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Re: NSD File No. L-98-03, CC Docket No. 96-98

Dear Ms. Matise:

I am writing with additional information in response to your letter of February 12.

Question 4: How many NXXs have been assigned in the 212 area code to CLECs? How many NXXs have been assigned in the 212 area code to the incumbent local exchange carrier (ILEC)?

Upon further review, there are 625 (not 626) NXX codes assigned to the ILEC in the 212 NPA.

Question 6: For each assigned NXX in each area code, please specify the contamination rate and the carrier to which it is assigned.

Analysis completed yesterday shows that Bell Atlantic has an 89 percent utilization rate in both 212 and 718.

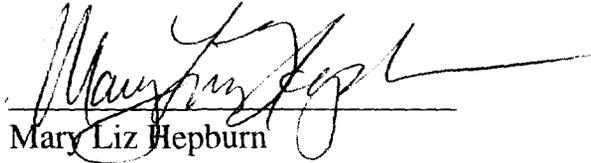
You also asked us to respond to Questions 13 and 14, concerning the availability of number pooling in New York City. As we stated at page 3 of our January 23 response to the NY DPS waiver petition, Bell Atlantic expects that it will not be able to implement number pooling until early 1999 at the earliest.

Yours truly,

Marie Breslin

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I, Mary Liz Hepburn, hereby certify that on this 25th day of February 1998, a copy of the foregoing Ex Parte was served on the following parties via overnight mail unless otherwise noted as being served by courier or by U.S. Mail.


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