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**DATE:** October 12, 2020

**TO:** Gabriella Passidomo, Attorney, Office of the General Counsel

FROM: Sakina Deas, Public Utility Analyst II, Office of Industry Development & Market CH

Analysis

**RE:** Docket No. 20200223-TX- Petition for expedited review of NXX-X code denial

by Number Pooling Administrator for Hollywood rate center, by BellSouth

Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T Florida

On August 20, 2020, BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T Florida ("AT&T") filed a request for additional numbering resources from the Number Pooling Administrator (Somos) for the Hollywood rate center, HLWDFLPEDSO switch. AT&T requested 1 block to meet the request of a specific customer for 750 consecutive numbers in the 954 NPA. On August 20, 2020, AT&T's request for additional numbering resources was denied because it did not meet the utilization criteria.

On Wednesday, September 30, 2020, AT&T filed a petition requesting that the Commission overturn Somos' decision. In accordance with Section 2.07C.5.d(2). of the Administrative Procedures Manual (APM), staff has examined AT&T's petition and has determined the following:

- 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 Somos' 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 (October 20, 2020), as outlined in the APM expedited code denial process. Somos should be directed to provide AT&T the numbering resources to meet its customer's needs in the Hollywood rate center, HLWDFLPEDSO switch. 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: Office of Industry Development and Market Analysis (Hinton)
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