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Subject: Extraordinary Jeopardy Procedures for 601 NPA in Mississippi

We have been notified by the Lockheed Martin IMS - Code Administrator that the 601 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 601 NPA.

NANPA has been advised that the 601 NPA conservation status requires that the attached industry agreed upon procedures be followed. Questions concerning the jeopardy procedures may be directed to Stan Washer, NPA Relief Planner, on 205-833-6504

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

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ATTACHMENT B

601 NPA EXTRAORDINARY JEOPARDY C.O. CODE (NXX) ASSIGNMENT PROCEDURES

1. Except as provided below, a maximum of six NXX codes will be assigned each month, no more than one per service provider, until relief is provided in about May, 2000.
2. Prior to 7/27/98, code requests should be submitted to the BellSouth C.O. code administrator, Barbara Brown, via facsimile on 404-524-2918 no sooner than 8:00 AM Central Time on the second calendar day of the month. **Beginning 7/27/98 code requests should be submitted to Anthony Davi, NANPA Code Administrator – MS, via facsimile on 925-363-8714.**
3. If more than six codes are requested during a month, codes will be assigned on a first come first served basis for the first six requests received; and, the remaining requests will be returned to the applicants advising that the requests should be resubmitted the following month.
4. A service provider may receive no more than one code each month. However, if less than six service providers request a code assignment by the 15th of the month, additional NXX codes may be assigned in that month, on a first come first served basis, to those service providers who need additional numbering resources to meet their business needs.
5. If less than six codes are assigned during a month, the difference between six and the number of codes assigned will be added to the six codes available for assignment the following month.
6. Requests for codes from a future month's allocation of six codes will not be accepted in advance of 8:00 AM CT on the second calendar day of that month. **Note: For the month of August '98 the date will be 8/3/98.**
7. These modified extraordinary jeopardy NXX assignment procedures are effective on June 3, 1998, and will continue until they are further modified or until NPA relief is provided.
8. No code reservations or expedited activations will be allowed during the jeopardy period. In addition, per Section 8.4.D of the Guidelines, holders of reserved codes are being asked to voluntarily return their codes or confirm their planned activation dates.

In the first quarter of 1999, the code exhaust situation will be re-examined and these jeopardy procedures may be amended, if necessary.