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DATE: April 7, 2006  
TO: Lee Eng Tan, Attorney, Office of the General Counsel  
FROM: Catherine S. Beard, Regulatory Analyst I, Division of Competitive Markets & Enforcement  
RE: Docket No. 060290-TL - Recommendation to Office of the General Counsel – Petition for Expedited Review of Growth Code Denials by Number Pooling Administrator for the North Dade Exchange (Oleta)

On March 15, 2006, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. (BellSouth) requested additional numbering resources from the Number Pooling Administrator, (NeuStar) for the Oleta (NDADFLOLDS0) switch in the North Dade exchange. BellSouth requested four (4) one (1) thousand number blocks specifically in the format (NPA) NX5-0, 1 and (NPA) NX8-0, 1, to meet a specific customer's request. Also on March 15, 2006, BellSouth's request for additional numbering resources was denied by NeuStar because it did not meet the months-to-exhaust utilization criteria.

On March 28, 2006, BellSouth filed a petition requesting that the Commission overturn NeuStar's decision. In accordance with Commission Order PSC-02-0352-PAA-TL, (Docket No. 020087-TL) which approved an expedited process for the NeuStar code denials, staff has examined the BellSouth 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 is unable to provide services to these potential customers because of NeuStar's denial of the numbering resources; and
- 3) The 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 PSC-02-0352-PAA-TL have been met, please prepare an administrative Proposed Agency Action Order to be issued within seven business days of this memorandum (April 18, 2006), as outlined in the expedited code denial process order. NeuStar should be directed to provide BellSouth the needed numbering resources to meet its customer's needs in the Oleta (NDADFLOLDS0) switch. Also, please allow staff assigned to the docket to review the Order before it is issued. If you have any questions, please call Catherine Beard at (850) 413-7080.

cc: Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement (Bulecza-Banks, Casey)  
Office of General Counsel (P. Wiggins)  
Division of Commission Clerk & Administrative Services (Docket No. 060290-TL)

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