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**DATE:** December 18, 2002  
**TO:** Brent Taylor, Senior Attorney, Office of the General Counsel  
**FROM:** Shawn Kelly, Regulatory Analyst, Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement  
**RE:** Docket No. 021214-TL, BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. Petition for Expedited Review of a Growth Code Denial by NeuStar for Jacksonville Exchange (Beachwood).

On December 6, 2002, BellSouth filed a petition requesting that the Commission overturn NeuStar's decision to deny five consecutive one thousand number blocks in the Jacksonville (Beachwood) exchange (JCVLFLBWDS0). Due to dialing pattern restrictions, the customer cannot use blocks in the format of NXX-0, NXX-1, or NXX-9. In accordance with Commission Order PSC-01-1973-PCO-TL (Docket No. 010782-TL) which approved an expedited process for code denials, we have examined the BellSouth's petition, along with the confidential supplemental information, and have determined the following:

- 1) The carrier has demonstrated that it has a specific customer in need of immediate numbering resources;
- 2) The carrier has shown that it will be unable to provide services to the potential customer because of NeuStar's denial of numbering resources; and
- 3) The potential customer cannot obtain service from the provider of its choice because the carrier does not have numbers available to fulfill the customer's needs.

Since the three required criteria of Order PSC-01-1973-PCO-TL have been met, please prepare an administrative Proposed Agency Action (PAA) Order to be issued within seven business days of this memorandum (December 27, 2002) 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. Five previous NeuStar code denial orders have been issued using the new expedited process (See Docket Nos. 020087-TL, 020191-TL, 020237-TL, 020934-TL, and 020977-TL). If you have any questions, please call Shawn Kelly at 413-6433.

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