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Dear Ron,

This is further to my response to your letter dated March 8, 2001 requesting a status report concerning 500 NXX codes that have been assigned or reserved for Canada.

Recently, the CNA canvassed Canadian 500 NXX Code Holders to determine if their assigned codes are in service or will soon be placed in service. Since it was determined that there were not any in service in Canada, all 500 NXX Codes were reclaimed on April 12, 2001 and placed into the Canadian Pool of Reserved 500 NXX Codes. Subsequently, the Canadian Steering Committee on Numbering recommended to the CRTC that the complete Pool of 77 reserved NXX Codes be returned to the North American Numbering Plan Administrator for re-assignment. The CRTC agreed and the CNA was directed to return the Pool of 500 NXX Codes to the NANPA in Decision CRTC 2001-374 (attached).

Please accept this as the formal return of all PCS 500 NXX Codes that were assigned for use, or reserved for use, in Canada to the NANPA for re-assignment. The 500 NXX codes that are being returned are listed on Appendix 1.

Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me at 613-563-7242.

Regards,

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