

Mr. Victor Schock  
North Dakota Public Service Commission  
600 E. Boulevard Ave #408  
Bismarck, ND 58505

RE: Waiver Request to Obtain Growth Numbering Resources in Bismarck, North Dakota

Mr. Schock:

Please accept this safety valve request to overturn NANPA denial of Teleport Communications of America LLC's (TCAL) request for 3000 consecutive numbers in the Bismarck center. The TCAL utilization is not greater than 75% and months-to-exhaust is not <6 months.

DISA VISP plans to support migration to the new platform without impacting operation to accommodate the growing requirements of North Dakota National Guard. DISA VISP has requested consecutive TNs to migrate to a new platform for a direct extension dial for voice conferencing, audio/visual call centers for external advisories.

Please accept this request for a state waiver to be assigned growth numbers in the Bismarck wire center. The request for resources has been submitted to the Pooling Administration and the denial from NANPA is enclosed. DISA will activate these numbers as soon as they are effective and successfully tested. To integrate this location into an existing 4-digit dial plan. There are currently 3 blocks in the Bismarck pool, with 1300 available numbers and 1604 assigned numbers. Given DISA needs 3000 TNs per. Part 1 Thousand-Block, we are willing to take a contaminated block as long as the 3000 numbers are consecutive.

Respectfully submitted,

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Request for Waiver of Months to Exhaust  
Utilization Threshold Requirement for Bismarck Rate Center

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