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**DATE:** May 18, 2011

**TO:** Pauline Evans, Attorney, Office of the General Counsel

**FROM:** <sup>g.O.</sup> Sakina Deas, Research Assistant, Division of Regulatory Analysis PK

**RE:** Recommendation to Office of the General Counsel - Docket No. 110149-TL – Petition for expedited review of growth code denials by the Number Pooling Administration for the Live Oak and Alachua exchanges by Windstream.

On May 2, 2011, Windstream Florida filed a request for additional numbering resources from the Number Pooling Administrator (NeuStar) for the Live Oak (LVOKFLXAPS0) and Alachua (ALCHFLXARP0) exchanges. Windstream Florida requested a 10,000 NXX code for Live Oak and a 1,000 number block for Alachua in order to serve its customers. On May 2, 2011, Windstream Florida's request for additional numbering resources was denied because it did not meet the utilization criteria.

On May 10, 2011, Windstream filed a petition requesting that the Commission overturn NeuStar's decision. In accordance with Commission Order No. PSC-01-1973-PCO-TL, (Docket No. 020087-TL) which approved an expedited process for the NeuStar code denials, staff has examined the Windstream Florida 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 will be unable to provide services to these potential customers because of NeuStar's denial of the numbering resources; and
- 3) 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-01-1973-PCO-TL have been met, please prepare an administrative Proposed Agency Action Order to be issued within seven business days of this memorandum (May 27, 2011), as outlined in the expedited code denial process order. NeuStar should be directed to provide Windstream Florida the needed numbering resources to meet its customer's needs in the Live Oak and Alachua exchanges. 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: Division of Regulatory Analysis (Casey)  
Office of General Counsel (A. Teitzman)  
Office of Commission Clerk (Docket No. 110149-TL)

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