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Re: Petition for the Expedited Review of Growth Code Denials by the Number Pooling Administrator for the Jacksonville exchange (Clay Street)

Dear Ms. Cole:

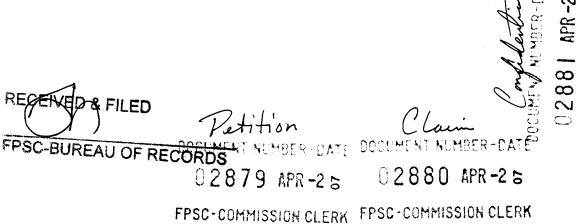
Enclosed is an original and fifteen copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Florida's Petition for Expedited Review of NXX-X Code Denial, which we ask that you file in the captioned *new* docket.

A copy of this letter is enclosed. Please mark it to indicate that the original was filed and return the copy to me. Copies have been served to the parties shown on the attached Certificate of Service.

Sincerely,

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cc: All Parties of Record Jerry D. Hendrix E. Earl Edenfield, Jr. James Meza III



CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE Petition for the Expedited Review of Growth Code Denials by the Number Pooling Administrator for the Jacksonville exchange (Clay Street)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served via

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BEFORE THE FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In re: Petition for Expedited Review of Growth) Code Denials by the Number Pooling Administrator) for the Jacksonville exchange (Clay Street)) Docket No. 070233-72

Filed: April 2, 2007

PETITION FOR EXPEDITED REVIEW OF NXX-X CODE DENIAL

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T Florida ("AT&T Florida"), pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 52.15(g)(iv), Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") Order FCC 00-104, and Florida Public Service Commission ("Commission") Order No. PSC-01-1873-PCO-TL, petitions the Commission to review the Pooling Administrator's ("NeuStar") denial of AT&T Florida's request for additional numbering resources in the Jacksonville exchange. In support of this petition, AT&T Florida states:

PARTIES

1. AT&T Florida is a corporation organized and formed under the laws of the State of Georgia and an incumbent local exchange company ("ILEC") regulated by the Commission and authorized to provide local exchange telecommunications and intraLATA toll telecommunications in the State of Florida.

 NeuStar is an independent non-governmental entity, which is responsible for administering and managing the numbering resources in pooling areas. See 47
 C.F.R. § 52.20(d).

JURISDICTION

3. The Commission has jurisdiction of this matter pursuant to Industry Numbering Committees (INC) Number Pooling Guidelines Sections 3.7 and 12(c). This provision provides that a carrier may challenge NeuStar's decision to deny numbering resources to the appropriate regulatory authority.

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BACKGROUND AND REQUEST FOR RELIEF

4. The Jacksonville exchange consists of eighteen (18) switching entities that utilize numbering resources: Arlington (JCVLFLARDS0), Atlantic (JCBHFLABRS0), (MNDRFLAVDS0), (JCVLFLBWDS0), Avenues Beachwood Clav Street (JCVLFLCLDS0), Ft. Caroline (JCVLFLFCDS0), Ft. George (FTGRFLMARS0), International Airport (JCVLFLIARS0), Lake Forest (JCVLFLLFDS0), Loretto (MNDRFLLODS0), Normandy (JCVLFLNODS0), Oceanway (JCVLFLOWDS0), Riverside (JCVLFLRV38E), San Jose (JCVLFLSJ73E), San Marco (JCVLFLSMDS0), San Pablo (JCBHFLSPRS0), Southpoint (JCVLFLJTRSA), and Wesconnett (JCVLFLWCDS0).

5. On March 29, 2007, BellSouth requested additional numbering resources from NeuStar for the Clay Street (JCVLFLCLDS0) switch. <u>See</u> Attachment 1. Specifically, BellSouth requested a full NXX to meet the request of a specific customer for 10,000 consecutive numbers in the format of NPA NX7-XXXX.

6. At the time of the code request, the Jacksonville exchange had a MTE of 33.05 and a utilization of 73.00%, while the Clay Street (JCVLFLCLDS0) switch had a MTE of 63.62.

7. On March 29, 2007, NeuStar's automated number request system denied AT&T Florida's request for additional numbering resources because AT&T Florida had not met the utilization based criteria, notwithstanding the fact that AT&T Florida is unable to provide the numbering resources requested by the specific customer. <u>See</u> Attachment 1. Pursuant to Commission Order No. PSC-01-1973-PCO-TL, attached to

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this Petition is the MTE and utilization rate for each switch in the Jacksonville exchange and the customer's contact information. <u>See</u> Attachment 2.

8. As discussed above, both the FCC Order and the INC guidelines provide that state regulatory authorities have the power and authority to review NeuStar's decision to deny a request for numbering resources. <u>See</u> INC Number Pooling Guidelines Sections 3.7 and 12(c).

9. Under earlier MTE procedures used by NANPA, waivers or exceptions were granted when customer hardships could be demonstrated or when the service provider's inventory did not have a block of sequential numbers large enough to meet the customer's specific request. Under existing procedures, NeuStar nor NANPA looks at the number of MTE and utilization for the entire rate center without exception. The current process is arbitrary and results in (1) decisions contrary to the public interest and welfare of consumers in the State of Florida; and (2) decisions that do not necessarily promote the efficient use of telephone numbers.

10. AT&T Florida requests that the Commission reverse NeuStar's decision to withhold numbering resources from AT&T Florida on the following grounds:

(a) NeuStar's denial of numbering resources to AT&T Florida interferes with AT&T Florida's ability to serve its customers within the State of Florida.

(b) The MTE at the rate center level requirement is discriminatory against the incumbent LEC, since the ILEC is typically the only local service provider with multiple switches in a rate center. The ILEC deploys multiple switches in a rate center in order to meet customer demand for telephone service. The FCC's rules for obtaining numbering resources both penalizes and discriminates against the ILECs for deploying multiple

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switches. AT&T Florida believes that it is patently unfair to require that the ILEC only get six (6) MTE in all the switches it has deployed in a rate center, when the CLECs, which have recently entered the local service market, have to meet the MTE requirement in only the single switch that they have deployed to serve their customers in a single rate center or even multiple rate centers.

(c) As a result of NeuStar's denial of AT&T Florida's request for additional numbering resources, AT&T Florida will be unable to provide telecommunications services to its customers as required under Florida law.

WHEREFORE, AT&T Florida requests:

1. The Commission review the decision of NeuStar to deny AT&T Florida's request for additional numbering resources for the Jacksonville exchange; and

2. The Commission direct NeuStar to provide the requested numbering resources for the Jacksonville exchange as discussed above.

Respectfully submitted this 2nd day of April, 2007.

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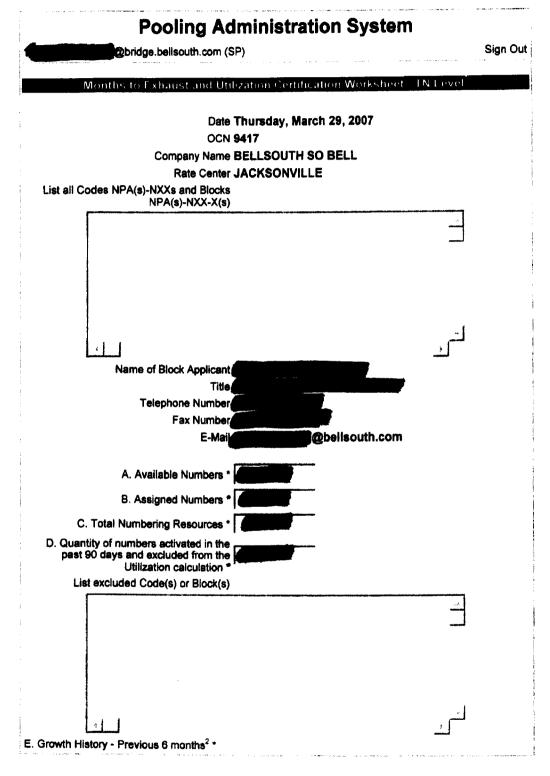
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Jacksonville Utilization Summary Report

Attachment 2

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Jacksonville	Atlantic	JCBHFLABRS0	20				
Jacksonville	Avenues	MNDRFLAVDS0	50				
Jacksonville	Beachwood	JCVLFLBWDS0	146				
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Jacksonville	Lake Forest	JCVLFLLFDS0	58				
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