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DATE: August 16, 2011

TO: Pauline Evans, Attorney, Office of the General Counsel

FROM: ³Sakina Deas, Research Assistant, Division of Regulatory Analysis

RE: Recommendation to Office of the General Counsel - Docket No. 110243-TX – Petition for expedited review of growth code denials by the Number Pooling Administration for the Crestview Exchange by Cox Florida.

On August 8, 2011, Cox Florida filed a request for additional numbering resources from the Number Pooling Administrator (NeuStar) for the Crestview exchange (PNSCFLJAGT0) switch. Cox Florida requested a block to meet the request of a specific customer for 1,000 consecutive numbers of 850-NXX-4XXX. On August 8, 2011, Cox Florida's request for additional numbering resources was denied because it did not meet the utilization criteria.

On August 10, 2011, Cox filed a petition requesting that the Commission overturn NeuStar's decision. In accordance with Commission Order No. PSC-02-0352-PAA-TL, (Docket No. 020087-TL) which approved an expedited process for the NeuStar code denials, staff has examined the Cox Florida petition and has determined the following:

- 1) The carrier has demonstrated that it has customers in need of numbering resources;
- 2) The carrier has shown that it will be unable to provide services to these potential customers because of NeuStar's denial of the numbering resources; and
- 3) Customers will not be able to obtain service from the provider of his/her choice because the carrier does not have the numbers available.

Since the three criteria of PSC-02-0352-PAA-TL have been met, please prepare an administrative Proposed Agency Action Order to be issued within seven business days of this memorandum (August 25, 2011), as outlined in the expedited code denial process order. NeuStar should be directed to provide Cox Florida the needed numbering resources to meet its customer's needs in the Crestview exchange, (PNSCFLJAGT0) switch. Please allow staff assigned to the docket to review the Order before it is issued. If you have any questions, please call Sakina Deas at (850) 413-6504.

cc: Division of Regulatory Analysis (Casey) Office of General Counsel (A. Teitzman) Office of Commission Clerk (Docket No. 110243-TX)

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