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Via Email

Marlene Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Reassigned Number Database Guidelines
CG Docket No. 17-59

Dear Ms. Dortch:

The Alliance for Telecommunications Industry Solutions (ATIS) is writing to provide an update from its Industry Numbering Committee (INC) on INC's efforts to support the Reassigned Number Database (RND).

ATIS is a global standards development and technical planning organization that develops and promotes worldwide technical and operations standards for information, entertainment, and communications technologies. ATIS works on many important issues on behalf of the industry. ATIS INC addresses and resolves industry-wide issues associated with planning, administration, allocation, assignment, and use of the North American Numbering Plan (NANP) numbering resources within the NANP area.

On November 25, 2019, INC wrote to the Commission noting its expertise in developing guidelines and recommendations that are used by the North American Numbering Plan Administration (NANPA) and the national Pooling Administrator (PA) in the management of numbering resources, and that are utilized by service providers.¹ INC had reviewed the Commission's *Second Report and Order* establishing the RND,² and recognized the need for guidelines related to the service providers' responsibilities to collect and provide permanently disconnected number data into the RND. INC advised that, because it has insight into service provider operations and processes, it would assume the responsibility for developing service provider guidelines for the RND and would begin working on such guidelines when the RND Technical Requirements Document (TRD) was made public.

The RND TRD was released for public comment on January 24, 2020,³ and the revised RND TRD was made public on June 26, 2020.⁴ ATIS is pleased to announce that INC has completed

¹ ATIS Letter, filed November 25, 2019, CG Docket 17-59.

² *Second Report and Order*, CG Docket No. 17-59 (released December 31, 2018).

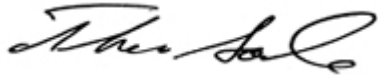
³ *Public Notice*, CG Docket No. 17-59 (released January 24, 2020).

⁴ See revised RND TRD available at <https://beta.sam.gov/opp/3f66cc0aa2a04bde8f396a5ee63b4c74/view>.

the *Reassigned Number Database (RND) Guidelines for Service Provider Reporting of Permanently Disconnected Number Data* (ATIS-0300120). The guidelines were published on July 22, 2020, and may be downloaded at https://access.atis.org/apps/group_public/documents.php.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,



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