

**STATE OF MISSOURI
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

At a session of the Public Service
Commission held at its office in
Jefferson City on the 22nd day of
September, 2016.

In the Matter of the Application of Teleport)
Communications of America, LLC for)
Review and Reversal of North American)
Number Plan Thousands-Block Pooling)
Administrator's Decision to Withhold)
Numbering Resources)

File No. LO-2017-0058

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

Issue Date: September 22, 2016

Effective Date: October 1, 2016

On August 25, 2016, Teleport Communications America, LLC, filed an Application requesting that the Missouri Public Service Commission review and reverse a decision of the North American Numbering Plan Administrator (NANPA), NeuStar, Inc., of Teleport's application to obtain one 1000-block of consecutive numbers in the Ladue, Missouri rate center. The additional numbers are needed in order to meet the needs of Boeing Company's new facility in the Hazelwood, Missouri.

On September 9, 2016, the Staff of the Commission filed its Staff Recommendation. No other applications to intervene, requests for hearing, or recommendations have been filed.

Staff explained that Teleport does not have the numbers available for assignment in the Ladue rate center. Staff believes Teleport has demonstrated a verifiable need for the numbers. Staff recommended the Commission grant Teleport's request.

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 Teleport's application and the Staff's recommendation, the Commission finds that Teleport has demonstrated a verifiable need for numbering resources and has exhausted all other available remedies. The Commission will overturn NANPA's decision and approve Teleport's request for one 1000-block as listed above.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:

1. The North American Numbering Plan Administrator's decision to withhold numbering resources from Teleport Communications America, LLC, is overturned.
2. Teleport Communications America, LLC's request to receive 1,000 consecutive numbers within the Ladue, Missouri rate center, is granted.
3. This order shall become effective on October 1, 2016.
4. This file may be closed on October 2, 2016.



BY THE COMMISSION

A handwritten signature in dark ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

Hall, Chm., Stoll, Kenney,
Rupp, and Coleman, CC., concur.

Woodruff, Chief Regulatory Law Judge

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 22nd day of September 2016.




Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary

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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
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