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TO: Blanca Bayo, Director of Records and Reporting

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FROM: Bob Casey, Regulatory Analyst Supervisor, Division of Competitive Services ne

RE: Docket No. 010102-TP, Verizon Proposed Updates to the Tampa Area Routing DataBase System (RDBS) and Business Rating Input DataBase System (BRIDS) which affect the Tampa Rate Center

Please place the attached letter to Mr. Tom Foley of NANPA in the above official docket file. Thank You.

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February 12, 2001

Mr. Tom Foley NANPA Relief Planner Eastern Region 820 Riverbend Blvd. Longwood, Florida 32779

## Re: Docket No. 010102-TP, Verizon Proposed Updates to the Tampa Area Routing DataBase System (RDBS) and Business Rating Input DataBase System (BRIDS) which affect the Tampa Rate Center

Dear Mr. Foley:

As you are aware from our phone conversations, Verizon has made changes to the RDBS and BRIDS in the Tampa area which essentially create five rate centers instead of the current one for purposes of assigning NXX codes. Verizon asserts it is making these updates in order to match its tariff. ALECs have always been able to request "Tampa" as one rate center when requesting NXX codes. Verizon's proposal will require ALECs to assign one of five Tampa rate centers (Tampa Central, Tampa North, Tampa East, Tampa South, and Tampa West) when requesting NXXs after May 1, 2001.

An expedited hearing has been set for March 27, 2001 to determine the effects Verizon's proposal will have on the Tampa area, especially numbering issues. We request that NANPA file pre-filed direct testimony by February 21, 2001 outlining the consequences of recognizing five Tampa area rate centers versus the current one Tampa rate center for purposes of assigning NXX codes, and enumerate if Verizon's proposal will lead to the premature exhaust of NPA 813. A pre-hearing will be held March 12, 2001 with the hearing held March 27, 2001. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Robert J. Case

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cc: Division of Competitive Services (D'Haeseleer, Salak, Bulecza-Banks, İleri, Brown) Division of Legal Services (Fordham)