C (Loop with Number Portability and Number Portability)
  - Elimination of ACT W for Request Types M, S, W, X and Y (CPO) orders
- Implementation of a Web based ordering Graphical User Interface (GUI) which provides similar capabilities of the Windows based LEX (Local Service Request (LSR) **EX**change System Version 4.1), currently in use in the Southwestern, Pacific and Nevada Bell regions. The Ordering GUI will be made available through existing Interconnection Agreements for those CLECs with an OSS Appendix. For those CLECs who have Interconnection Agreements, which currently do not contain an OSS Appendix, an OSS amendment is required. (See Attachment 1 for additional Ordering GUI information) The prime attributes are as follows:
  - Conforms to LSOG 4.
  - Allows CLEC to create, maintain and change, or supplement service requests.
  - Allows CLEC to copy requests and create templates
  - Processes order supplements using a full refresh format

- Processes Resale service requests for simple and complex products (e.g. Digital trunking, ISDN PRIME).
- Processes UNE service requests for simple and complex products (e.g. Digital Trunking, ISDN PRIME).
- Returns notifications in the form of Firm Order Confirmations (FOC), Service Order Completions (SOC), Error Messages, Loss Notifications and Jeopardy information.
- Allows CLEC to search for LSRs based on certain criteria

An Ordering GUI User Guide will be available on the CLEC Online web site by January 22, 2001.

As stated in the Release Announcement and the Uniform and Enhanced OSS POR (Operational Support Systems Plan of Record), this release will be implemented using a phased approach. This release provides for Phase 1 enhancements, which include the following:

- Web-based Ordering Graphical User and Application-to-Application Interfaces including:
  - LSOG 4 format using current Ameritech business rules
  - Change jeopardy response from an 870 to 865 EDI record
  - Return of Frame Due Time as applicable on REQTYPs A (Loop), B (loop with Number Portability) and C (Number Portability)
  - Response format in the same medium as originating order was supplied
  - Changes to address edits
- Versioning (see Attachment 2)
- Deployment of the uniform test environment

For those CLECs remaining on Issue 7, no action is required. For those CLECs moving to Version 04.01, the version number is required in the following format:

An EDI Segment (record) with an identifier or REF in the first three positions, a delimiter, the literal value of 'V0' in the next two positions, a delimiter, then the version number in the next five positions.

**Example:**

REF\*V0\*04.01!

The Version Indicator should be mapped as follows:

REF01 (DE128) = V0 (V ZERO)

REF02 (DE127) = VERSION

CLEC testing on version 4.01 is available through March 16, 2001.

Please direct any questions to your Account Manager.

Attachment



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