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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of )

TELEPHONE NUMBER PORTABILITY )

UPPER PENINSULA TELEPHONE COMPANY )

Request pursuant to Rule Section 52.23(e) for  
extension of time for completion of implementation  
of local number portability in rural local exchange  
carrier network )

TO Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau )

CC Docket No 95-116

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
TO IMPLEMENT LOCAL NUMBER PORTABILITY**

Upper Peninsula Telephone Company ("UPTC"), by its attorney and pursuant to Section 52.23(e) of the Commission's Rules, hereby requests extensions of time to implement local number portability ("LNP") in eighteen (18) of the nineteen (19) rural telephone exchanges in its network. The extensions are necessary because the eighteen UPTC exchanges are currently served by vintage REDCOM MDX switches that are not LNP-capable, and that consequently must be replaced. As shown on the following table, the eighteen non-LNP-capable exchanges include 14 exchanges with less than 500 access lines.

Exchanges with greater than 1,000 access lines	1
Exchanges with 500 to 1,000 access lines	3
Exchanges with 250 to 500 access lines	5
Exchanges with 100 to 250 access lines	6
Exchanges with less than 100 access lines	3

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## Upper Peninsula Telephone Company

UPTC is a rural telephone company that serves nineteen local exchanges (approximately 7,500 total access lines) in northern Michigan. The UPTC network currently is 19 discrete exchanges (i.e., there is no “network” between these exchanges, per se). UPTC connects to the RBOC at a local point-of-interface specific to each exchange. Its service area encompasses approximately 2,995 square miles, and includes rural communities scattered throughout the Upper Peninsula of Michigan (in Baraga, Chippewa, Dickinson, Gogebic, Houghton, Iron, Luce, Mackinac, Marquette, Menominee, and Ontonagon counties), as well as rural communities in northern Michigan below the Straits of Mackinac (in Crawford, Kalkaska, Mecosta, Montcalm, Otsego, and Presque Isle counties). UPTC’s largest exchange is its Chester exchange (approximately 1,285 access lines), located near Johannesburg in Otsego and Crawford counties in Michigan. UPTC’s average exchange size is slightly less than 400 access lines.

UPTC has been an operating local exchange carrier since 1927. It currently has 37 full-time employees, including three central office technicians and eleven outside plant, construction or installation/maintenance technical personnel.

In 2002, UPTC began a comprehensive planning process to consider the switching and outside plant needs of the company for the next five to ten years. Included in the analysis were short-term needs as well as a long-term plan to upgrade or replace the REDCOM MDX switches that it had been using for its exchanges since the late 1980s and early 1990s. It hired a consulting engineering firm, Kadrmas, Lee & Jackson, Inc (“KLJ”), to prepare an engineering design and a strategic capital expenditure plan to replace all nineteen REDCOM MDX switches. The plan, which was delivered in 2002, called for the replacement of UPTC’s switches over a five-to-seven year period, starting with the larger exchanges. UPTC’s eighteen REDCOM

switches cannot be replaced within a significantly shorter period because (1) UPTC cannot reasonably bear or justify the substantial capital expenditures (which can exceed \$1 million per exchange) to replace all nineteen of its switches at the same time, (2) UPTC needs substantial time to apply for and obtain Rural Utilities Service ("RUS") or other affordable loan financing for its switch replacements; (3) UPTC cannot hope to order and obtain delivery of eighteen new switches from its vendor or vendors within a brief period, and (4) UPTC does not have sufficient technical personnel to install, test, de-bug and cut-over more than four or five new switches per year without adversely impacting the quality of the service provided to its customers.

In 2003, UPTC commenced the first phase of its switch replacement program by replacing the REDCOM MDX switch at its Chester exchange (approximately 1,285 access lines) with a Siemens EWSD Class 5 switch. In addition to the \$899,274 cost of the switch replacement, UPTC spent an additional \$282,617 to install Next Generation Digital Loop Carriers (DLCs) in its Chester exchange. As a result of these upgrades, UPTC's largest exchange is currently LNP-capable.

The second phase of the program was originally scheduled to include replacement of the switches of UPTC's Carney, Faithorn, Grace Harbor, Rexton and Wallace exchanges during 2004. The switch replacement for the Carney exchange alone (approximately 956 access lines) was projected to cost \$1.14 million, plus another \$188,741 for Next Generation DLCs. However, as indicated below, the second phase has been impacted by LNP requirements and technology changes.

On or about November 18, 2003, UPTC received the attached form letter from Verizon Wireless which indicated that "the FCC has recently reiterated the pre-existing deadlines for local number porting for wireless and wireline carriers operating outside the Top 100 MSAs" and

that “Verizon Wireless would like to begin to complete a Service Level Agreement (SLA) to ensure a smooth transition to number portability ” Neither the Verizon Wireless letter nor the attachments thereto provide any indication as to the particular UPTC exchanges, if any, in which Verizon Wireless is requesting LNP. To the best of UPTC’s knowledge, information and belief, Verizon Wireless currently provides wireless service only in a portion of UPTC’s exchanges in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan. Wireless service in the Upper Peninsula is not very prevalent at this time.

The November 18, 2003 letter from Verizon Wireless is the only communication that UPTC has received from a wireless or wireline carrier relating to LNP. UPTC does not believe that the Verizon Wireless letter constitutes a “bona fide request” for LNP because it does not identify in which (if any) of UPTC’s nineteen exchanges Verizon Wireless desires number porting. However, out of an abundance of caution, UPTC is submitting this extension petition in case the Commission determines that the non-specific Verizon Wireless form letter constitutes a “bona fide request” for LNP in one or more of UPTC’s eighteen REDCOM-equipped exchanges.

UPTC is ready and able to port numbers from its LNP-capable Chester exchange to Verizon Wireless and other carriers as of May 24, 2004. Because Chester is its largest exchange and because Chester is located in the Lower Peninsula where wireless service is more readily available, UPTC expects that the largest portion of any demand for the porting of numbers to other carriers will be found in Chester.

However, the REDCOM MDX switches in UPTC’s eighteen other exchanges do not have the requisite hardware and software, nor adequate processing power and memory, to provide the Signaling System Seven (“SS7”) functionality and related database system connectivity needed for LNP. Moreover, REDCOM does not appear to have available relatively

straightforward and economical upgrades to provide LNP capability. Rather, UPTC's existing REDCOM MDX switches must be substantially replaced by newer REDCOM MDX-I switches, or switches from another vendor. Therefore, UPTC is requesting an extension of time to allow it to replace the eighteen switches in an orderly and financially reasonable manner

#### **UPTC Is Unable To Meet The Commission's Deployment Schedule**

The simple fact is that UPTC's eighteen existing REDCOM MDX switches are not LNP-capable, and cannot be made LNP-capable by any readily available software upgrade or patch. These are older switches that have been in service for over ten years, and that lack the hardware, software, processing power and memory to accommodate the SS7 functionality and database connectivity needed for LNP. Rather, all eighteen switches must be replaced.

This switch replacement cannot be accomplished within the six months afforded by Section 52.23(c) of the Rules. A rural telephone company like UPTC cannot select, finance, order, obtain delivery, install, de-bug and cut-over eighteen new switches within six months. Even in the unlikely event that lenders and vendors give the project their top priority, such a major undertaking requires several years of careful planning and execution by a rural telephone company with three central office technicians (and fourteen technical personnel overall) to avoid major service outages and disruptions.

#### **Activities Undertaken By UPTC To Meet Implementation Schedule**

In November 2003, UPTC requested bids for replacement switches for its Carney, Faithorn, Grace Harbor, Rexton and Wallace exchanges. Nortel chose not to bid. UPTC received bids from Siemens, and from three softswitch vendors (CopperCom, Taqua and

Santera) These bids were opened on December 16, 2003, and were given to the KLJ engineers for evaluation.

Due to the rapidly changing switching technology, the company determined that it was important to consider Next Generation softswitches when making long-term switching investments rather than just continue installing the “legacy” type of switch that had been installed in Chester in 2003 (and which had been planned to be installed at the other locations) In light of ongoing technology changes and industry trends, softswitches may meet UPTC’s service needs more efficiently and effectively than traditional circuit switches. At the same time, UPTC must make sure that any softswitches it selects meet RUS specifications so that it can obtain RUS financing.

In March 2004, UPTC representatives and engineering consultants visited two of the softswitch vendors who had provided bids in December 2003. Currently, UPTC’s consulting engineers are preparing an alternative engineering plan, comparing softswitch features and costs, and seeking additional information regarding specific concerns. If, after completing this analysis, the engineers recommend replacement of the REDCOM MDX switches with softswitches, UPTC will need to obtain RUS approval before proceeding with its order.

**Particular Switches for which Extension is Requested**

UPTC is requesting extensions for its REDCOM MDX switches at the following eighteen exchanges.

<u>Exchange</u>	<u>CLLI Code</u>	<u>Approximate Number of Access Lines</u>
Amble	AMBLMIXJDSO	280
Carney	CRNYMIXJDSO	956
Donken	DNKNMIXIDSO	423
Drummond Island	DRISMIXIDSO	1,142

<u>Exchange</u>	<u>CLLI Code</u>	<u>Approximate Number of Access Lines</u>
Faithorn	FTHRMIXISGO	133
Felch	FLCHMIXIDSO	745
Fence River	FNRVMIXIDSO	102
Grace Harbor	GRHRMIXIDSO	182
Lake Gogebic	LKGOMICISGO	310
Manistee River	MVRMIXIDSO	66
Marenisco	MRNSMIXIDSO	289
Michigamme Forest	MHGFMIXIDSO	108
North Land O Lakes	NLNDMIXIDSO	429
Rexton	RXTNMIXIDSO	154
Scott Point	SCPTMIXIDSO	37
Smoky Lake	MIYEMIXJRSO	78
Wallace	WLLCMIXADSO	616
Watson	WTMQMIXIDSO	196

#### **Time Within Which UPTC Will Complete Deployment**

UPTC expects to receive KLJ's revised engineering evaluation within the next few weeks, and to select a switch vendor very shortly thereafter. Whether UPTC opts to continue installing Siemens circuit switches or to install new softswitches, it believes that it will be able to obtain, install and cut-over new switches for approximately four or five exchanges every nine-to-twelve months. Hence, assuming relatively prompt RUS approval of its loan applications, UPTC expects that it will take from 40 to 50 months to replace all eighteen of its REDCOM switches.

UPTC has explored the consolidation of the switches for its nineteen exchanges. However, because these exchanges are scattered throughout northern Michigan, it has never previously been determined to be feasible or economical to consolidate switching facilities. Hence, at present, it appears that all eighteen REDCOM switches will have to be replaced.

### Proposed Schedule With Milestones

UPTC will minimize inconvenience to other carriers and to customers desiring to port their numbers by replacing the switches in its larger exchanges first, once the previously scheduled second phase of its switch replacement project is completed. Assuming prompt RUS approval, its proposed switch replacement schedule is as follows:

<u>Exchange</u>	<u>Scheduled Completion of Switch Replacement</u>
Carney (956 access lines)	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter 2005
Wallace (616 access lines)	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter 2005
Grace Harbor (182 access lines)	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter 2005
Rexton (154 access lines)	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter 2005
Faithorn (133 access lines)	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter 2005
Drummond Island (1,142 access lines)	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2005
Felch (745 access lines)	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2005
Watson (196 access lines- do with Felch)	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2005
Donken (423 access lines)	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2006
Amble (280 access lines)	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2006
Fence River (102 access lines)	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2006
Michigamme Forest (108 access lines)	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2006
Manistee River (66 access lines)	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2006
Lake Gogebic (310 access lines)	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2007
Marenisco (289 access lines – do with Lake Gogebic)	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2007
North Land O Lakes (429 access lines)	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2007
Smoky Lake (78 access lines – do with North Land O Lakes)	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2007
Scott Point (37 access lines)	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter 2007

### Conclusion

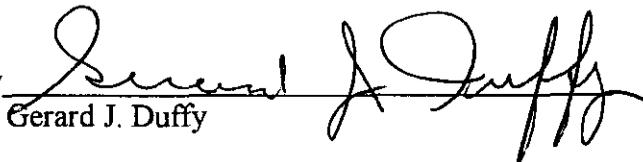
Because its eighteen existing REDCOM MDX switches are not LNP-capable and must be replaced, UPTC requests extensions of time to implement LNP in eighteen (18) of its nineteen (19) rural telephone exchanges. UPTC has acted diligently to develop a switch replacement plan and schedule, but needs the requested additional time to select, finance, order, obtain delivery, install, de-bug and cut-over eighteen new switches. This is a prodigious task for a small

company that serves only 7,500 total access lines scattered over a non-contiguous 2,995 square mile service area, and that has only fourteen technical personnel (including only three central office technicians) It simply cannot be accomplished in six months or even twelve months, but rather will take 40 to 50 months to complete in an orderly and reasonable fashion without disrupting or degrading the service provided to UPTC's rural customers

Even if Verizon Wireless has in fact requested LNP in some unspecified UPTC exchanges, it will not be injured by the requested extension. Verizon Wireless will be able to obtain number porting in UPTC's largest exchange (Chester) as of May 24, 2004, and has not identified the other UPTC exchanges (if any) in which it desires LNP. Given that Verizon Wireless does not currently provide wireless service in substantial portions of Michigan's Upper Peninsula, it appears that it will not need LNP in a significant number of UPTC's exchanges during the next few years.

Hence, the Commission is respectfully requested to grant the requested extensions, and to allow UPTC to provide LNP as its REDCOM MTX switches are replaced according to the schedule on Page 8 of this petition.

Respectfully submitted,  
**UPPER PENINSULA TELEPHONE COMPANY**

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Interconnection/Numbering/Mandates



Verizon Wireless  
2785 Mitchell Drive MS 7-1  
Walnut Creek, CA 94598

November 18, 2003

IMMEDIATE ATTENTION REQUESTED

Upper Peninsula Telephone Co.  
397 U.S. Hwy. 41 N  
Carney, MI 49812

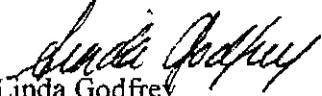
Re: Local Number Portability

Dear G. Matthews:

The FCC has recently reiterated the pre-existing deadlines for local number porting for wireless and wireline carriers operating outside the Top 100 MSAs, effective May 24, 2004. Verizon Wireless Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless would like to begin to complete a Service Level Agreement (SLA) to ensure a smooth transition to number portability by establishing procedures to govern the exchange of information during the porting process. Specifically, an SLA would serve several purposes: memorialize the intercarrier communications processes that the two carriers intend to follow, capture appropriate porting center and trouble contacts, and contain the parties' agreement to successfully facilitate porting customers. If you have not already received a copy of our SLA, you can obtain one by contacting Sharon Cañas at 925-279-6122 or email [Sharon.Canas@VerizonWireless.com](mailto:Sharon.Canas@VerizonWireless.com).

If negotiating an SLA is not possible in the next few weeks before the LNP deadline, Verizon Wireless's immediate concern is in obtaining, at minimum, a Trading Partner Profile (TPP). The TPP would provide basic factual information necessary to accomplish portability and would include those entities covered by the profile and any back-office or porting center contacts. Verizon Wireless plans to integrate this information into its information systems and also provide it to personnel staffing our porting center. Whether or not an SLA is ultimately executed, sharing this type of factual information is necessary to facilitate porting as well as fallout resolution. In this regard, we have enclosed a copy of the TPP with appropriate contact information.

Please include a response to this request along with a point of contact for provision of TPP information and/or SLA discussions in a letter or email addressed to the undersigned. Thank you for your immediate attention and cooperation.

  
Linda Godfrey  
Member of Technical Staff  
Interconnection Numbering and Mandates  
Headquarters Network Operations Staff

Enclosure

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## **WIRELINE TRADING PARTNER PROFILE**

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**Part A  
Trading Partner Profile**

**For Verizon Wireless:**

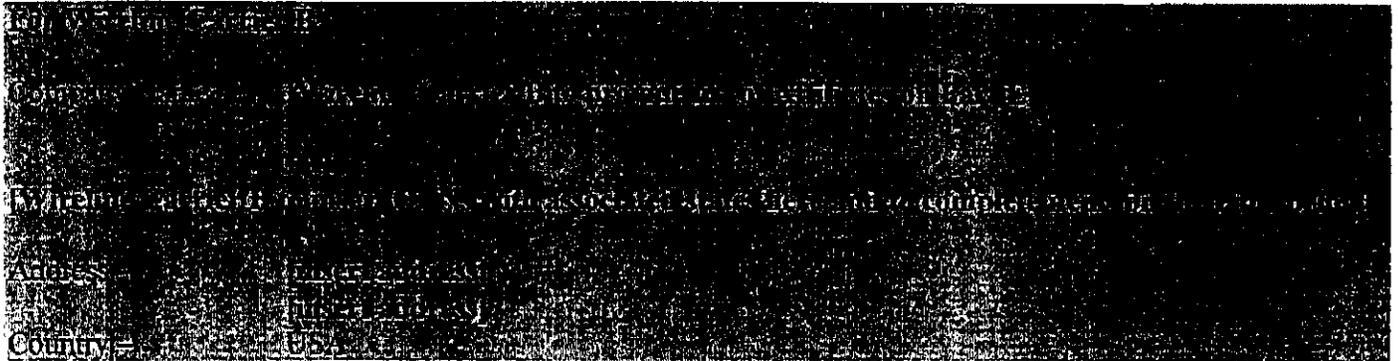
Company Name – Verizon Wireless (Verizon Wireless Affiliates are identified in Part E hereto)  
Administrative OCN - G056

**OCN LIST FOR VERIZON  
WIRELESS**

STATE	OCN	STATE	OCN
AL	6804	MT	6564
AR	6805	NE	5807
AZ	6572	NC	6324
CA	6006	ND	6568
CO	6567	NH	6386
CT	6388	NV	6458
DC	6402	NJ	6391
DE	6393	NY	6959
FL	6502	NM	6573
GA	6540	OH	6025
HI	6516	OK	5813
IA	6570	OR	6523
ID	6565	PA	6392
IL	6333	RI	6389
IN	6725	SC	6398
KS	6532	SD	6569
KY	6500	TN	6673
LA	6505	TX	6506
ME	6386	UT	6571
MA	6387	VA	6827
MD	6395	VT	6390
MS	6396	WV	6394
MO	5814	WA	6246
MN	5816	WI	6508
MI	6003	WY	6566

Verizon Wireless Service Order Activation System SPID - 6006  
 Verizon Wireless Local Service Management System SPID - 0572, 6827

Address - Port Center  
 300 River Rock Blvd  
 Murfreesboro, TN 37128  
 Country - USA



CONTACT	Item	Verizon Wireless	Wireline Carrier B
	Effective Date		
	Note: The above contact is also assumed to be the first point of contact for profile changes.		
	Contact Name	Verizon Wireless Port Center	
	Contact Description	Port Center - General Information	
	Phone Number	800-243-2092 (not available until 1/24/03)	

OPERATIONS	Item	Verizon Wireless	Wireline Carrier B
	... Common information for testing and production environments ...		
	Administrative OCN	G056	
	Administrative Authorized Exchange Carrier Name (if applicable)	EBAW	
	Holiday Days (List Days)	N/A	
	Holiday time begin (hh:mm)	N/A	
Holiday time end (hh:mm)	N/A		
... for Testing ...			

Service Provider SOA ID (SPID)	6006	
LSMS SPID	0572, 6827	
WPR / LSR Version ID	Preference to latest industry-supported version. WPR is for WLS-WLN porting, LSR is for WLN-WLS.	
WPRR / FOC Version ID	Preference to latest industry-supported version.	
Time Zone (PST, MST, CST, EST)	Coordinated per Time Zone, per contact information in Part B.	
Business days (Sun, Mon, etc.)	Testing to be coordinated per contact information in Part B	
Business day begin (hh:mm)	Testing to be coordinated per contact information in Part B	
Business day end (hh:mm)	Testing to be coordinated per contact information in Part B	
<b>... for Production ...</b>		
Service Provider SOA ID (Verizon Wireless SPID)	6006	
LSMS SPID	0572, 6827	
WPR / LSR Version ID	LSOG (most current version) WPR is for WLS-WLN porting, LSR is for WLN-WLS.	
WPRR / FOC Version ID	LSOG (most current version)	
Time Zone (PST, MST, CST, EST)	24x7x365	
Business days (Sun, Mon, etc.)	24x7x365	
Business day begin (hh:mm)		
Business day end (hh:mm)		

C	Item	Verizon Wireless	Wireline Carrier B
O	<b>... for Testing ...</b>		
R	Porting Method: Primary,	Current, Test Env = Telcordia	
B	Secondary, N/A	SMG 4.2.0.50 (WICIS 2.x)	
A	ICP Package/Application ("send to")	SMG 4.2: 205.174.188.227	
	ICP Physical Server ("receive from")	SMG 4.2: 205.174.188.229	
	Failover ICP Server	SMG 4.2: 205.174.188.228	
	SOA Application	SMG 4.2: 205.174.188.226	

SOA Server	SMG 4.2: 205.174.188.229	
Failover SOA Server	SMG 4.2: 205.174.188.229	
Application Port Information	Test Env 2 = 26233	
Naming Service / IOR	Static IP (or N/A)	
DLCI (Frame Relay usage)	N/A	
LDAP Provider	N/A	
Security Requirements	N/A	
Firewall Requirements	Allow TCP and UDP traffic	
SSL Requirements	N/A	
Proprietary Requirements	N/A	
Service IDL version	N/A	
Implementation OMG standard compliant?	Yes	
<b>... for Testing OMG CORBA Standards Supported ...</b>		
<b>Verizon Wireless</b>		<b>Wireline Carrier B</b>
<b>Vendor</b>	Borland	<b>Vendor</b>
<b>Verizon Wireless Product Name/Version</b>	CORBA	<b>Product Name/Version</b>
<b>OMG CORBA Version</b>	Corba IDL 2.1	<b>OMG CORBA Version</b>
<b>IIOP Version</b>		
<b>... for Production ...</b>		
<b>Porting Method: Primary, Secondary, N/A</b>	Current Production = SMG 4.2	
ICP Package/Application ("send to")	SMG 4.2: 205.140.9.27 205.140.9.29	
ICP Physical Server ("receive from")	SMG 4.2: 205.140.9.17 205.140.9.19	
Failover ICP Server	SMG 4.2: 205.140.9.16 205.140.9.18	
SOA Application	SMG 4.2: 205.140.9.26 205.140.9.28	
SOA Server	SMG 4.2: 205.140.9.16 205.140.9.18	
Failover SOA Server	SMG 4.2: 205.140.9.17 205.140.9.19	
Application Port Information	26232 (setup as "2" + SPID)	
Naming Service / IOR	Static IP (or N/A)	
DLCI (Frame Relay usage)	N/A	
LDAP Provider	N/A	
Security Requirements	N/A	
Security Requirements	N/A	

Firewall Requirements	Allow TCP and UDP traffic		
SSL Requirements	N/A		
Proprietary Requirements	N/A		
Service IDL version	N/A		
Implementation OMG standard compliant?	Yes		
<b>... for Production OMG CORBA Standards Supported ...</b>			
Verizon Wireless		Wireline Carrier B	
Vendor	Borland	Vendor	
Verizon Wireless Product Name/Version	CORBA	Wireline Product Name/Version	
OMG CORBA Version	Corba IDL 2.1	OMG CORBA Version	

F A X	Item	Verizon Wireless	Wireline Carrier B
		<b>... for Testing ...</b>	
	Porting Method: Primary, Secondary, Low Tech Interface, LTI		
	Fax number (machine printed forms)	1-813-209-5983	
	Fax number (hand printed forms)	1-813-209-5982	
	<b>... for Production ...</b>		
	Porting Method: Primary, Secondary, N/A		
	Fax number (machine printed forms)	1-813-209-5983	
	Fax number (hand printed forms)	1-813-209-5982	
	NOTE: When responding to one of our port requests, please respond to the Return Fax Number on the port request.		

E D I	Item	Verizon Wireless	Wireline Carrier B
		<b>... for Testing ...</b>	
	Porting Method: Primary, Secondary, Low Tech Interface (LTI)		
	Specific EDI Requirements	N/A	
	<b>... for Production ...</b>		
	Porting Method: Primary, Secondary, N/A		
	Specific EDI Requirements	N/A	

O T H E R	Item	Verizon Wireless	Wireline Carrier B
	... for Testing ...		
	Porting Method: Primary, Secondary, N/A		
	Other Communication Requirements		
	... for Production ...		
	Porting Method: Primary, Secondary, N/A		
	Other Communication Requirements		

The carriers agree that information contained in this Part A is operational in nature and subject to change.

The carriers agree to make every effort to give the other carrier thirty (30) days' notice of any changes to its information pursuant to the General Contact Information set forth in Part A.

**The carriers' contact information contained in this Trading Partner Profile is for the sole purpose of carrier-to-carrier communication and not for distribution to customers and/or end users.**

## Part B – General Contact Information and Trouble Reporting Contact Information

### For Verizon Wireless:

#### General Contact Information

#### Wireless-Wireline Porting:

##### Verizon Wireless Porting Center

Hours of Operation: 24 x 7 x 365 (open all holiday's, no exceptions)  
 Address: 300 River Rock Blvd.  
 Murfreesboro, TN 37128  
 Phone: 1-800-488-2002

##### Porting Center Carrier Relations

Contact: Associate Director of Inter-Carrier Relations  
 Phone: 1-800-711-9300  
 Fax: 1-615-372-2411  
 Hours: 8:00am to 5:00pm (Central Time)  
 E-mail: [PortCenterICR@GL.VerizonWireless.com](mailto:PortCenterICR@GL.VerizonWireless.com)

##### Pre-Launch (Pre-11/24/03) Inter-Carrier Test Scheduling

Contact: Wireline Inter-Carrier Test Coordinator  
 Phone: 1-248-915-3430  
 Fax: 1-248-915-3799  
 E-mail: [Marie.Moore@VerizonWireless.com](mailto:Marie.Moore@VerizonWireless.com)

##### Post-Launch (Post-11/24/03) Inter-Carrier Test Scheduling

Contact: Inter-Carrier Relations  
 Phone: 1-800-711-9300  
 Fax: 1-615-372-2411  
 E-mail: [PortCenterICR@GL.VerizonWireless.com](mailto:PortCenterICR@GL.VerizonWireless.com)

#### Trouble Reporting Contact Information

Process: The Verizon Wireless Porting Center is the initial interface for all trouble resolution activity associated with porting numbers. The Porting Center will refer issues to the appropriate internal Network or provisioning group for resolution within Verizon Wireless.

#### Trouble Area:

ICP/General Trouble Reporting

Phone: 1-800-711-9300  
 Fax: 1-615-372-2425  
 E-mail: [YZWLNPGeneral@GL.VerizonWireless.com](mailto:YZWLNPGeneral@GL.VerizonWireless.com)

Disaster Recovery

Contact: Porting Center Resource Manager  
 Phone: 1-800-711-9300  
 Fax: 1-615-372-2425  
 E-mail: [PCLNPTNC@GL.VerizonWireless.com](mailto:PCLNPTNC@GL.VerizonWireless.com)

CORBA:

Contact: TSI Hotline  
 Phone: 1-800-892-2888  
 Fax: 1-813-273-3164  
 E-mail: [Hotline@tsiconnections.com](mailto:Hotline@tsiconnections.com); Subject: Customer#: WLNP

**For Wireline Carrier B:**

**General Contact Information**

[contact]

Hours of Operation:  
Address:

[contact]

Phone:  
Fax:

**Trouble Reporting Contact Information**

**Trouble Area:**

ICP/General Trouble Reporting

Phone:  
Fax:  
E-mail:

Disaster Recovery

Contact:  
Phone:  
Fax:  
E-mail:

CORBA:

Contact:  
Phone:  
Fax:  
E-mail:

Note: Each carrier shall make available a Porting Administration Group or Trouble Reporting contact on a 24x7x365 basis.

The Trouble Reporting Contacts may be amended from time to time by a carrier upon providing thirty (30) days' written notice to the other at the General Contact Information set forth in this Part A.

**The carriers' contact information contained in this Trading Partner Profile is for the sole purpose of carrier-to-carrier communication and not for distribution to customers and/or end users.**

### **Part C – Trouble Ticket Detail**

#### **For Verizon Wireless:**

##### **Information Required For Logging Trouble Tickets\***

The following may be required for trouble reports:

- Carrier Name;
- Reporting Carrier organization;
- SPID and associated OCN(s);
- Point of Contact Name;
- Point of Contact Number;
- Porting Telephone Number/MDN;
- LRN;
- Time and Date of Port;
- Associated Error Codes;
- Description of Problem; and
- Other relevant data.

#### **For Wireline Carrier B:**

##### **Information Required For Logging Trouble Tickets\***

The following is proposed information for trouble reports:

- Carrier Name;
- Reporting Carrier organization;
- SPID and associated OCN(s);
- Point of Contact Name;
- Point of Contact Number;
- Porting Telephone Number/MDN;
- LRN;
- Time and Date of Port,
- Associated Error Codes;
- Description of Problem; and
- Other relevant data.

\*Each carrier shall make available a Porting Administration Group or Trouble Reporting contact on a 24x7x365 basis.

**The carriers contact information contained in this Trading Partner Profile is for the sole purpose of carrier-to-carrier communication and not for distribution to customers and/or end users.**

**Part D -- Porting Validation Standards****For Verizon Wireless:**

## Information Required For Post-Paid Port Validation:

1. Billing Last Name
2. Business Name if no information for Billing Name
3. Five Digit Zip Code
4. SSN/Tax ID Number
5. Account Number if no SSN or Tax ID
6. Porting Telephone Number

## Information Required for Pre-Paid Port Validation:

1. Porting Telephone Number
2. Password/PIN

**For Wireline Carrier B:**

## Information Required For Post-Paid Port Validation:

## Information Required for Pre-Paid Port Validation:

Note: Other than those mandatory data items set forth in Section 3.3.1 of the WICIS, the above shall be the only information which may be utilized by a carrier to this Trading Partner Profile to validate a port request for post-paid numbers. "Delay" or "denial" of ports between the carriers shall occur only in the event a carrier is unable to complete the validation of those validation elements expressly set forth above. Once validated, the Carriers shall be obligated to complete the porting transaction. Any variations or proposed changes in the agreed data fields noted above shall be communicated to the other carrier at the information provided in Part B.

## Part E – Affiliate Lists

### For Verizon Wireless:

Allentown SMSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Bell Atlantic Mobile Systems of Allentown, Inc., Its General Partner

Anderson CellTelCo d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Athens Cellular, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Wireless

Badlands Cellular of North Dakota Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By: CommNet Cellular Inc., Its Managing Agent

Bell Atlantic Mobile of Asheville, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Wireless

Bell Atlantic Mobile of Rochester, LP d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Upstate Cellular Network, Its General Partner  
 By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Binghamton MSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By NYNEX Mobile of New York Limited Partnership, Its General Partner  
 By Upstate Cellular Network, Its General Partner  
 By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Bismarck MSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Cellular Inc. Network Corporation, Its General Partner

Boise City MSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, Its General Partner

California RSA No. 4 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Pinnacles Cellular, Inc., Its General Partner

Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless

Cellular Inc. Network Corporation d/b/a Verizon Wireless

Chicago 10 MHz LLC d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Cellco Partnership, Its Sole Member

Chicago SMSA LP d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Colorado 7 – Saguache Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By: CommNet Cellular Inc., Its Managing Agent

Colorado RSA No. 3 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, Its General Partner

CommNet Cellular License Holding LLC d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Cellular Inc. Financial Corporation, Its Sole Member

CyberTel Cellular Telephone Company d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Dallas MTA, LP d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Verizon Wireless Texas, LLC, Its General Partner

Danville Cellular Telephone Company Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Des Moines MSA General Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, Its General Partner

Dubuque MSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
 By Southwestco Wireless, LP, Its General Partner  
 By Southwestco Wireless, Inc., Its General Partner

Duluth MSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By AirTouch Minnesota, LLC, Its General Partner  
By Cellco Partnership, Its Sole Member

Eastern South Dakota Cellular, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Wireless

Fayetteville Cellular Telephone Company Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Fresno MSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Gadsden CellTelCo Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Gila River Cellular General Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its Managing General Partner

Gold Creek Cellular of Montana Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellular Inc. Network Corporation, Its General Partner

Grays Harbor-Mason Cellular Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, Its General Partner

GTE Mobilnet of California Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

GTE Mobilnet of Florence, Alabama Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless

GTE Mobilnet of Fort Wayne Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated, Its General Partner

GTE Mobilnet of Indiana Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated, Its General Partner

GTE Mobilnet of Indiana RSA #3 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated, Its General Partner

GTE Mobilnet of Indiana RSA #6 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated, Its General Partner

GTE Mobilnet of Santa Barbara Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

GTE Mobilnet of South Texas Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By San Antonio MTA LP, Its General Partner  
By Verizon Wireless Texas, LLC, Its General Partner

GTE Mobilnet of Terre Haute Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated, Its General Partner

GTE Mobilnet of Texas RSA #17 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By San Antonio MTA LP, Its General Partner  
By Verizon Wireless Texas, LLC, Its General Partner

GTE Mobilnet of Texas RSA #21 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By San Antonio MTA LP, Its General Partner  
By Verizon Wireless Texas, LLC, Its General Partner

GTE Mobilnet of the Southwest LLC d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its Sole Member

GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless

Hamilton Cellular Telephone Company d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By New Par, Its General Partner  
By Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, Its General Partner

Idaho 6 – Clark Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By: CommNet Cellular Inc., Its Managing Agent

Idaho RSA No. 1 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, Its General Partner

Idaho RSA No. 2 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, Its General Partner

Idaho RSA 3 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, Its General Partner

Illinois RSA 1 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated, Its General Partner

Illinois RSA 6 and 7 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Illinois SMSA Limited Partnership, Its General Partner  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Illinois SMSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Indiana RSA #1 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated, Its General Partner

Indiana RSA 2 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Iowa 8 – Monona Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By CommNet Cellular Inc., Its Managing Agent

Iowa RSA 5 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated, Its General Partner

Iowa RSA 10 General Partnership  
By Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, Its Manager

Iowa RSA No. 4 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated, Its General Partner

Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Los Angeles SMSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By AirTouch Cellular, Its General Partner

Missouri Valley Cellular, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By CommNet Cellular, Inc., Its Managing Agent

Modoc RSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By AirTouch Cellular, Its General Partner

Muskegon Cellular Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, Its General Partner

NC-2 LLC d/b/a Verizon Wireless

New Hampshire RSA 2 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

New Mexico RSA 3 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By GTE Mobilnet of the Southwest LLC, Its General Partner  
By Cellco Partnership, its Sole Member

New Mexico RSA 6-1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By GTE Mobilnet of the Southwest LLC, Its General Partner  
By Cellco Partnership, Its Sole Member

New Mexico RSA No. 5 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By GTE Mobilnet of the Southwest LLC, Its General Partner  
By Cellco Partnership, Its Sole Member

New Par d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, Its General Partner

New York RSA 2 Cellular Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Upstate Cellular Network, Its General Partner  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

- New York RSA No. 3 Cellular Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Upstate Cellular Network, Its General Partner
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner
- New York SMSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner
- North Central RSA 2 of North Dakota Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By CommNet Cellular Inc., Its Managing Agent
- North Dakota 5 - Kidder Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By CommNet Cellular Inc., Its Managing Agent
- North Dakota RSA No. 3 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By AirTouch North Dakota, LLC, Its General Partner
- Northeast Pennsylvania SMSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner
- Northern New Mexico Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Cellular Inc. Network Corporation, Its General Partner
- Northwest Dakota Cellular of North Dakota Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By CommNet Cellular Inc., Its Managing Agent
- NYNEX Mobile Limited Partnership 1 d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner
- NYNEX Mobile Limited Partnership 2 d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner
- NYNEX Mobile of New York, LP d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Upstate Cellular Network, Its General Partner
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner
- Olympia Cellular Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, Its General Partner
- Omaha Cellular Telephone Company d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By AirTouch Nebraska, LLC, Its General Partner
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its Sole Member
- Orange County-Poughkeepsie Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Verizon Wireless of the East LP, Its General Partner
  - By Verizon Wireless of Georgia LLC, Its General Partner
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its Sole Member
- Oxnard-Ventura-Simi Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By AirTouch Cellular, Its General Partner
- Pennsylvania 3 Sector 2 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner
- Pennsylvania 4 Sector 2 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner
- Pennsylvania RSA 1 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner
- Pennsylvania RSA No. 6 (I) Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner
- Pennsylvania RSA No. 6 (II) Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner
- Pittsburgh SMSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner
- Pittsfield Cellular Telephone Company d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner
- Platte River Cellular of Colorado Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless
  - By CommNet Cellular Inc., Its Managing Agent

Portland Cellular Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Celco Partnership, Its General Partner

Pueblo Cellular, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Wireless

Redding MSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Sacramento Valley Limited Partnership, Its General Partner  
By AirTouch Cellular, Its General Partner

Rockford MSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated, Its General Partner

RSA 7 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By AirTouch Iowa RSA 7, LLC, Its Managing Partner  
By Celco Partnership, Its Sole Member

Sacramento Valley Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By AirTouch Cellular, Its General Partner

San Antonio MTA, L.P. d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Verizon Wireless Texas, LLC, Its General Partner

San Isabel Cellular of Colorado Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By: CommNet Cellular Inc., Its Managing Agent

Sanborn Cellular, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By CommNet Cellular, Inc., Its Managing Agent

Sangre De Cristo Cellular, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By CommNet Cellular, Inc., Its Managing Agent

Seattle SMSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Celco Partnership, Its General Partner

Sioux City MSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellular Inc. Network Corporation, Its General Partner

Smoky Hill Cellular of Colorado Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By CommNet Cellular Inc., Its Managing Agent

Southern & Central Wireless, LLC d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Celco Partnership, Its Sole Member

Southern Indiana RSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated, Its General Partner

Southwestco Wireless LP d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Southwestco Wireless Inc., Its Managing Partner

Spokane MSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, Its General Partner

Springfield Cellular Telephone Company d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By New Par, Its General Partner  
By Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, Its General Partner

St. Joseph CellTelCo d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC, Its General Partner

St. Lawrence Seaway RSA Cellular Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Upstate Cellular Network, Its General Partner  
By Celco Partnership, Its General Partner

Syracuse SMSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Upstate Cellular Network, Its General Partner  
By Celco Partnership, Its General Partner

The Great Salt Flats Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By AirTouch Utah, LLC, Its General Partner  
By Celco Partnership, Its Sole Member

Topeka Cellular Telephone Company, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Wireless

Tuscaloosa Cellular Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Upstate Cellular Network d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Utah RSA 6 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By CommNet Cellular Inc., Its Managing Agent

Verizon Wireless (VAW) LLC d/b/a Verizon Wireless

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By Verizon Wireless of Georgia LLC, Its General Partner  
By Cellco Partnership, Its Sole Member

Verizon Wireless Personal Communications LP d/b/a Verizon Wireless

Verizon Wireless Tennessee Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Vermont RSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By NYNEX Mobile Limited Partnership 1, Its General Partner  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Virginia RSA 5 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Virginia 10 RSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Wasatch Utah RSA No. 2 Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By AirTouch Utah, LLC, Its General Partner  
By Cellco Partnership, Its Sole Member

Washington, DC SMSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Cellco Partnership, Its General Partner

Waterloo MSA Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By Southwestco Wireless LP, Its General Partner  
By Southwestco Wireless Inc., Its General Partner

Wyoming 1 – Park Limited Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless  
By CommNet Cellular Inc., Its Managing Agent

**For Wireline Carrier B:**

**[Wireline Carrier B to insert its affiliates list here]**

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Kelly Laraia, hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Petition for Extension of Time to Implement Local Number Portability was served by first class U S mail on this 15<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2004 to the person listed below:

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