

words or phrases used in this permit are as follows:

1. *Act* means the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1251 et. seq.), as amended.

2. *Administrator* means the Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

3. *Applicable Effluent Standards and Limitations* means all state and Federal effluent standards and limitations to which a discharge is subject under the Act, including, but not limited to, effluent limitations, standards or performance, toxic effluent standards and prohibitions, and pretreatment standards.

4. *Applicable Water Quality Standards* means all water quality standards to which a discharge is subject under the Act.

5. *Bypass* means the intentional diversion of waste streams from any portion of a treatment facility.

6. *Contact Storm Water* means storm water which comes in contact with any raw material, product, by-product, co-product intermediate, petroleum fuel, or waste material.

7. *Daily Max* discharge limitation means the highest allowable "daily discharge" during the calendar month.

8. *Director* means the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Regional Administrator or an authorized representative.

9. *Domestic Sewage* means waterborne human or animal waste and waste from domestic activities, such as washing, bathing and food preparation.

10. *Environmental Protection Agency* means the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

12. *Facility* (as defined in 40 CFR 122.2) means any NPDES "point source" or any other facility or activity that is subject to regulation under the NPDES program.

13. *Facility Waste Water* means any liquids which are accidentally released from storage, transfer or loading facilities, liquids from equipment cleaning or vehicle maintenance, any water and hydrocarbon mixtures drawn from waste water associated with petroleum fuel handling. Facility waste water shall not include domestic sewage.

14. *Grab Sample* means an individual sample collected in less than 15 minutes.

15. *National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System* means the national program for issuing, modifying, revoking and reissuing, terminating, monitoring and enforcing permits, and imposing and enforcing pretreatment requirements, under Sections 307, 318, 402, and 405 of the Act.

16. *Petroleum Bulk Stations and Terminals* mean establishments primarily engaged in the cooperative or wholesale distribution of refined petroleum products or petroleum fuels from bulk liquid storage facilities.

17. *Petroleum Fuel* means gasoline, diesel fuel, fuel oil, fuel additives, kerosene and jet fuel, or any other petroleum-based material having physical and chemical properties similar to the listed materials.

18. *Severe Property Damage* means substantial physical damage to property, damage to the treatment facilities which causes them to become inoperable, or substantial and permanent loss of natural resources which can reasonably be expected to occur in the absence of a bypass. Severe property damage does not mean economic loss caused by delays in production.

19. *Upset* means an exceptional incident in which there is unintentional and temporary noncompliance with technology-based permit effluent limitations because of factors beyond the reasonable control of the permittee. An upset does not include noncompliance to the extent caused by operational error, improperly designed treatment facilities, inadequate treatment facilities, lack of preventive maintenance, or careless or improper operation.

20. The term "MGD" shall mean million gallons per day.

21. The term "mg/L" shall mean milligrams per liter or parts per million (ppm).

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[CC Docket No. 96-98; DA 99-1198]

Requests for Additional Authority To Implement Telecommunications Numbering Conservation Measures

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: On June 22, 1999, the Commission released a public notice requesting public comment on several petitions from state utility commissions requesting additional authority to implement measures related to conservation of telecommunications numbering resources. The intended effect of this action is to make the public aware of, and to seek public comment on, these requests.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Al McCloud at (202) 418-2320 or amcccloud@fcc.gov. The address is: Network Services Division, Common Carrier Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, The Portals, 445 Twelfth Street, S.W., Suite 6-A320, Washington, D.C. 20554. The fax number is: (202) 418-2345. The TTY number is: (202) 418-0484.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Released: June 22, 1999.

On September 28, 1998, the Federal Communications Commission ("Commission") released an order in the matter of a Petition for Declaratory Ruling and Request for Expedited Action on the July 15, 1997 Order of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission Regarding Area Codes 412, 610, 215, and 717, and Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, *Memorandum Opinion and Order and Order on Reconsideration*, FCC 98-224, CC Docket No. 96-98, 63 FR 63613, NSD File No. L-97-42 (rel. September 28, 1998) ("Pennsylvania Numbering Order"). The Pennsylvania Numbering Order delegated additional authority to state public utility commissions to order NXX code rationing, under certain circumstances, in jeopardy situations and encouraged state commissions to seek further limited delegations of authority to implement other innovative number conservation methods.

Several state utility commissions have filed requests for additional delegations of authority to implement number conservation methods in their states. See Common Carrier Bureau Seeks Comment on a Petition of the California Public Utilities Commission and the People of the State of California for an Additional Delegation of Authority to Conduct NXX Code Rationing, *Public Notice*, NSD File No. L-98-136, DA 99-108 (rel. Jan. 6, 1999); Common Carrier Bureau Seeks Comment on Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications and Energy Request for Additional Authority to Implement Various Area Code Conservation Measures in the 508, 617, 781, and 978 Area Codes, *Public Notice*, NSD File No. L-99-19, DA 99-461 (rel. Mar. 5, 1999); Common Carrier Bureau Seeks Comment on New York Department of Public Service Petition for Additional Authority to Implement Number Conservation Measures, *Public Notice*, NSD File No. L-99-21, DA 99-462 (rel. Mar. 5, 1999); Common Carrier Bureau Seeks Comment on the Maine Public Utilities Commission's Petition for Additional Authority to Implement Number Conservation Measures, *Public*

Notice, NSD File No. L-99-27, DA 99-638 (rel. Apr. 1, 1999); Common Carrier Bureau Seeks Comment on the Florida Public Service Commission's Petition for Authority to Implement Number Conservation Measures, *Public Notice*, NSD File No. 99-33, DA 99-725 (rel. Apr. 15, 1999); Common Carrier Bureau Seeks Comment on a Petition of the California Public Utilities Commission and the People of the State of California for a Delegation of Additional Authority Pertaining to Area Code Relief and to NXX Code Conservation Measures, *Public Notice*, NSD File No. L-98-928, DA 99-108 (rel. May 14, 1999).

Among other things, the state commissions have sought authority to implement number pooling trials in their states (thousands-block pooling, individual telephone number pooling, and unassigned number porting); to adopt number-assignment standards (including establishing fill rates as a criterion for the allocation of NXX codes, assigning numbers sequentially, certifying the readiness of carriers' facilities prior to assigning NXX codes, and engaging in audits to assure carriers are abiding by these standards as well as industry number-assignment guidelines); to maintain rationing of NXX codes for a period of six months following NPA relief; to hear and address claims of carriers seeking numbering resources outside of NXX rationing plans; to order the return of unused or reserved NXX codes to the NANPA; to implement extended local calling areas, inconsistent rate centers, and NXX code sharing; and to expand the deployment of permanent local number portability. The comment periods for all of the proceedings referenced above have closed, except for the second petition from the California Commission, for which the comment period closes on June 28, 1999.

Many of the delegations of authority sought by the state commissions relate to issues under consideration in the *Numbering Resource Optimization Notice*. Numbering Resource Optimization, *Notice of Proposed Rulemaking*, CC Docket No. 99-200, FCC 99-122 (rel. June 2, 1999), 64 FR 32471. Because the state utility commissions which have petitioned us face immediate concerns regarding the administration of telecommunication numbering resources in their states, we find it to be in the public interest to address these petitions as expeditiously as possible, prior to completing the rulemaking proceeding.

We hereby seek comment on the issues raised in the state utility commissions' petitions for delegated authority to implement various number

conservation measures. A copy of these petitions will be available during regular business hours at the FCC Reference Center, Portals II, 445 12th Street, S.W., Suite CY-A257, Washington, D.C. 20554, (202) 418-0267.

We will give full consideration to the comments and replies already filed on these matters. Therefore, parties which have already filed comments need not re-file their comments or replies.

Interested parties may file comments concerning these matters on or before July 16, 1999. All filings must reference the NSD File Number of the state petition which the commenting party wishes to address, and CC Docket 96-98. Send an original and four copies to the Commission Secretary, Magalie Roman Salas, Portals II, 445 12th Street, S.W., Suite TW-A325, Washington, D.C. 20554 and two copies to Al McCloud, Network Services Division, Portals II, 445 12th Street, S.W., Suite 6A-320, Washington, D.C. 20554.

Comments may be filed using the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS) or by filing paper copies. Comments filed through the ECFS can be sent as an electronic file via the Internet to <<http://www.fcc.gov/e-file/ecfs.html>>. Generally, only one copy of an electronic submission must be filed. If multiple docket or rulemaking numbers appear in the caption of this proceeding, however, commenters must transmit one electronic copy of the comments to each docket or rulemaking number referenced in the caption. In completing the transmittal screen, commenters should include their full name, Postal Service mailing address, and the applicable docket or rulemaking number. Parties may also submit an electronic comment by Internet e-mail. To get filing instructions for e-mail comments, commenters should send an e-mail to ecfs@fcc.gov, including "get form <your e-mail address>" in the body of the message. A sample form and directions will be sent in reply. Comments may be filed using the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS) or by filing paper copies.

This is a "permit but disclose" proceeding for purposes of the Commission's *ex parte* rules. See generally 47 CFR 1.1200-1.1216. As a "permit but disclose" proceeding, *ex parte* presentations will be governed by the procedures set forth in section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules applicable to non-restricted proceedings. 47 CFR 1.1206.

Parties making oral *ex parte* presentations are reminded that

memoranda summarizing the presentation must contain a summary of the substance of the presentation and not merely a listing of the subjects discussed. More than a one or two sentence description of the views and arguments presented is generally required. See 47 CFR 1.1206(b)(2). Other rules pertaining to oral and written presentations are set forth in section 1.1206(b) as well. For further information contact Al McCloud of the Common Carrier Bureau, Network Services Division, at (202) 418-2320 or amccloud@fcc.gov. The TTY number is (202) 418-0484.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[Report No. 2338]

Petitions for Reconsideration and Clarification of Action in Rulemaking Proceeding

June 10, 1999.

Petitions for Reconsideration have been filed in the Commission's rulemaking proceedings listed in this Public Notice and published pursuant to 47 CFR Section 1.429(e). The full text of these documents are available for viewing and copying in Room CY-A257, 445 12th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. or may be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, ITS, Inc. (202) 857-3800. Oppositions to these petitions must be filed by July 12, 1999. See Section 1.4(b)(1) of the Commission's rules (47 CFR 1.4(b)(1)). Replies to an opposition must be filed within 10 days after the time for filing oppositions has expired.

Subject:

Computer III Further Remand Proceedings: Bell Operating Company Provision of Enhanced Services (CC Docket No. 95-20)
1998 Biennial Regulatory Review—Review of Computer III and ONA Safeguards and Requirements (CC Docket No. 98-10)

Number of Petitions Filed: 1.

Subject:

Development of Wireless Services Offering Advanced Telecommunications Services (CC Docket No. 98-147).

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