

**STATE OF MISSOURI  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service  
Commission held at its office in  
Jefferson City on the 7th day of  
October, 2008.

In the Matter of the Application of Southwestern	)	
Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T Missouri for	)	
Review and Reversal of North American Number	)	<b><u>Case No. TO-2009-0106</u></b>
Plan Thousands-Block Pooling Administrator's	)	
Decision to Withhold Numbering Resources	)	

**ORDER OVERTURNING NORTH AMERICAN  
NUMBERING PLAN ADMINISTRATOR'S DECISION**

Issue Date: October 7, 2008

Effective Date: October 17, 2008

On September 19, 2008, Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. d/b/a AT&T Missouri filed an Application and Motion for Expedited Treatment requesting that the Missouri Public Service Commission review and reverse a decision of the North American Numbering Plan Administrator (NANPA), NeuStar, Inc., of AT&T Missouri's application to obtain one thousands-block from which 400 consecutive direct inward dial numbers may be drawn. The numbers are to be within: (1) the 816 NPA, (2) the Lee's Summit rate center (KSCYMO41DS0), (3) an NXX ending in 7, and (4) the range of 0000 through 4399. AT&T Missouri requested the thousands-block to accommodate Saint Luke's Health System's expansion of its Saint Luke's East – Lee's Summit Hospital.

On September 29, 2008, the Staff of the Commission filed its Staff Recommendation. No other applications to intervene, requests for hearing, or recommendations have been filed. Staff recommended the Commission grant AT&T

Missouri's request. Staff explained that although AT&T Missouri currently does have in its inventory one thousand-block of telephone numbers, it is not suitable to meet the request of Saint Luke and therefore AT&T Missouri is unable to meet the needs of its customer.

The Commission has the authority to overturn NANPA's decision to withhold numbering resources from a carrier pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §52.15(g)(4), which states in part, "The state commission also may overturn the NANPA's decision to withhold numbering resources from the carrier based on its determination that the carrier has demonstrated a verifiable need for numbering resources and has exhausted all other available remedies."

Based on Staff's recommendation, the Commission finds that AT&T Missouri has demonstrated a verifiable need for numbering resources and has exhausted all other available remedies. The Commission overturns NANPA's decision and approves AT&T Missouri's requests for one block of one thousand telephone numbers as listed above.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. The North American Numbering Plan Administrator's decision to withhold numbering resources from Southwestern Bell Telephone, L.P. d/b/a AT&T Missouri is overturned.
2. AT&T Missouri's request to receive one block of one thousand telephone numbers within the 816 NPA, with the NXX ending in 7, and in a range beginning with 0000, 1000, 2000, 3000, or 4000 in the Lee's Summit rate center, is granted.
3. This order shall become effective on October 17, 2008.

4. This case may be closed on October 18, 2008.

**BY THE COMMISSION**

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Colleen M. Dale  
Secretary

(S E A L)

Davis, Chm., Murray, Clayton,  
Jarrett, and Gunn, CC., concur.

Dale, Chief Regulatory Law Judge