

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Application of MCImetro Access)
Transmission Services Corp. d/b/a Verizon Access)
Transmission Services for Review and Reversal of) **File No. TO-2019-0295**
North American Number Plan Thousands-Block Pooling)
Administrator's Decision to Withhold Numbering)
Resources for Mercy Hospital Washington in)
Washington, Missouri)

ORDER DIRECTING NOTICE, ESTABLISHING TIME FOR FILING REQUESTS TO INTERVENE, AND ESTABLISHING TIME FOR FILING RECOMMENDATIONS

Issue Date: March 29, 2019

Effective Date: March 29, 2019

This order directs that notice of this case be sent to all certificated interexchange and basic local exchange telecommunications companies in the state of Missouri and to the North American Numbering Plan Administrator. The order also establishes dates for the filing of requests to intervene and for the filing of recommendations.

On March 29, 2019, MCImetro Access Transmission Services Corp. d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services (Verizon Access), 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., to withhold certain numbering resources from Verizon Access. The numbering resources Verizon Access requested consist of 2,000 contiguous DID numbers in NPA 636's Washington rate center to allow Mercy Hospital Washington to implement new technology that will improve provider and patient medical services by refining safe and

accurate information sharing and HIPAA-compliant communications between hospital staff and departments. Verizon asks the Commission to grant its request within 10 business days (April 12, 2019).

The Commission finds that proper persons should be allowed to file a request for intervention or a motion for hearing. Therefore, the Commission will set a time for interventions as directed below. The Commission will also direct its Data Center to send a copy of this order to each certificated interexchange and basic local exchange telecommunications company in Missouri. In addition, the Data Center shall send a copy of this order to NANPA.

The Commission will also direct its Staff to file a recommendation and will establish a date by which any other party wishing to respond may file a recommendation.

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

1. The Data Center shall send a copy of this order to each certificated interexchange and basic local exchange telecommunications company in Missouri and to the North American Numbering Plan Administrator, NeuStar, Inc.

2. Any party wishing to intervene or to request a hearing shall do so by filing an appropriate pleading no later than April 5, 2019, with:

Morris L. Woodruff, Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
Post Office Box 360
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

3. The Staff of the Commission shall file a recommendation regarding the application of Verizon Access, or shall file a status report indicating when a recommendation will be filed, no later than April 5, 2019.

4. Any other party that wishes to file a recommendation regarding the application of Verizon Access, shall do so no later than April 5, 2019, and shall file its recommendation simultaneously with its application to intervene.

5. This order shall be effective when issued.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Morris L. Woodruff, Chief Regulatory
Law Judge, by delegation of authority
pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2016.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 29th day of March, 2019.


STATE OF MISSOURI

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

I have compared the preceding copy with the original on file in this office and I do hereby certify the same to be a true copy therefrom and the whole thereof.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the Public Service Commission, at Jefferson City, Missouri, this 29th day of March 2019.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

MISSOURI PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

March 29, 2019

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Enclosed find a certified copy of an Order or Notice issued in the above-referenced matter(s).

Sincerely,



**Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary**

Distributed to Certificated Interexchange and Basic Local Exchange Telecommunications Company in Missouri.

Recipients listed above with a valid e-mail address will receive electronic service. Recipients without a valid e-mail address will receive paper service.