

November 14, 2012

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Ms. Marlene Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, D.C., 20554

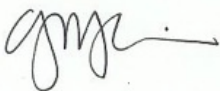
Re: Ex Parte to Toll-free Number Exhaust Forecasting/ 844 Numbering Plan Area Recommendation, CC Docket No. 95-155 and WCB Docket 12-260

Dear Secretary Dortch:

On November 8, 2012, SMS/800, Inc. (“Company”) filed a letter with the Commission in the subject dockets regarding the opening of the 844 Numbering Plan Area (“NPA”).¹ The Company recommended in its letter that the industry be notified that the 90% in-use criteria for existing toll-free number resources will occur in the first calendar quarter of 2014, with full exhaust in the fourth calendar quarter of 2015.

After submission of the letter, the Company received a request from Ms. Michelle Sclater of the Wireline Competition Bureau to provide an estimated date on which the 844 NPA should be opened. In response to this request, the Company recommends the Commission consider opening the code on or about February 15, 2014.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gina Perini". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

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¹ <http://apps.fcc.gov/ecfs/document/view?id=7022039164>