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DATE: August 6, 2003
TO: Jason Rojas, Attorney, Office of the General Counsel
FROM: Shevie Brown, Regulatory Analyst, Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement 500 (2000)
RE: Docket No. 030699-TL, BellSouth Telecommunications Inc. (BellSouth) Petition for Expedited Review of a Growth Code Denials by NeuStar for the Weekiwachee Springs Exchange (Spring Hill).

On July 25, 2003, BellSouth filed a petition requesting that the Commission overturn NeuStar's decision to deny numbering resources in the Spring Hill (WWSPFLSHDS0) switch, located in the Weekiwachee Springs exchange. Specifically, BellSouth requested a thousands block containing one thousand consecutive numbers to increase the months to exhaust of the switch to six months. In accordance with Commission Order PSC-02-0352-PAA-TL which approved an expedited process for code denials, we have examined the BellSouth 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 customers cannot obtain service from the provider of its choice because the carrier does not have numbers available to fulfill the customers' needs.

Since the three required criteria of Order PSC-02-0352-PAA-TL have been met, please prepare an administrative Proposed Agency Action (PAA) Order to be issued within seven business days of this memorandum (August 15, 2003) as outlined in the expedited code denial process order. NeuStar should be directed to provide BellSouth the numbering resources to meet its customer's needs, specifically, a thousands block containing one thousand consecutive numbers to increase the months to exhaust to six months for the Spring Hill switch. Please be sure that in the Order, NeuStar is directed to provide the numbers, not NANPA. Also, please allow staff assigned to the docket to review the Order before it is issued. If you have any questions, please call Shevie Brown at 413-6638.

cc: Division of Competitive Markets and Enforcement (Bulecza-Banks, Casey) Office of the General Counsel (B. Keating) Division of the Commission Clerk & Administrative Services (Docket No. 030699-TL) DOCUMENT RESIDENCES

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