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#### **DOCKET NO. 54986**

PETITION OF THE NORTH AMERICAN \$NUMBERING PLAN ADMINISTRATOR \$ON BEHALF OF THE TEXAS \$TELECOMMUNICATIONS INDUSTRY \$FOR RELIEF OF THE 281/346/713/832 \$NPA OVERLAY \$

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF TEXAS

## ORDER NO. 1 REQUIRING JOINT RESPONSES

#### I. Petition

This Order addresses the May 11, 2023 petition of the North American Numbering Plan Administrator (NANPA) on behalf of the Texas Telecommunications Industry requesting an order from the Commission approving this petition for implementation of a new all-services distributed overlay numbering plan area (NPA) over the existing 281/346/713/832 NPA overlay of the greater Houston area, as well as NANPA's recommended nine-month implementation schedule. NANPA filed its petition based upon its projections that, absent NPA relief, the supply of central office codes for the 281/346/713/832 NPA will exhaust during the third quarter of 2025.<sup>1</sup>

### **II.** Joint Response

On or before June 1, 2023, NANPA and Commission Staff must jointly file a response regarding the appropriate method for processing this proceeding.

#### III. Service

Service of pleadings is typically governed by 16 TAC § 22.74. However, the Commission has issued a Second Order Suspending Rules,<sup>2</sup> which has suspended the service requirements found in 16 TAC § 22.74. As long as the Second Order Suspending Rules remains in effect, all parties must file any pleading or document with the Commission solely

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The industry is composed of current and prospective telecommunications carriers operating in, or considering operations with, the 281/346/713/832 NPA.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Issues Related to the State of Disaster for the Coronavirus Disease, Docket No. 50664, Second Order Suspending Rules (July 16, 2020).

through the Interchange on the Commission's website (<u>https://interchange.puc.texas.gov/filer</u>) and provide notice, by email, to all other parties that the pleading or document has been filed with the Commission, unless otherwise ordered by the presiding officer. It will be incumbent upon all other parties to obtain a copy of the pleading or document by accessing the Interchange.

Unless otherwise specified, responses or replies to any motion or other pleading must be filed within five working days after the date on which the motion or other pleading was received by the responding party. Failure to file a timely response will be considered acquiescence to the relief requested.

All parties must provide their current address, **e-mail address**, telephone and fax numbers, if available, to all other parties and the Commission by filing and serving all parties with such information. Each party must provide the Commission and all parties with updated address, **e-mail address**, telephone, and fax information if such information changes. The **e-mail addresses**, telephone and fax numbers will be placed on the service list for the convenience of the parties. Parties are responsible for updating their own service lists to reflect changed information and the addition of any other parties.

Questions concerning this Order or any other order must be submitted in writing, filed with the Commission, and served on all parties of record.

Signed at Austin, Texas the 15th day of May 2023.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

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