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DATE:

February 1, 2019

TO:

Charles W. Murphy, Senior Attorney, Office of the General Counsel

FROM:

Brandon Wendel, Public Utility Analyst I, Office of Industry Development & PHW

Market Analysis

RE:

Docket No. 20190026-TA - Petition for expedited review of NXX-X code denial

by Number Pooling Administrator for the Port St. Lucie rate center, by Teleport

Communications America, LLC - FL.

On December 19, 2018, Teleport Communications America, LLC – FL (TCAL) filed a request for additional numbering resources from the former Number Pooling Administrator, NeuStar, for the Port St. Lucie rate center, (WPBHFLGRXFY) switch. TCAL requested four blocks to meet the request of a specific customer for 4,000 consecutive numbers in the format of NPA-NXX. On December 19, 2018, TCAL's request for additional numbering resources was denied because it did not meet the utilization criteria.

On Wednesday, January 23, 2019, TCAL filed a petition requesting that the Commission overturn NeuStar's decision. In accordance with Section 2.07C.5.d(2). of the Administrative Procedures Manual (APM), staff has examined TCAL's petition and has determined the following:

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- 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 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.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 (February 12, 2019), as outlined in the APM expedited code denial process. As of January 19, 2019, Somos, Inc. has been named the Number Pooling Administrator by the Federal Communications Commission. Somos, Inc. should therefore be directed to provide TCAL the numbering resources to meet its customer's needs in the Port St. Lucie rate center, (WPBHFLGRXFY) switch. Please allow staff assigned to the docket to review the Order before it is issued. If you have any questions, please call Brandon Wendel at (850) 413-6928.

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