

NORTH AMERICAN NUMBERING PLAN PLANNING LETTER

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Subject: Jeopardy Declared for 314 in Missouri

Southwestern Bell Code Administration advised the NANPA that increased demand in actual and forecasted requirements for NXX codes within the 314 Numbering Plan Area (NPA) has created a jeopardy situation such that the 314 NPA may exhaust prior to when relief can be provided. Therefore, a jeopardy is declared as of December 1, 1998. The industry has met and developed an extraordinary allocation plan in the 314 area until planned NPA relief can be implemented to eliminate the problem.

According to the Central Office Code (NXX) Assignment Guidelines (document INC 95-0407-008), "A jeopardy condition exists when the forecasted and/or actual demand for NXX codes exceeds the known supply during the planning/implementation interval for relief." The purpose of this announcement is to provide the extraordinary NPA-specific conservation measures as defined in Section 8.5 of the Central Office Code (NXX) Assignment Guidelines which have become necessary for the 314 NPA.

A copy of the industry-approved jeopardy plan is attached. The rationing plan will be effective December, 1998.

Questions on the 314 NPA Jeopardy may be referred to Bill Adair, 913-676-1539.

Questions concerning this letter may be referred to Rose C. Breidenbaugh on 202 756-5779.

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314 JEOPARDY PLAN

FINAL

EFFECTIVE 12-1-98

- 1. The Industry Jeopardy plan for the 314 NPA begins on December 1, 1998.
- 2. No CO Codes may be reserved for the duration of this Jeopardy Plan.
- 3. A total of 119 CO codes are available for assignment under this plan.
- 4. The NPA relief date for this Jeopardy plan is assumed to be 12/01/99. Once the implementation schedule for the 314 NPA relief project is finalized, this date will be modified appropriately.
- 5. All code applications will be handled on a first come/first served basis.
- 6. Code assignments under this plan will begin on Tuesday, December 1, 1998. Subsequent months for this plan will begin on the *FIRST TUESDAY* of each month—12/1, 1/5,2/2,3/2.4/6, etc.
- 7. All applications will be faxed pursuant to #8 below and date and time stamped. For the purposes of this plan, a day begins at 8:00 am Central Time. The clock to be used for this plan will be the clock associated with the Code Administrator's fax machine.
- **8.** All code applicants should continue their existing procedures for transmitting code requests to the Code Administrator. However, for the purposes of the 314 Jeopardy plan, the provider shall transmit a single page request specifying the number of codes requested in that month's allocation. The CO Code Request to support this request must be received by the Code Administrator within 7 calendar days. **The fax number is 214-858-1423.**
- 9. No expedite NXX assignments will be allowed during the Jeopardy plan.
- 10. Any request for a new code received after 10/1/99 will be assigned a code from the NPA's, as they will be configured after 314 NPA relief has been completed.
- 11. Twelve (12) NXX's per month may be assigned by the Code Administrator. The total codes assigned in a month will be at least 12 per month. The total per month could increase if additional codes are retrieved or if the full allocation of 12 codes in a previous month is not assigned. If the full allocation of codes is not assigned, the code administrator will accumulate these codes until a quantity is available that would result in the monthly allocation being increased by at least 1 code. Once that number of codes is available, the CA will increase the monthly allocation to the increased total.
- 12. If a code applicant requests their first code within the 314 NPA, and they comply with the requirements to be a code holder as described in the CO Code Assignment Guidelines, this initial code will be assigned immediately upon processing by the code administrator. Such assignments will be subtracted from the month's allocation.
- 13. NXX's will be assigned initially on a 1/applicant basis, regardless of the number of requests received from that applicant. If 12 applicants submit requests for codes in a month, each applicant will be assigned 1 code. All additional applications will be denied for that month.
- 14. If fewer than 12 applicants request codes in a month, but the total number of codes requested exceeds 12 codes, the requests will be processed by assigning one code to each applicant in sequential order based on the date/time stamp.
- 15. Codes from the month's allocation will be made on the second to the last business day of the month. This will allow the code holder to input the required information relative to the code in the next month's LERG. Once all codes available in a month have been assigned, all remaining code requests will be canceled and the applications will be returned to the code applicant.

- 16. If more than 4 applicants are denied the assignment of a single code in two consecutive months, the number administrator will re-convene the industry group to review the allocation plan.
- 17. Each month, the procedure described above will be used.
- 18. Any dispute over the implementations of this jeopardy plan will be resolved with the involvement of the Code Administrator, the Industry Team and/or the Missouri Commission staff.
- 19. The Missouri Public Commission staff has reviewed this plan.