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DATE:

May 1, 2017

TO:

Stephanie A. Cuello, Attorney, Office of the General Counsel

FROM:

Dan C. Flores, Public Utility Analyst I, Office of Telecommunications

RE:

Recommendation to Office of the General Counsel - Docket No.170089-TA - Petition for expedited review of NXX-X code denial by Number Pooling Administrator for the Ocala

rate center, by Teleport Communications America, LLC-FL.

On April 7, 2017, Teleport Communications America, LLC-FL filed a request for additional numbering resources from the Number Pooling Administrator (NeuStar) for the Ocala rate center, (OCALFLXAX4Z) switch. Teleport Communications America, LLC-FL requested one block of 1,000 numbers to meet the request of a specific customer for 225 consecutive numbers in the format of NPA-NXX. On April 7, 2017 Teleport Communications America, LLC-FL request for additional numbering resources was denied because it did not meet the utilization criteria.

On April 19, 2017, Teleport Communications America, LLC-FL 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 Teleport Communications America, LLC-FL petition and has determined the following:

- 1) 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.
- 3) 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 (May 10, 2017), as outlined in the APM expedited code denial process. NeuStar should be directed to provide Teleport Communications America, LLC-FL the needed numbering resources to meet its customer's needs in the Ocala exchange, (OCALFLXAX4Z) switch. Please allow stall assigned to the docket to review the Order before it is issued. If you have any questions, please call Data Flores at (850) 413-6816.

cc: Office of Telecommunications (Salak)
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