

BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF TC)	
SYSTEMS, INC. FOR A WAIVER OF FCC)	CASE NO. TCS-T-13-01
THRESHOLD REQUIREMENTS FOR)	
NUMBERING RESOURCES IN BOISE,)	ORDER NO. 32833
IDAHO.)	

On May 22, 2013, TC Systems, Inc. (TCS) filed a Petition requesting that the Commission grant a waiver of FCC threshold requirements for numbering resources in the Boise, Idaho rate center. TCS earlier filed a request with NeuStar, the pooling administration, requesting a 1,000-block number assignment preference to be used to serve a large business customer in Idaho. The pooling administrator denied the request because the application did not meet the months to exhaust and/or utilization requirements.

On May 10, 2013, TCS filed its request with NeuStar, requesting 3,000 numbers for the Boise, Idaho rate center. TCS developed a communications plan to serve a customer to implement and assign the numbers as soon as they are made available. The customer needs the numbers to convert its existing internal network figuration to Internet-protocol.

Federal regulations allow a carrier to appeal a decision by NeuStar to withhold numbering resources to the appropriate state commission. The Commission may overturn NeuStar's decision, based on its determination that the carrier has demonstrated a verifiable need for numbering resources and has exhausted all other available remedies. See 47 U.S.C. § 52.15(g)(3) and (4).

Staff reviewed TCS's Petition and recommended the Commission approve it. TCS asserts that a waiver is essential because it is unable to satisfy the numbering needs of this large customer without an exception granted by the Commission. The Commission finds granting this waiver will not have a detrimental effect on the numbering resources on the Boise, Idaho rate center. In addition, the specific sequential 1,000-block numbers requested by the customer currently are reserved and can be released to TCS upon approval of a waiver.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that TC Systems, Inc.'s request for a waiver of FCC threshold requirements for numbering resources in the Boise, Idaho rate center is approved. The

reserved 1,000-block numbers of 208-333, 3, 4 and 5 can be released to TCS for its Boise rate center customer.

THIS IS A FINAL ORDER. Any person interested in this Order may petition for reconsideration within twenty-one (21) days of the service date of this Order. Within seven (7) days after any person has petitioned for reconsideration, any other person may cross-petition for reconsideration. See *Idaho Code* § 61-626.

DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 19th day of June 2013.



PAUL KJELLANDER, PRESIDENT



MACK A. REDFORD, COMMISSIONER



MARSHA H. SMITH, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:



Jean D. Jewell
Commission Secretary

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