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**Re: Petition of the North American Numbering Plan Administrator,
on behalf of the North Carolina Telecommunications Industry,
for Relief of the 336 Area Code, Docket No. P-100, Sub 137c**

Dear Ms. Thigpen:

NeuStar, Inc., in its role as the North American Numbering Plan Administrator ("NANPA"), informs the North Carolina Utilities Commission that as a neutral third party administrator, it has no independent view as to the relief plan ultimately chosen by the Commission and as such, elects not to file a proposed order in the above-referenced proceeding. NANPA has reviewed a draft copy of the proposed order that the North Carolina Telecommunications Industry Task force plans to file today. NANPA has no objections to the Task Force's proposed order.

We have included 30 copies of this letter for filing. Kindly date-stamp the additional copies and return them to us via our courier. If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact the undersigned or Kimberly Wheeler.

Sincerely,

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By: 

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