

**Joint NPA 250 & 403/780 Relief Planning Committees
Conference Call
July 9, 2007**

Participants: Doug Birdwise – Bell Canada
Ryan Blair – Rogers Wireless
Robert Gerrity – Rogers Wireless
Bob Goneara – Bell Mobility
Sam Haigh - NorthwesTel
Lyne Jacques – Bell Mobility
Frank Norman – TELUS
Paul Robinson – Rogers Home Phone
Gerry Thompson – Rogers Wireless
Suresh Khare – SAIC Canada (CNA)
Glenn Pilley – SAIC Canada (CNA)
Fiona Clegg – SAIC Canada (CNA)

Welcome and Introductions:

Glenn Pilley welcomed the attendees of the NPA 250 Relief Planning conference call, and each of the participants introduced themselves.

Approval of Agenda:

It was noted that a formal agenda for today's NPA 250 Relief Planning Committee (RPC) conference call had not been developed, but that the purpose of this conference call is to continue developing the Relief Implementation Plan for NPAs 250 and 403/780.

It was noted that the NPA 250 Planning Letter has now been posted to the NANPA website.

It was noted that the Joint Relief Planning Committees need to:

- Review and edit the Consumer Awareness Task Force, Network Implementation Task Force and Individual Telecommunications Service Provider Responsibilities Attachments
- Revisit the yellow highlighted dates in the Relief Implementation Schedule
- Continue working on the main body of the Relief Implementation Plan

Agreement was reached to accept the agenda as outlined by the RPC Chair.

Review of June 20, 2007 Conference Call Minutes & Action Items:

It was noted that the minutes from June 20, 2007 Joint NPA 250, 403 and 780 Relief Planning Committee conference call minutes were distributed to the NPA 250 and NPA 403/780 Relief Planning Committee participants on June 26, 2007.

It was asked whether the minutes could be approved and finalized during today's conference call.

Agreement was reached to accept the June 20, 2007 Joint NPA 250, 403 and 780 Relief Planning Committee conference call minutes, as written.

Action Items:

- 1) David Heemeryck established that Lyne Jacques would be the Bell Mobility contact for the Network Implementation Task Force.
- 2) Kevin McGouran will check to find out whether Anne Gertzbein will be the MTS Allstream Consumer Awareness Task Force representative. **(Outstanding)**
- 3) The CNA modified the maps contained in the NPA 250 Planning Letter to better depict the activities taking place in British Columbia, since the cross-hatching on the second map makes it unclear as to what is taking place.
- 4) Sam Haigh did check whether Good Hope Lake is a tariffed rate center. At present Good Hope Lake is missing from the tariff, but is being added. A copy of the updated tariff page will be provided to the CNA once it has been filed.
- 5) On June 25, 2007 the CNA informed Telcordia TRA that the NPA 250 Planning Letter was publicly available so the BIRRDs database could be updated. Telcordia TRA has since informed the CNA that this has been completed with an effective date of July 4, 2007.
- 6) On June 28, 2007 Fiona Clegg and Suresh Khare from the CNA created a draft Planning Letter for NPA 587 (the overlay NPA for area codes 403 and 780), which was subsequently posted to the CNA website.
- 7) Shawn Hall should inform the CATF of the requirement for all Telecom Service Providers to develop and file individual consumer awareness programs with the CRTC (may be done collectively by the Western Telecommunications Alliance). **(Outstanding)**
- 8) Suresh Khare contacted Marian Hearn to identify the start and end dates for Canadian Local Number Portability Consortium Database Readiness. The start date can be anytime and the end date should be September 8, 2008.
- 9) George Wasykiewicz will establish that a date certain for 7- and 10-digit permissive dialing in British Columbia does not need to be included in the Relief Implementation Schedule and will ensure that permissive dialing is accomplished throughout British Columbia as part of the NITF activities. **(Outstanding)**

It was noted by a member of the CATF that there may be some problems with the timelines that are included in the Relief Implementation Schedule with respect to contacting customers, distributing brochures, etc.

It was noted that the CATF could bring in a contribution to the Relief Implementation Schedule to change some of the dates for customer communications.

It was noted that the NITF needs to hold a meeting in the very near future to ensure that they can agree with the dates that have been inserted into the Relief Implementation Schedule.

Relief Implementation Plan for NPAs 250, 403 & 780:

On June 19, 2007 a TELUS contribution that proposes a single NPA 250, 403 and 780 Relief Implementation Plan was distributed to the RPC participants and was posted to the CNA website. During the June 20, 2007 Joint NPA 250, 403 and 780 Relief Planning Committee conference call an agreement was reached that a single Relief Implementation Plan would be submitted for the three NPAs and the TELUS contribution was to be used as a straw model document for developing the NPA 250, 403 and 780 Relief Implementation Plan.

Detailed minute taking was suspended while the straw model Relief Implementation Plan and associated Attachments were being edited.

It was noted that the Consumer Awareness Task Force should be communicating the requirement for 10-digit local dialing in British Columbia and Alberta to the alarm companies since, typically, it seems the alarm companies require more time to make the change from 7- to 10-digits.

During discussion of the Relief Implementation Schedule, it was requested that there be some volunteers for test numbers. TELUS did volunteer to take out a test CO Code, but it was noted that it would be preferable if several other TSPs also applied for a test CO Code.

It was noted that the Consumer Awareness and Network Implementation Task Forces need to take an active role in the development of the Relief Implementation Schedule since, without their input, the Joint Relief Planning Committee cannot finalize the relief implementation schedule for the advent of 10-digit dialing and the introduction of NPA 587, or the planning letter for NPA 587.

Agreement was reached that any historical dates that need to be added to the Relief Implementation Schedule will be completed by the CNA without consultation with the Joint NPA 250, 403 and 780 Relief Planning Committees.

It was noted that the Joint NPA 250, 403 and 780 Relief Planning Committees are close to finalizing the NPA 250, 403 and 780 Relief Implementation Plan and that a TIF Report needs to be drafted to serve as a transmittal document for the Relief Implementation Plan to the CISC and CRTC.

Next Meeting/Conference Call:

The next conference call is scheduled for Tuesday, July 24, 2007 from 12:00 to 15:00 Eastern Time. The call in number for this conference call will be 416-849-7326 and the access number will be 7325651#.

The NPA 250, 403 and 780 RPC Chair thanked the participants for attending today's Relief Planning Committee conference call.

Summary of Agreements Reached:

- 1) Agreement was reached to accept the agenda as outlined by the RPC Chair.
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- 4) The Consumer Awareness Task Force should bring in a contribution if changes to some of the dates for customer communications are required in the Relief Implementation Schedule.
- 5) The Network Implementation Task Force needs to hold a meeting in the very near future to ensure that they can agree with the dates that have been inserted into the Relief Implementation Schedule.
- 6) The Consumer Awareness Task Force should be communicating the requirement for 10-digit local dialing in British Columbia and Alberta to the alarm companies since, typically, it seems the alarm companies require more time to make the change from 7- to 10-digits.
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