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 Subject: NPA 681 to Overlay NPA 304 (West Virginia)
 Related Previous Planning Letters: None

General Description

On January 29, 2008, the West Virginia Public Service Commission (WV PSC) in Case No. 00-0953-T-PC ordered a 2-way geographic split along the Charleston-Clarksburg LATA as the relief method for the 304 NPA, which serves the State of West Virginia. On February 13, 2008 the WV PSC granted the Petitions for Reconsideration filed by the Parties to the proceeding, modified and reversed the January 29, 2008 Order and directed the implementation of an all-services overlay for the 304 Numbering Plan Area.. A copy of the WV PSC orders and other related Commission information can be obtained at: <http://www.psc.state.wv.us>

The new **681 NPA** will serve the same geographic area currently served by the existing 304 NPA.

Implementation of Relief Plan

Implementation of the overlay of the 304 NPA is as follows:

	Time	Date
End of Network and Customer Education Preparation Interval	-	July 26, 2008
Start of Permissive 7-digit or 10-digit dialing Interval	12:01 AM Eastern	July 26, 2008
End of Permissive dialing and Start of Mandatory 10-digit dialing	12:01 AM Eastern	February 28, 2009
Earliest new NPA central office code activation date	-	March 28, 2009*
Earliest date central office codes in the new NPA may be ordered through NANPA	-	September 28, 2008

* Effective Date of the New 681 NPA.

During the permissive dialing period, subscribers may dial local calls within the overlay area on either a 7-digit or 10-digit basis, but will be encouraged to dial 10-digits. After the permissive period ends, all calls must be dialed using 10-digits.

Central Office Code Listings and NPA Map

A map of the 304/681 NPA overlay is attached. An updated list of NXX codes assigned to the affected area may be found on the NANPA website at www.nanpa.com or in the Local Exchange Routing Guide (LERG) or the NPA NXX Activity Guide (NNAG). Information in the LERG and NNAG can be obtained by contacting Telcordia Routing Administration (TRA), at 732-699-6700.

Dialing Plan

Coincident with the introduction of mandatory 10-digit dialing on February 28, 2009, the dialing plan for the 304 and 681 NPAs will be as follows:

Type of call	Call terminating to	Dialing plan
Local call	Home NPA (HNPA) or Foreign NPA (FNPA)	10-digits (NPA-NXX-XXXX) *
Toll Call	HNPA or FNPA	1+10-digits (1+NPA-NXX-XXXX)
Operator Services Credit card, collect, third party	HNPA or FNPA	0 + 10-digits (0 + NPA-NXX-XXXX)

* Also 1+10-digits permissible recommended

Network Testing

All international and domestic carriers should ensure that the new 681 NPA has been activated throughout their networks prior to February 28, 2009. A test number to verify the routing to the new NPA will be in service beginning December 28, 2008 through June 28, 2009. The test number to verify the routing to the 681 NPA is 681-990-TEST (8378). A recorded announcement will indicate that the test call has been successfully completed.

General Information

The information in this planning letter reflects detailed information about NPA relief activities. The information has been derived from commission orders and from industry implementation decisions. The implementation of the plan described in this letter is the responsibility of individual service providers, and NANPA does not guarantee that the activities and plans will occur exactly as described herein.

Contact Information

General questions regarding the relief of the NPA 304 should be directed to Wayne Milby, Senior NPA Relief Planner - NANPA, on 804-795-5919. Questions of a technical nature should be directed to the NPA coordinator of the appropriate service provider.

Attached is a list of service provider and contact information that is provided to assist in the implementation of the relief plan described herein. Because this information is subject to change, NANPA cannot guarantee the completeness or the accuracy of the attached list.

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