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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Petition of the North)
American Numbering Plan Administrator, on)
Behalf of the Missouri Telecommunications) Case No. TO-2000-374
Industry, for Approval of NPA Relief Plan for)
the 314 and 816 Area Codes.)

ORDER MODIFYING PROCEDURAL SCHEDULE

On March 14, 2000, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission (Staff) filed a Motion to Modify Procedural Schedule for itself and the parties to this proceeding.¹ The Staff indicated that the parties anticipate an order by the Federal Communications Commission addressing number pooling and other issues relevant to this case is imminent. The Staff and parties proposed modification to the procedural schedule would allow the parties to address the anticipated order in their evidentiary and legal presentations to the Commission.

This Commission has, in fact, directed the parties to address number conservation issues in this proceeding. Thus, the request of the Staff for itself and for the interested parties is well taken and will be granted with one exception.

The Commission has not yet scheduled local public hearings for this proceeding. However, the time period set aside for scheduling local public hearings will not be modified and the Commission

¹ Staff indicated in a footnote that the petitioner, North American Numbering Plan Administrator, NeuStar, Inc., as a neutral third party administrator, neither requests nor objects to the proposed modified procedural schedule.

anticipates scheduling and noticing local public hearings during the period April 24 to May 10, 2000. The Commission will issue a separate order setting the local public hearings and will provide appropriate notice to the parties and to the public.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That a modified procedural schedule is adopted as follows.

Direct Testimony	-	May 10, 2000 3:00 PM
Rebuttal Testimony	-	June 23, 2000 3:00 PM
Surrebuttal Testimony	-	July 12, 2000 3:00 PM
Prehearing Conference	-	July 17, 2000 10:00 AM
List of Issues Filed by Staff	-	July 19, 2000 3:00 PM
Order of Witnesses	-	July 19, 2000 3:00 PM
Statement of Positions, All Parties	-	July 24, 2000 3:00 PM
Hearing	-	July 31-August 3, 2000 9:00 AM

The prehearing conference will be held on the fifth floor of the Harry S Truman State Office Building, Room 530B, 301 West High Street, Jefferson City, Missouri. The hearing will be conducted at the Commission's offices in Jefferson City, Missouri. The assigned hearing room will be posted prior to the hearing.

2. That any person with special needs as addressed by the Americans with Disabilities Act who wishes to attend the prehearing conference or hearing should contact the Missouri Public Service

Commission at least ten (10) days prior to the date at one of the following numbers: Consumer Services Hotline - 1-800-392-4211, or TDD Hotline - 1-800-829-7541.

3. That this order shall become effective on March 30, 2000.

BY THE COMMISSION



Dale Hardy Roberts
Secretary/Chief Regulatory Law Judge

(S E A L)

Keith Thornburg, Regulatory Law
Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to 4 CSR 240-2.120(1)
(November 30, 1995) and
Section 386.240, RSMo 1994.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 20th day of March, 2000.

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