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To: All Interexchange Carriers (IXCs), Wireless/Personal Communications Service (PCS) Carriers, Competitive Local Exchange Carriers (CLECs), and Payphone Service Providers (PSPs)

Subject: IXCs, PCS, CLECs, PSPS –**REVISION TO SN91081723** - 704/980 Numbering Plan Area (NPA) Overlay and Ten-Digit Dialing

Carrier Notification Letter SN91081723, revised August 30, 2000 and subsequently revised January 11, 2001, outlined the North Carolina Utilities Commission (NCUC) order in Docket No. P-100, Sub 137a to extend the permissive dialing period for the 704 Area Code until January 24, 2001, so that additional information could be obtained. On January 17, 2001, the NCUC issued an order in Docket P-100, Sub 137a, and a clarifying order on January 19, 2001, extending the permissive dialing period to Thursday, March 15, 2001.

Based on the Commission's order, mandatory 10- digit local dialing will become effective on March 15, 2001 at 12:01 AM in the 704 area code. The new Area Code 980 overlay will become effective April 1, 2001. The Commission stated in its January 17, 2001 order that this was "the last extension that the Commission will grant in this matter."

For further details please review the revised letter.

Sincerely,

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