July 29, 1999

Shawn Murphy Moderator Industry Numbering Committee

Dear Shawn:

At the July meeting of the North American Numbering Council (NANC) the NANC concluded that the Industry Numbering Committee (INC) should be asked to modify its Thousand Block Pooling Administration Guidelines to correspond with the "Limited Forecasting" changes proposed by the North American Numbering Plan Administrator (NANPA) and accepted by the thousand block administration Issue Management Group (IMG) and by NANC.

Consequently I am writing you to ask that the process to effect this change be completed.

The NANC believes that any additional requirements associated with forecast and utilization reporting for thousand block number pooling administration should be addressed as part of the consideration of COCUS replacement.

Specific questions about this matter may be directed to the IMG, whose chairman is Peter Guggina.

Sincerely,

Alan C. Hasselwander Chairman, North American Numbering Council

cc: Peter Guggina