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Dear FCC,

The attached document is my assessment and comment on the transformation of the PSTN to Internet technology. This document should be part of WC Docket No. 02-361.

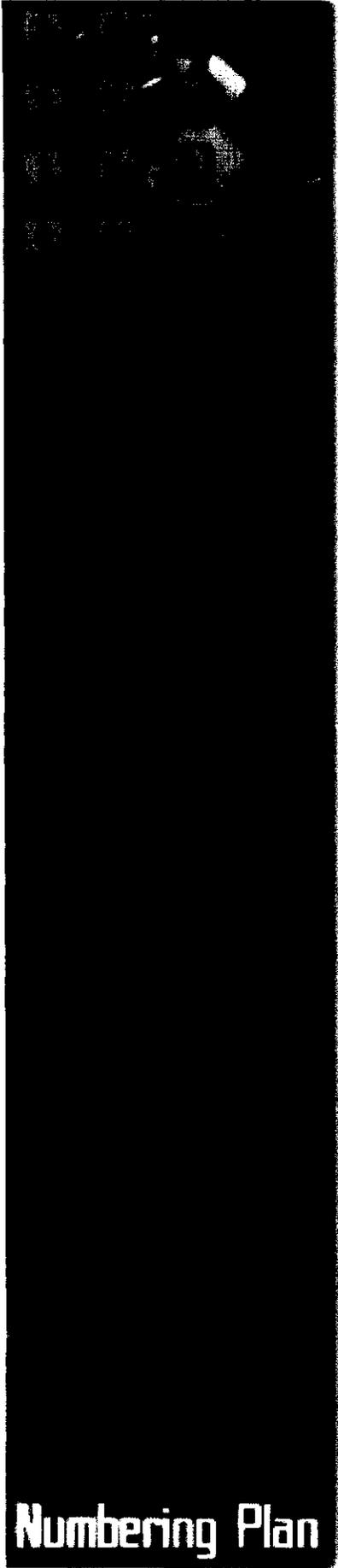
Sincerely,

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“Who is managing the PSTN?”

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Numbering Plan



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