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DATE:	September 23, 2019
TO:	Gabriella Passidomo, Attorney, Office of the General Counsel
FROM:	Sakina Deas, Public Utility Analyst II, Office of Industry Development & Market $\mathcal{H}$ Analysis $\mathcal{S}_{t} \mathcal{O}_{\cdot}$
RE:	Docket No. 20190181-TA - Petition for expedited review of Somos' denial of application for numbering resources, by MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Transmission Services LLC.

On August 19, 2019, MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC d/b/a Verizon Transmission Services LLC (Verizon) filed a request for additional numbering resources from the Number Pooling Administrator (Somos) for the WINTERPARK rate center, (ORLEFLIQDS0) switch. Verizon requested 1 block to meet the request of a specific customer for 400 consecutive numbers in format of NPA-NXX-XXX. On August 19, 2019, Verizon's request for additional numbering resources was denied because it did not meet the utilization criteria.

On Monday, September 16, 2019, Verizon filed a petition requesting that the Commission overturn Somos' decision. In accordance with Section 2.07C.5.d(2). of the Administrative Procedures Manual (APM), staff has examined Verizon's petition and has determined the following:

- The carrier has demonstrated that it has customers in need of numbering resources;
- The carrier has shown that it will be unable to provide services to these potential customers because of Somos' 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.d(2). of the APM have been met, please prepare an administrative Proposed Agency Action Order to be issued within seven business days of this memorandum (October 2, 2019), as outlined in the APM expedited code denial process. Somos should be directed to provide Verizon the numbering resources to meet its customer's needs in the WINTERPARK rate center, (ORLEFLIQDS0) 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 Industry Development and Market Analysis (Hinton) Office of General Counsel (Tan) Office of Commission Clerk (20190181-TA)