

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of MCImetro)	
Access Transmission Services, LLC d/b/a)	
Verizon Access Transmission Services for)	<u>Case No. TO-2006-0367</u>
Review and Reversal of the North American)	
Number Plan Administrator's Decision to)	
Withhold Numbering Resources)	

ORDER GRANTING PROTECTIVE ORDER

Issue Date: March 24, 2006

Effective Date: March 24, 2006

On March 23, 2006, MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services (Verizon), filed its Application seeking review and reversal of the decision of the North American Numbering Plan Administrator (NANPA), NeuStar, Inc., to withhold two blocks of 1,000 contiguous numbers that Verizon asserts it needs to provide service to a new customer.

On the same date, the Applicant filed a Motion for Protective Order. Applicant claims in its Motion that certain information that is highly confidential will be involved and should not be made public.

Upon review of the Applicant's Motion, the Commission finds that there is a need to protect confidential information and the request for a protective order is reasonable. The Commission has previously recognized the need to protect confidential information and the issuance of protective orders has helped to minimize disputes in past cases. Therefore, a protective order will be established.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Motion for Protective Order filed by the Applicant is granted and the protective order attached hereto as Attachment A is adopted. The parties shall comply with the protective order.

2. This order shall become effective on March 24, 2006.

BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Colleen M. Dale', written over a horizontal line.

Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

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Steven C. Reed, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 24th day of March, 2006.