

**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 Review and Reversal of North) **File No. LO-2014-0102**
American Number Plan Thousands-Block Pooling)
Administrator's Decision to Withhold Numbering Resources)

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

Issue Date: October 21, 2013

Effective Date: October 21, 2013

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 October 21, 2013, MCImetro Access Transmission Services LLC, d/b/a Verizon Access Transmission Services, filed an application and Motion for Expedited Treatment under 47 C.F.R. 52.15(g)(3)(iv) 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 ten thousand-blocks of numbers in the Joplin, Missouri rate center. The numbering resources are needed in order to meet the needs of Mercy-Joplin Hospital for a continuous range of 10,000 direct inward dialing numbers for the new hospital.

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 the North American Numbering Plan Administrator, NeuStar, Inc.

The Commission will also direct its Staff to file a recommendation and will establish a date by which any other party wishing to respond must 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 October 28, 2013, with:

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

and send copies to:

Carl J. Lumley
Curtis, Heinz, Garrett & O'Keefe, PC
130 S. Bemiston, Suite 200
Clayton, MO 63105

and:

Office of the Public Counsel
Post Office Box 2230
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 October 28, 2013.

4. Any other party that wishes to file a recommendation regarding the application of Verizon Access, shall do so no later than October 28, 2013, and shall file its recommendation simultaneously with its application to intervene.

5. This order shall become effective October 21, 2013.

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 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 21st day of October, 2013.