



NORTH AMERICAN NUMBERING PLAN PLANNING LETTER

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Subject: Extraordinary Jeopardy Procedures for 914 Numbering Plan Area (NPA) in New York

We have been notified by the Bell Atlantic Code Administrator that the 914 Numbering Plan Area (NPA) has number demand that has increased beyond normal forecasts and is in jeopardy of exhausting prior to when relief can be provided. According to the *Central Office Code (NXX) Assignment Guidelines* (document INC 95-0407-008), "A jeopardy condition exists when the forecasted and/or actual demand for NXX codes exceeds the known supply during the planning/implementation interval for relief." The purpose of this announcement is to provide the extraordinary NPA-specific conservation measures as defined in Section 8.5 of the *Central Office Code (NXX) Assignment Guidelines* which have become necessary for the 914 NPA.

NANPA has been advised that the 914 NPA is in extraordinary NPA-specific conservation status, and jeopardy procedures are now in effect. All remaining NXX codes in the 914 NPA will be rationed through the Code Administrator as specified in the following attachment.

Questions concerning the jeopardy procedures of the 914 NPA may be directed to Myra Walls on 410-736-6035.

Questions concerning the contents of this letter may be referred to Rose Breidenbaugh, on 202 756-5779.

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EXTRAORDINARY JEOPARDY PROCEDURES FOR NPA 914

*A copy of the request along with Appendix B (Central Office Code (NXX) Assignment Guidelines, INC 95-0407-008) or its equivalent **must** be forwarded to the commission staff (Fax no. 518-474-5616) simultaneous with submission to the code administrator. Companies/service providers are free to submit additional justification information to the PSC staff in support of the application.*

Before a code is denied, the company/service provider will be contacted.

1. Except as provided in Step 3 below, a maximum of 5 NXX codes will be assigned each month until NPA relief is provided.
2. During the first 5 business days of each month each service provider may submit its request for no more than 2 codes (1st and 2nd request). Requests should be submitted and received by the Code Administrator during the first 5 business days of the month. (see Step 7).
3. If fewer than a total of five codes (by all service providers combined) are requested during a month, the codes not requested will be added to the five codes available for the following month.
4. If more than 5 companies/service providers apply for codes per step 2, the Code Administrator will use a lottery to determine the order in which codes will be assigned. The first 5 companies/service providers will be assigned/allocated codes in the current month. Only the remaining companies/service providers will receive codes in the subsequent month(s) until each company/service provider requesting codes in the current month has been assigned 1 code. The lottery will be conducted by the 10th business day.
5. If five or fewer companies/service providers apply for codes, all companies/service providers will receive 1 code. If more than one company/service provider requests codes, a separate lottery will be used to determine which companies/service providers may be assigned a 2nd code.
6. The second code request that cannot be filled during the month that is requested will be denied.
7. Requests for codes from a future month's allocation of five codes will not be accepted in advance of the first five business days of the month.
8. Applications may be submitted to Code Administrator:
Lawrence Montle
140 West Street, Room 1150
New York, New York 10007
Tel. No. 212-285-7270
Fax No. 917-965-0102
9. This process will remain in effect until all but 30 assignable 914 NXX codes are assigned or the process is superseded by number pooling guidelines.