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Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

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In the Matter of)
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Toll Free Service Access Codes) CC Docket No. 95-155

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ORDER

Adopted: April 18, 2008

Released: April 18, 2008

By the Deputy Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau:

1. On January 22, 2007, pursuant to the Commission's exclusive jurisdiction over numbering resources¹ and its obligation to protect public safety,² the Wireline Competition Bureau (Bureau) assigned three toll free numbers to the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)³ for a period of one year.⁴ Those numbers had previously been used by the Kristin Brooks Hope Center (KBHC), a private non-profit organization. KBHC filed an Application for Review of that Order on February 21, 2007.⁵ On November 20, 2007, SAMHSA filed a request that the temporary assignment be made permanent to ensure the continuous operation of the three toll free numbers as public resources.⁶ On December 20, 2007, in response to comments filed on SAMHSA's petition,⁷ the Commission refreshed the record on KBHC's Application for Review⁸ and extended the prior reassignment for 90 days.⁹ In this Order, as suggested by KBHC, we further extend the temporary assignment for an additional 90 days.¹⁰ This extension will allow the Commission time to review a recent *ex parte*

¹ 47 U.S.C. § 251(e)(1).

² 47 U.S.C. § 151.

³ SAMHSA is a component of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

⁴ See *Toll Free Service Access Codes*, CC Docket No. 95-155, Order, 22 FCC Rcd 651 (WCB 2007), *app. for review pending*.

⁵ Kristin Brooks Hope Center Application for Review, *Toll Free Service Access Codes*, CC Docket 95-155 (filed Feb. 21, 2007).

⁶ U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration Petition for Permanent Reassignment of Three Toll Free Suicide Prevention Hotline Numbers, WC Docket No. 07-271 at 2, 4 (filed Nov. 20, 2007).

⁷ See Comments of the Kristin Brooks Hope Center, WC Docket No. 07-271, at 2 (filed Dec. 7, 2007).

⁸ See *Wireline Competition Bureau Seeks to Refresh the Record Regarding Kristin Brooks Hope Center's Application for Review of the 800-Suicide Order*, CC Docket No. 95-155, Public Notice, 22 FCC Rcd 21570 (WCB 2007).

⁹ See *Toll Free Service Access Codes*, CC Docket No. 95-155, Order, 22 FCC Rcd 21573 (WCB 2007). The numbers subject to these extensions are: 1-800-784-2433 (1-800-SUICIDE); 1-888-784-2433 (1-888-SUICIDE); and 1-877-784-2432 (1-877-SUICIDA).

¹⁰ See Letter from Danny E. Adams, Counsel for Kristin Brooks Hope Center, to Kevin J. Martin, Chairman, FCC, CC Docket No. 95-155 at 4 (filed April 2, 2008) (KBHC Apr. 2 Letter).

submission made by KBHC regarding its financial position and its ability to support the three Suicide Prevention Hotlines.¹¹

2. Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that, pursuant to sections 151 and 251(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. §§ 151, 251(e), and authority delegated under sections 0.91 and 0.291 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.91, 0.291,¹² the temporary assignment of the three toll free numbers at issue IS EXTENDED to July 17, 2008.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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¹¹ See KBHC Apr. 2 Letter at 4-5.

¹² See 47 U.S.C. § 155(c).