

The Honorable Reed Hundt July 30, 1995

Dear Sir;

I have heard about billed party preference on telephone calls. I hope you will require the nations telephone Coth to use it. I made a call from Grove, Ok. to my home in K.C. Mo. I was billed \$9,00+ for the call. AT+T would have charge \$1.56. This is outrage. I hope you will get this passed. I called & wrote to enough people that I got a refund!

Sincerely
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I have heard about "billed party preference" and want to urge the FCC to require phone companies to implement such a practice.

My own experience is that I was charged \$5.11 for a 3 minute pay phone calling ^{card} call from the Bronx to the Bronx. (a one minute pay phone call on the same evening carried by my phone company cost me \$0.69).

I eventually did receive a refund from the company in question (Coastal Telecom Corp). However such charges are outrageous, and anything that

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can be done to protect consumers
from ~~unfair~~ business practices
should be implemented.

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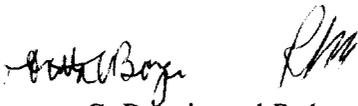
Dear Chairman Hundt:

I just recently heard about Billed Party Preference and feel that this can be a solution to the kinds of problems consumers like myself have experienced using pay phones.

In August 1994 I made three (3) out-of-state information calls from a pay phone at work using my calling card. When my monthly telephone bill came in I was shocked to find out I was charged over \$8 for each call. I immediately took action to get these charges reversed by going directly to the long distance carrier that charged me for them. It has taken a year and several letters but I finally got a credit to my phone bill

When I made these calls I used my calling card number thinking it would be charged to my long distance carrier. It was quite a surprise to find that this was not the case. Give the right to choose back to the consumer--please support Billed Party Preference. Thank you.

Sincerely,



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Sir:

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In 1994 while in Texas we had problems with a billing from a pay phone in Austin. Since that time we have become aware of a remedy called "preferred party billing". Since the FCC has the power to require the nation's telephone companies to use it, we request that the regulatory agency do so.

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Dear Honorable Hundt, **FCC MAIL ROOM**

I understand that ^{there} is such a thing as "billed party preference". And that the FCC has the authority to require the telephone companies to use it.

I would appreciate your support in this matter. We, the people, are being ripped off. I made a 2 minute call from a pay phone and it cost me eight ^{at} \$6.00. That was daylight robbery.

I complained and got some of my money back but only after some long distance phone calls and a couple of letters if I remember correctly - (that has been about a year ago). But we shouldn't have to go through that in the first place.

Thank you for looking out for the people.

Sincerely,

Christina Barnett

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