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Re: Long-term Database Methods for Local Number Portability (LNP)
NSD File No. L-98-27, CC Docket No. 95-116
Order, DA 98-1265 (June 26, 1998) (*Phase III Extension Order*)
BellSouth November 15 Status Report

Dear Mr. Strickling:

Pursuant to the *Phase III Extension Order*, and Rule 1.4(e)(1) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.4(e)(1), BellSouth submits its final LNP Status Report.

As reported in its October 15, 1998 Status Report, BellSouth completed the development and implementation of the functionalities associated with the three change orders (NPA splits and filtering) representing the difference between the state of BellSouth's NPAC interface developed by the former Local Number Portability Administrator (LNPA), Perot Systems, and the current LNPA, Lockheed Martin. Accordingly, there are no further software developmental efforts for BellSouth to report as these development efforts are complete.

BellSouth implemented LNP in the Atlanta MSA in compliance with the *Phase I Extension Order*¹ on August 24, 1998. During the period August 24, through November 11, 1998, 7,282 telephone numbers were ported in the Atlanta MSA.

BellSouth implemented LNP in the Miami, Ft. Lauderdale and Orlando MSAs pursuant to the *Phase II Extension Order*² on September 30, 1998. During the period September 30, through November 11, 1998, 2,232 telephone numbers were ported in these Florida MSAs.

¹ Long-Term Database Methods for Local Number Portability, NSD File No. L-98-27, CC Docket 95-116, Order, DA 98-614 (March 31, 1998).

² Long-Term Database Methods for Local Number Portability, NSD File No. L-98-27, CC Docket 95-116, Order, DA 98-917 (May 15, 1998).

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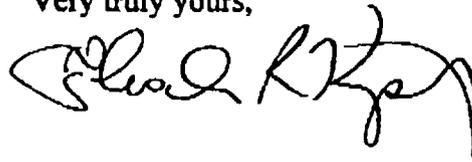
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BellSouth implemented LNP in the New Orleans, Charlotte, Greensboro and Nashville MSAs pursuant to the *Phase III Extension Order* on October 31, 1998. During the period October 31, through November 11, 1998, 348 telephone numbers were ported in these MSAs.

Through November 11, 1998, twenty (20) different competitive local exchange carriers (CLECs) have ported at least one telephone number through LNP in the Southeast NPAC Region. BellSouth remains on schedule to implement LNP in the Memphis, Louisville, Jacksonville, Raleigh, West Palm Beach and Greenville (Phase IV) MSAs by November 30, 1998, pursuant to the *Phase III Extension Order*.

A copy of this status report is being mailed to all carriers who have filed requests for extension of time within the Southeast NPAC Region, as well as all those who commented on BellSouth's earlier filed Petition.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Theodore R. Kingsley', written in a cursive style.

Theodore R. Kingsley

cc: Gayle Radley Teicher
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I Julia W. Spires, do hereby certify that I have this 16th day of November, 1998, serviced all parties to this action with the foregoing "BELLSOUTH NOVEMBER 15 STATUS REPORT" reference CC DOCKET 95-116 NSD File No. 98-27, by hand delivery or by placing a true and correct copy of the same in the United States Mail, postage prepaid addressed to the parties as set forth on the attached service list.


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