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VIA E-MAIL

Ms. Kris Anne Monteith
Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau
Federal Communications Commission
455 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: NANC Nationwide Number Portability Report

Dear Chief Monteith,

Attached for transmittal to the Wireline Competition Bureau is a report on nationwide number portability prepared by the North American Numbering Council's (NANC) Nationwide Number Portability (NNP) Working Group and adopted by the NANC.

As requested by the Bureau, the report "develop[s] more specific recommendations regarding . . . the Internet Protocol Local Routing Number (IPLRN) solution" for NNP.¹ Specifically, the report analyzes the potential effects of the proposed IPLRN solution; provides recommended steps for moving forward with IPLRN; considers whether the IPLRN solution should be modified in light of changes since the NNP Working Group previously examined the issue; and addresses issues raised in a minority report on the previous NNP Working Group report.

Also attached is a minority report prepared by NNP Working Group member Telnix, which provides additional discussion of the use of commercial agreements in the IPLRN context.

I would like to thank all of the members and the leadership of the NNP Working Group for their diligent work in creating the recommendations. Let me know if you have questions.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer K. McKee
Chair, North American Numbering Council

Attachments

¹ Letter from Kris Anne Monteith, Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau, FCC, to Jennifer K. McKee, Chairperson, NANC, <https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/DOC-361477A1.pdf> (Dec. 16, 2019).