

**BEFORE THE
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of)	
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U.S. Department of Health and Human Services)	
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services)	
Administration)	CC Docket No. 95-155
)	
Petition for Permanent Reassignment of Three Toll Free)	
Suicide Prevention Hotline Numbers)	
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Toll Free Service Access Codes)	WC Docket No. 07-271
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To: The Commission

**JOINT PETITION OF THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN
SERVICES' SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
ADMINISTRATION AND THE KRISTIN BROOKS HOPE CENTER**

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), and the Kristin Brooks Hope Center (KBHC), through their respective attorneys and pursuant to section 47 C.F.R. § 1.41 of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC or the "Commission") rules, respectfully request that the Commission extend its current temporary assignment order of three toll-free numbers to SAMHSA for a period of 30 days. The current order expires on September 12, 2011. *See In the Matter of 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*, Order, DA 11-1049 (Wireline Competition Bur. Jun. 14, 2011).

These toll-free numbers are used as suicide prevention hotlines (collectively, the “suicide prevention hotlines”): 1-800-SUICIDE (1-800-784-2433), 1-888-SUICIDE (1-888-784-2433), 1-877-SUICIDA (1-877-784-2432).

On October 14, 2009, the Commission ordered the permanent reassignment of three toll-free suicide prevention hotline numbers to SAMHSA, and on December 14, 2009, KBHC filed a petition for review with the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit. On December 3, 2010, the D.C. Circuit Court of Appeals issued a decision vacating the permanent reassignment, and remanding the matter to the FCC for further proceedings. The FCC is currently conducting remand proceedings.

Given the numerous legal and factual issues raised in the remand proceeding, the parties agree that a 30-day extension of the FCC’s current order will better enable the Commission to review the detailed information provided by the parties and to address the issues raised by the D.C. Circuit’s remand decision.

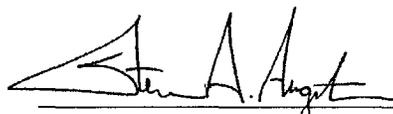
Thus, the parties respectfully request that the Commission extend the current order to October 12, 2011.

Respectfully submitted,



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