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On October 26, 2000 NANPA issued Planning Letter PL-244 announcing the geographic split of the 517 NPA and the addition of the 989 NPA in Michigan.

On November 8, 2000 the Michigan Public Service Commission issued a subsequent order under Case No. U-12552, modifying the permissive and mandatory dialing dates for this NPA relief.

Permissive dialing will commence at 12:01 a.m. Eastern Time on Saturday, April 7, 2001 and will continue until 12:01 a.m. Eastern Time, Saturday, October 6, 2001. During the permissive period, either the 517 or 989 NPA code will be acceptable in a dialed number terminating in the new 989 NPA. At the end of the permissive period, all calls dialed with the incorrect NPA will be routed to intercept.

To realign with the revised permissive period, the test number for the 989 NPA will be in service from March 7, 2001 through October 6, 2001. Test calls to verify routing may be made by dialing (989) 754-2078.

General questions concerning the relief of the 517 NPA may be directed to George Light, NPA Relief Planner, NANPA on (708) 848-3838, or via e-mail to [george.light@nanpa.com](mailto:george.light@nanpa.com). Questions of a technical nature should be directed to the NPA coordinator of the appropriate service provider.