BEFORE

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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In the Matter of the Commission's Investigation into Telephone Numbering and Number Assignment Procedures

Case No. 97-884-TP-COI

AT&T OHIO'S REQUEST FOR REVIEW OF A DECISION OF NEUSTAR - POOLING ADMINISTRATOR

AT&T Ohio, by its attorneys and pursuant to 47 CFR § 52.15(g)(3)(iv), respectfully requests that the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio ("Commission") review and overturn the Pooling Administrator's ("PA" or "NeuStar") denial of AT&T Ohio's request for numbering resources, as more fully described herein.

BP Toledo Refinery ("BP") requested additional telephone numbering resources in the Toledo rate center to meet its growth and reconfiguration needs. It is expanding and reorganizing its operations at its Toledo area facility and plans to use the numbering resources in conjunction with Direct Inward Dialing ("DID") service. BP is increasing headcount at the Refinery and at the same time, is moving all existing administrative personnel to a new administration building. In addition, BP is reorganizing and expanding headcount at the Pipeline Division as well. These two initiatives necessitate a need for a total of 2,800 telephone numbers, leaving approximately 200 for any moves, additions, or changes that might arise in the future. BP expects to begin implementing, assigning and activating the new numbers as soon as they are made available to them and expects to return its existing 900 numbers to AT&T Ohio within 90 days. After the returned numbers have gone through the appropriate aging cycle, AT&T Ohio will evaluate whether any blocks qualify for donation to the pool and will take the appropriate action.

The numbering resources in AT&T Ohio's inventory as well as in the pool have been reviewed and are inadequate to meet the specific needs of this customer. However, at this time, the North American Numbering Plan Administrator ("NANPA") is showing 567 698 NPA NNX available for assignment. Given that inadequate resources were available in the 419 NPA, BP requested blocks 4 through 6 in the 567 689 NPA NXX code in order to be able to retain its existing station number configuration and to consolidate all telephone numbers at its Refinery and Pipeline facilities under one central office prefix. Such an arrangement will also ensure compatibility with BP's existing 4-digit dialing plan and equipment configuration. Constraints with its current telecommunications system include dialing plan requirements for local, local toll, long distance and international dialing that drastically restrict the numbers that BP can use on its phone equipment. Such constraints prevent it from utilizing blocks beginning with 0, 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, or 9, as numbers in these blocks would necessitate significant and costly modifications to BP's current telecommunications system and dialing plans.

AT&T Ohio's application to obtain the required numbering resources will not be processed because AT&T Ohio does not meet the two required FCC criteria for obtain numbering resources in the Toledo rate center, where the 419/567 NPA is not expected to exhaust until 3Q2022. The FCC requires a months-to-exhaust (MTE) of 6 months or fewer. AT&T Ohio is at a 412.85 MTE due to the low growth forecast and inventory that does not qualify for donation. In addition, the FCC requires utilization of 75% or higher and AT&T Ohio is at 51.16%. Thus, neither FCC criteria is met in this case.

The FCC's rules identify a procedure whereby denial of a numbering resource request can be brought to the appropriate state commission for review. 47 CFR § 52.15(g)(3)(iv) provides as follows:

(iv) The NANPA shall withhold numbering resources from any U.S. carrier that fails to comply with the reporting and numbering resource application requirements established in this part. The NANPA shall not issue numbering resources to a carrier without an Operating Company Number (OCN). The NANPA must notify the carrier in writing of its decision to withhold numbering resources within ten (10) days of receiving a request for numbering resources. The carrier may challenge the NANPA's decision to the appropriate state regulatory commission. The state regulatory commission may affirm or overturn the NANPA's decision to withhold numbering resources from the carrier based on its determination of compliance with the reporting and numbering resource application requirements herein.

In addition, the FCC's December 12, 2001 Order in its Number Resource Optimization Report and Order, CC Docket No. 99-200, FCC No. 01-362, paragraph 64 states that, "States may not accommodate requests for specific numbers (i.e. vanity numbers), but may grant requests for customers seeking contiguous blocks of numbers." AT&T Ohio submits that BP's request constitutes special circumstances and demonstrates a clear requirement that warrants the Ohio

Commission's review and reversal of NeuStar's decision.

Attached to this request are copies of AT&T Ohio's Thousand Block Application Form,

the Months-to-Exhaust Certification, a copy of NeuStar's denial, and a copy of BP's request.

For the reasons set forth herein, AT&T Ohio respectfully requests that the Commission overturn NeuStar's denial and direct NeuStar to assign the requested numbers in the Toledo rate center to AT&T Ohio for use by BP Toledo Refinery.

Respectfully submitted,

AT&T Ohio

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97-884.BP Toledo Refinery

Thousands-Block Application Form Part 1A

Type of Application (check one):	√ New	□ Change ⁱ	Disconnect
GENER	AL APPLICAT	ION INFORMATIO	N
1.1 Contact Information:			
Block Applicant: Company Name: <u>AMERITECH OHIO</u> Headquarters Address: <u>2600 CAMINO RAN</u> Contact Name: <u>CHEREE DUNLAP</u> Contact Address: <u>2600 CAMINO RA</u> Phone: _925-824-5625	<u>MON</u> _City_S MON _City_S Fax:_ <u>925</u>	AN RAMON State	CAZip94583_
E-Mail:cd1796@att.com			
<u>Pooling Administratorⁱⁱ:</u> Contact Name: <u>DIANE MUELLER</u> Contact Address: <u>1800 SUT</u> T	TER ST	SUITE 780	City CONCORD
StateCAZip94520 Phone:925-363-7656 E-Mail:dianemueller@neustar.biz	Fax:	925-363-7655	-
1.2 General Information Check one: No LRN neededx	LRN needed ⁱⁱ	i	
NPA: _419 LATA:326OC Number of Thousands-Blocks Requested: _	N ^{iv} : _9321		s OCN_9300
Switch Identification (Switching Entity/POI Rate Center ^{vi} : <u>TOLEDO</u>			
1.3 Dates			
Date of Application ^{vii} : 07/16/09 Request Expedited Treatment? (See Section			te ^{viii} : _08/16/09
1.4 Type of Service Provider Requesting	the Thousands	s-Block:	
 a) Type of Service Provider: _LEC b) Primary type of service Blocks to be c) Thousands-Block(s) (NXX-X) assign d) Thousands-Block(s) (NXX-X) th e) If requesting a code for LRN purposed be given to the pool) 	used for: <u><u> </u></u>	COTS/CTX/DID ce (optional)419 C ble for this assignmen	

1.5 Type of Request

Tracking Number: _____

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Initial block for rate center: No____, If Yes attach evidence of authorization and proof of capability to provide Service within 60 days

Growth block for rate center: Yes_x_, If Yes, attach months to exhaust worksheet

Change block: No_____, If Yes, indicate NPA-NXX-X, type of and reason for change:

Disconnect block: No_____, If Yes, list NPA-NXX-X _____

Remarks: ____

I hereby certify that the above information requesting an NXX-X block is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and that this application has been prepared in accordance with the Thousands-Block (NXX-X) Pooling Administration Guidelines ATIS-0300066.

CHEREE DUNLAP (SIGNATURE ON FILE)	_DATA ADMINISTRATOR	07/16/09
Signature of Block Applicant	Title	Date

Thousands-Block Application Form Part 1A

Instructions for filling out each Section of the Part 1A form:

Section 1.1 Contact information requires that Service Providers supply under "Block Applicant" the company name, company headquarters address, a contact within the company, an address where the contact person may be reached, in addition to the correct phone, fax, and e-mail address. The Pooling Administrator section also requires the Service Provider to fill in the Pooling Administrator's name, address, phone, fax and e-mail.

Section 1.2 Service Providers who need a thousands-block assignment or for an Location Routing Number (LRN)are required to fill in this section. If needed for an LRN, a CO Code Application needs to also be submitted to the PA. The Service Provider should supply the Numbering Plan Area (NPA); the Local Access Transport Area (LATA), which is a three-digit number that can be found in the TelcordiaTM LERGTM Routing Guide. The Operating Company Number (OCN) assigned to the service provider and the OCN its parent company. An OCN is a four-character alphanumeric assigned by TelcordiaTM Routing Administration (TRA). In addition, the number of thousands-blocks requested should be supplied. The Switch Identification as well as the city or wire center name, rate center, rate center sub zone, homing tandem and CLLITM tandem of the facilities based provider^{ix}. Explanations of these terms may be found in the footnotes.

Section 1.3 The date the Service Provider completes the application should be entered in this section, as well as the Effective Date of the requested thousands-block.

Section 1.4 Service Providers should indicate their type, e.g., local exchange carrier, competitive local exchange carrier, interexchange carrier, CMRS. The also indicate the primary type of business in which the numbering resource is to be used. Service Providers also may indicate their preference for a particular thousands-block, e.g., 321-9XXX, or indicate any thousands-blocks that may be undesirable, e.g., 321-6XXX.

Section 1.5 Service Providers indicate the type of request. Initial requests are for first applications for thousands-blocks in a rate center, growth for additional thousands-blocks in a rate center in which the applicant already has numbering resources, and provide the required evidence as ordered by the FCC.

The thousands-block applicant certifies veracity of this form by signing their name, and providing their title and date.

Thousands-Block Application Form Part 1A

Foot Notes:

^v This is an eleven-character descriptor of the switch provided by the owning entity for the purpose of routing calls. This is the 11 character CLLITM code of the switch /POI.

^{vi} Rate Center name must be a tariffed Rate Center.

^{vii} Acknowledgment and indication of disposition of this application will be provided to applicant within seven calendar days from the date of receipt of this application. An incomplete form may result in delays in processing this request.

^{viii} Please ensure that the NPA-NXX of the LRN to be associated with this block(s) is/will be active in the PSTN prior to the effective date of the block(s).

^{ix} Telcordia, LERG Routing Guide, and CLLI are trademarks of Telcordia Technologies, Inc.

ⁱ Identify type of and reason for change(s) in Section 1.5.

ⁱⁱ The Pool Administrator is available to assist in completing these forms.

iii A CO Code application will also need to be submitted to the PA

^{iv} Operating Company Number (OCN) assignments must uniquely identify the applicant. Relative to CO Code assignments, NECA-assigned Company Codes may be used as OCNs. Companies with no prior CO Code or Company Code assignments should contact NECA (800 524-1020) to be assigned a Company Code(s). Since multiple OCNs and/or Company Codes may be associated with a given company, companies with prior assignments should direct questions regarding appropriate OCN usage to (TRA) (732-699-6700).

Appendix 3 - Modified August 6, 2001

MONTHS TO EXHAUST and UTILIZATION CERTIFICATION WORKSHEET – TN Level ¹ (Thousands-Block Number Pooling Growth Block Request)

Date: 07/16/09 OCN: _93	21	Company	Name: A	MERITEC				,				
Rate Center: TOLEDO			_									
List all Codes NPA(s)-NXXs and E	Blocks NPA(s)	-NXX-X(s)	: THERE	<u>ARE 45 N</u>	IPAS & 15	4 NXX(S)						
Name of Block Applicant: _CHERI	<u>EE DUNLAP _</u>		Signa	ature: <u>CHE</u>	EREE DU	NLAP						
Title: <u>CODE ADMINISTRATOR</u> E-Mail: <u>cd1796@att.com</u>	Telepł	hone No.:	<u>925-824-</u>	5625			FAX No	.: <u>925-35</u>	<u>5-9268</u>			
A. Available Numbers: 225284												
B. Assigned Numbers: <u>308008</u>												
C. Total Numbering Resources:	<u>301996</u>											
D. Quantity of numbers activated in the past 90 days and excluded from the Utilization calculation: <u>0</u>												
	Month #1 -8445	Month #2 -2232	Month #3 -2972	Month #4 -1071	Month #5 -833	Month #6 -602	Month #7	Month #8	Month #9	Month #10	Month #11	Month #12
E. Growth History – Previous months ²												
F. Forecast – Next 12 months ³	0	0	3274	0	0	0	-306	-13	118	152	97	103
G. Average Monthly Forecast (Sum of n	3. Average Monthly Forecast (Sum of months #1-6 (Part F above) divided by 6): 54567											
H. Months to Exhaust ⁴		Numbe		e for Assignm e Monthly Fo		omers (A)		=	<u>412.857</u>			
I. Utilization ⁵	Tc	<u>Assigned I</u> otal Numberir		<u>– Excluded</u> s (C) – Exclu			* 100	=	<u>51.164</u>			

Explanation: Actual forecast for Month 1 is -3000, MONTH 2 = -668, MONTH 4 = -117, MONTH 5 = -108, MONTH 6 = -282

¹ A copy of this worksheet is required to be submitted to the Pooling Administrator when requesting additional numbering resources in a rate center. For auditing purposes, the applicant must retain a copy of this document.

² Net change in TNs no longer available for assignment in each previous month, starting with the most distant month as Month #1, and Month #6 as the current month.

³ Forecast of TNs needed in each following month, starting with the most recent month as Month #1.

⁴ To be assigned an additional thousands-block (NXX-X) for growth, "Months to Exhaust" must be less than or equal to 6 months. (FCC 00-104, § 52.15 (g) (3) (iii)).

⁵ Newly acquired numbers may be excluded from the Utilization calculation (FCC 00104, section 52.15 (g)(3)(ii))

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From:diane.calhoun@neustar.bizSent:Thursday, July 16, 2009 1:27 PMTo:CODE ADMINISTRATION CA; DUNLAP, CHEREE(ATTOPS)PA_Part3@neustar.bizCc:PA_Part3@neustar.bizSubject:PAS - Pooling Administrator's Response/Confirmation for Tracking Number: 419-TOLEDO-OH-305578

Attachment 3

Pooling Administration System

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Pooling Administrator's Response/Confirmation TBPAG Part 3

Tracking Number :	419-TOLEDO- OH-305578	_					
Date of Application:	07/16/2009	Effective Date:					
Date of Receipt:	07/16/2009	Date of Response:	07/16/2009				
Service Provider Name:	AMERITECH O	НО					
(Telcordia [™] LERG [™] Routing Guide)OCN:	9321						
NPAC SOA SPID :							
Pooling Administrator Contact Information:							
Diane Calhoun		Phone:	925-363-7656				
Signature of Pooling Adm Diane Calhoun	inistrator	Fax:	925-363-7655				
Name (print)							
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NPA-NXX or NPA- NXX-X :	Block Assigned:	
	Block Reserved :	
	Block Reservation Expiration Date :	
	Block/Code Modified :	
	Block/Code Disconnected :	
Block Contaminated(Yes or No) :		
If Yes, enter the number of TNs contaminated :		
Switch Identification(Switch Entity/POI): 1	ORGNOH69DS1	
Rate Center:	TOLEDO	
Rate Center Sub Zone:		

X Form Complete, request denied.

Explanation:

DR-57: You do not meet the MTE and/or Utilization requirements, therefore this request for a new block is denied. You may proceed with requesting a State Waiver from the appropriate state commission using this Part 3 denial. If you are in disagreement with the disposition of this request, please refer to the Thousands-Block Number (NXX-X) Pooling Administration Guidelines for the appeals process.

Request withdrawn.

Explanation:

Assignment activity suspended by the administrator.

Explanation:

Remarks:

¹ This is an eleven-character descriptor provided by the owning entity for the purpose of routing calls. This must be the CLLI TM Location Identification code of the switching entity/POI shown on the Part 1A form (Telcordia, LERG ROUTING Guide and CLLI are trademarks of Telcordia Technologies, Inc.)

Part3



Mr. Gregg Dickson,

Because AT&T had been unable to provide (300) additional consecutive DID's in the same Area Code & NXX's (419) (697 & 698) as the Toledo (Husky) Refinery presently has for their DID's, we are requesting the following:

Requesting "New" Area Code

Requesting "NXX" "698" & (3000) new "DID Nbrs.": 4000 through 6999 inclusive

NOTE: BP Husky Refinery at 4001 Cedar Pointe Rd., Oregon, Ohio 43616 is planning an expansion this year that will require approximately 2,100 additional DID lines. Our switch has a four digit dial pattern that will accept blocks beginning with 4, 5, or 6. Our switch has code conflicts with 0, 1, 2, 3, 7, 8, and 9.

Our numbers, on existing account (419) R94-6036 644, are all now in the 419 area code, start with 697 and 698. We have recently learned that the area code does not have enough numbers to comply with our request. Based on the fact that AT&T was unable to provide the 300 additional consecutive DID numbers that we requested in January 2009.

BP has now decided to change all of the DID stations at the Refinery, if we can utilize the same area code and central office exchange. In order to do this, we would need 3,000 DID lines and return the existing 900 DID lines to the 419 area code. We are asking for a new area code to be opened and for BP to be able to use 698-4000 through and including 6999. This change would enable us to keep existing station numbers and have one central office prefix code.

Thank You in advance, for your prompt attention to this matter

Troy Easterline

Thanks,

Troy Easterling

Information Technology and Services (IT&S) Site Business Information Manager (BIM) BP Husky Toledo Refinery (419) 698-6556 Office (815) 514-5715 Cell

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing was served via first class mail, postage

prepaid, on the parties listed below on this 22nd day of July, 2009.

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