

Response to NANC Questions

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Question 2

What were your assumptions regarding the projected number of NPAs requiring relief in each year over the five year period?

Answer:

The Mitretek estimate of the number of NPA relief planning activities underway in any year is based on the 23 January 1997 North American Numbering Plan Planning Letter, Number PL-NANP-038. Based on this data, we calculated the peak level. We then assumed that this peak level would be sustained once achieved. This assumption seems realistic given the current data and forecasting methods. In our price quotation, we have used the following number of simultaneous NPA relief planning activities:

Year	Number of NPA Relief Planning Activities Underway
1	26
2	67
3	71
4	71
5	71

Our calculated number of NPA relief planning activities supported is based on the following assumptions:

1. FCC selection data of 1 July 1997
2. Official start of Year 1 at 1 October 1997.

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3. The order of Mitretek Code Administration Center (MCAC) implemented per page 212 of our proposal
4. The number of annual code requests, by MCAC, per page 212 of our proposal

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Question 3

What were your assumptions regarding the number of meetings required for each NPA for planning and implementation?

Answer:

Mitretek estimated an average of four non-local (i.e., not local to one of the five Mitretek sites) meetings per NPA exhaust situation. The specific number of meetings will vary depending on the situation per the January 1997 NANPA Annual Planning Letter.

Specific travel and number of meeting assumptions are included in the detailed price information provided in our Answer to Common Question Number 3. A summary of number of meetings, for NPA Relief Planning, is:

Year	Number of NPA Relief Planning Meetings Assumed
1	51
2	43
3	33
4	46
5	22