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Re: Ex Parte Presentation In CC Docket No. 95-155, In the Matter of Toll Free Service Access Codes

Dear Mr. Caton:

At the request of the Federal Communications Commission's ("FCC" or "Commission") Network Services Division, the Alliance for Telecommunications Industry Solutions, Inc. ("ATIS") - sponsored Service Management System ("SMS") Number Administration Committee ("SNAC") provided an update on July 23, 1997 with regard to the efforts of the committee with respect to the deployment of the next toll free resource code - 877. The SNAC is a committee under the auspices of the Ordering and Billing Forum ("OBF"). Representing the SNAC was Don Werner (AT&T). Accompanying Mr. Werner were Susan Miller, ATIS Vice President and General Counsel; and Megan Campbell, ATIS Staff Attorney and Acting Director of the OBF. Participating from the FCC was Kathleen Levitz, Chief, Common Carrier Bureau; Geraldine Matise, Chief, Network Services Division; Anna Gomez, Deputy Chief, Network Services Division; Judy Albers, Senior Attorney, Common Carrier Bureau; and Robin Smolen, Attorney, Common Carrier Bureau.

Mr. Werner reviewed the attached presentation. He highlighted that the current projection for toll free exhaust is now August, 1998. The date had moved up from November, 1998. Mr. Werner also reported that at its August meeting, the SNAC would be addressing a recommendation on how to address 877- 555, that is whether the codes should be opened or set aside. He covered a number of other items to be addressed at the SNAC meeting, including the committee's work to incorporate specifics from the FCC's Second Report And Order And Further Notice Of Proposed Rulemaking, In the Matter of Toll Free Service Access Codes, CC Docket No. 95-155, Adopted: April 4, 1997; Released: April 11, 1997 into the Industry Guidelines for Toll-Free Number Administration as well as

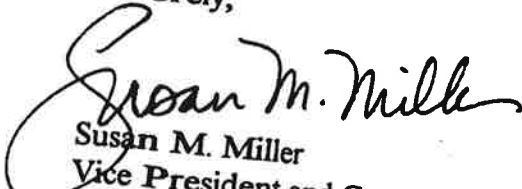


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SCP ready dates, the set aside of 888-250 test numbers and 877-250 test numbers, and the update of the SNAC 877 Network Implementation Plan.

If you have any further questions regarding this presentation, please call me at (202) 434-8828.

Sincerely,


Susan M. Miller
Vice President and General Counsel

cc: Kathleen Levitz, Chief, Common Carrier Bureau
Geraldine Matisse, Chief, Network Services Division