

# CENTURYTEL INC

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(Post-Effective Amendment to Registration Statement)

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Sector	Services
Fiscal Year	12/31

Registration No. 33-50791

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Post-Effective Amendment No. 2  
to

## FORM S-4

REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

### Century Telephone Enterprises, Inc.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Louisiana  
(State or other  
jurisdiction of  
incorporation or  
organization)

4813  
(Primary Standard Industrial  
Classification Code Number)

72-0651161  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification Number)

100 Century Park Drive  
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(Address, including zip code, and telephone number, including area code, of Registrant's principal executive offices)

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including area code, of agent for service)

If any of the securities being registered on this form are being offered in connection with the formation of a holding company and there is compliance with General Instruction G, please check the following box. \_\_\_\_\_

This Post-Effective amendment shall become effective in accordance with  
Section 8(c) of the Securities Act of 1933 or until such date as the Commission, acting pursuant to Section 8(c), may determine.

**CENTURY TELEPHONE ENTERPRISES, INC.**

This Registration Statement, which was declared effective on January 10, 1994, was filed to register shares of common stock (and accompanying preferred stock purchase rights) of Century Telephone Enterprises, Inc. ("Century") issued in connection with the merger of Celutel, Inc. with a wholly-owned subsidiary of Century on February 10, 1994. Century hereby removes from registration hereunder all shares of Century common stock and accompanying preferred stock purchase rights.

## SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the Registrant has duly caused this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to the Registration Statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Monroe, State of Louisiana, on July 31, 1996.

### CENTURY TELEPHONE ENTERPRISES, INC.

By: /s/ Harvey P. Perry

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Harvey P. Perry  
Senior Vice President,  
Secretary, General Counsel and  
Director

## POWER OF ATTORNEY

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 2 to the Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	Title	Date
* _____ Clarke M. Williams	Chairman of the Board of Directors	July 31, 1996
* _____ Glen F. Post, III	President, Chief Executive Officer and Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors	July 31, 1996
* _____ R. Stewart Ewing, Jr.	Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)	July 31, 1996
* _____ Murray H. Greer	Controller (Principal Accounting Officer)	July 31, 1996
* _____ W. Bruce Hanks	President-Telecommunications Services and Director	July 31, 1996
/s/ Harvey P. Perry _____ Harvey P. Perry	Senior Vice President, Secretary, General Counsel and Director	July 31, 1996
* _____ William R. Boles, Jr.	Director	July 31, 1996
_____ Virginia Boulet	Director	July __, 1996
* _____ Ernest Butler, Jr.	Director	July 31, 1996
* _____ Calvin Czeschin	Director	July 31, 1996
* _____ James B. Gardner	Director	July 31, 1996
* _____	Director	July 31, 1996

R. L. Hargrove, Jr.

<div>* _____ Johnny Hebert</div>	Director	July 31, 1996
<div>* _____ F. Earl Hogan</div>	Director	July 31, 1996
<div>* _____ C. G. Melville</div>	Director	July 31, 1996
<div>* _____ Jim D. Reppond</div>	Director	July 31, 1996

\*By:     /s/ Harvey P. Perry

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Attorney-in-fact

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