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Ms. Magalie R. Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Ex parte CC Docket No. 96-115 (CPNI)

Dear Ms. Salas:

This is a response by Rebecca Talcott of GTE Network Services ("GTENS") to a request by William Kehoe of the Policy and Program Planning Division of the Common Carrier Bureau concerning GTENS capability of extracting subscriber listing information for external publishers of telephone directories.

GTENS, through its affiliate GTE Directories Corporation (GTEDC), can extract subscriber listing information based on the following types of requests:

- (1) NPA-NXX: This request is based on a list of specific NPA-NXX codes.
- (2) Community/Exchange Name: This request could be by a 4-digit exchange code, or for a community such as "Irving, TX". This would include all of the NPA-NXXs within that community or exchange.
- (3) Directory Name: The "directory name" includes all communities contained in that particular telephone directory. For example, a request for the "Irving, TX" directory would include the following communities: DFW Airport, Irving, Valley Ranch, Las Colinas, and North Grand Prairie.

All of the above extracts can be done by business only, residence only, or combined. No lists contain unlisted or non-published customer information.

GTENS systems do not presently have the capability to do an extract based on:

- (1) NPA only (we would have to work with the requestor to identify all of the NPA-NXXs or communities within the area code to develop this list).
- (2) Neighborhood (this might be possible if there were a clearly defined location, but this would have to be evaluated on a case-by-case basis).
- (3) Zip codes.

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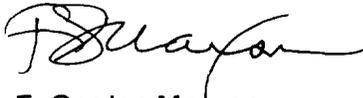
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Zip code information is not currently stored in the directory listings database. GTENS may have several different addresses for a customer, i.e., billing address, service address, and directory address (for example, respectively: centralized business billing address, 123 Main Street, and corner of Main and Second). It would be a significant undertaking to populate the directory listings database with zip codes. There is no other internal database from which we could readily pull that information, and we do not obtain the zip codes for the directory address during the customer contact. GTENS has received fewer than ten requests for listings by zip code in the past year. Due to the low demand, GTENS has not attempted to estimate what it would cost to develop this capability.

If you have further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (202) 463-5291, fax 463-5239, or e-mail gmaxson@dcoffice.gte.com.

Two copies of this notice are filed in accordance with Section 1.1206 of the Commission's Rules.

Very truly yours,



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