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DATE:

November 21, 2013

TO:

Kelley Corbari, Attorney, Office of the General Counsel

FROM:

Sakina Deas, Research Assistant, Office of Telecommunications

RE:

Recommendation to Office of the General Counsel - Docket No. 130270-TL - Petition for expedited review of growth code denials by the Number Pooling Administration for the

Tampa Central rate center by Verizon Florida LLC.

On October 25, 2013, Verizon Florida LLC filed a request for additional numbering resources from the Number Pooling Administrator (NeuStar) for the Tampa Central (UNVRFLXA97H) switch. Verizon Florida requested a full NXX to meet the request of a specific customer for 10,000 consecutive numbers in format of 813-NXX-NXX. On October 30, 2013, Verizon Florida LLC's request for additional numbering resources was denied because it did not meet the utilization criteria.

On November 8, 2013, Verizon Florida LLC filed a petition requesting that the Commission overturn NeuStar's decision. In accordance with Section 2.07C.5.e of the Administrative Procedures Manual (APM), staff has examined the Verizon Florida LLC petition and has determined the following:

- The carrier has demonstrated that it has customers in need of numbering resources;
- 2) The carrier has shown that it will be unable to provide services to these potential customers because of NeuStar's denial of the numbering resources; and
- Customers will not be able to obtain service from the provider of his/her choice because the carrier does not have the numbers available.

Since the three criteria of Section 2.07C.5.e of the APM have been met, please prepare an administrative Proposed Agency Action Order to be issued within seven business days of this memorandum (December 4, 2013), as outlined in the APM expedited code denial process. NeuStar should be directed to provide Verizon Florida LLC the needed numbering resources to meet its customer's needs in the Tampa Central (UNVRFLXA97H) switch. Please allow staff assigned to the docket to review the Order before it is issued. If you have any questions, please call Sakina Deas at (850) 413-6504.

cc:

Office of Telecommunication (Casey)

Office of General Counsel (A. Teitzman)

Office of Commission Clerk (Docket No. 130270-TL)