

**Joint NPA 250, 403 & 780 Relief Planning Committees
Conference Call
November 10, 2008**

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Olena Bilozerska – TELUS
Paul Robinson – Rogers Homephone
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Welcome & Introductions:

The Chair welcomed the participants to the Joint NPA 250, 403 & 780 Relief Planning Committee conference call. The purpose of this conference call is to discuss and ratify the Network Implementation and Consumer Awareness Task Force progress reports.

It was noted that copies of the Task Force progress reports were distributed to the Relief Planning Committees for NPAs 250 and 403/780 on 4 November 2008.

Action Items from July 31, 2008 Conference Call:

- 1) On August 12, 2008 the CNA created an Emergency Notification concerning the opening of NPA 587 and sent it to Telcordia TRA for distribution. In addition, the CNA confirmed that the ITU also is aware that NPA 587 has been opened.
- 2) The RPC Secretary forwarded the NITF Progress Report #2 to the CISC and Commission staff on August 13, 2008.
- 3) The RPC Secretary forwarded the CATF Progress Report #2 to the CISC and Commission staff on August 13, 2008.

NITF Progress Report #3:

George Wasylkiewicz presented the Joint NPA 250/403/780 NITF Progress Report #3.

It was noted that the following TSPs did not submit a Progress Report:

Globalstar
Globility
GT Group Telecom
ISP Telecom

It was noted that the TSPs have all implemented 10-digit dialing without encountering any major difficulties. It was also noted that, as a result of the success of the Consumer Awareness Program, there were very few consumers that received the Mandatory 10-Digit Dialing Announcement as they were already dialing 10 digits.

The Chair of the RPCs thanked the Joint NPA 250/403/780 NITF for the diligence and effort that was exercised during the activities involved in implementing 10-digit dialing and the new NPA in Alberta.

Agreement was reached to accept the NITF progress report, as modified, and to authorize the Chair or Secretary of the RPCs to forward the progress report to the CISC and Commission staff on or before November 17, 2008.

CATF Progress Report #3:

No CATF representatives were available to present the Joint NPA 250/403/780 CATF Progress Report #3. The RPC reviewed the report.

It was noted that the following TSPs did not submit a Progress Report:

MTS Allstream
Bell Mobility
Bell (Western Region)
CityWest

Agreement was reached to accept the CATF progress report, as written, and to authorize the Chair or Secretary of the RPCs to forward the progress report to the CISC and Commission staff on or before November 17, 2008.

The Chair of the Joint RPCs extended his thanks to the Joint NPA 250/403/780 CATF for all the work that had gone into the media releases and interviews.

Miscellaneous Items:

It was noted that no consumer complaints had been received by the CNA about any aspect of NPA relief implementation in either British Columbia or Alberta.

It was noted that if the Joint NPA 250/403/780 Progress Reports could be submitted to the Commission on November 10, 2008 it is possible they could be included in the agenda for the November 17, 2008 CISC walk-around process.

The Chair thanked the attendees on the conference call for their participation.

Summary of Agreements Reached:

- 1) Agreement was reached to accept the NITF progress report, as modified, and to authorize the Chair or Secretary of the RPCs to forward the progress report to the CISC and Commission staff on or before November 17, 2008.
- 2) Agreement was reached to accept the CATF progress report, as written, and to authorize the Chair or Secretary of the RPCs to forward the progress report to the CISC and Commission staff on or before November 17, 2008.

Summary of Action Items:

- 1) The RPC Secretary will forward the NITF Progress Report 3 to the CISC and Commission staff on or before November 17, 2008.
- 2) The RPC Secretary will forward the CATF Progress Report 3 to the CISC and Commission staff on or before November 17, 2008.