

information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Commission's burden estimate; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**DATES:** Written Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) comments should be submitted on or before December 2, 2005. If you anticipate that you will be submitting PRA comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below as soon as possible.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) comments to Judith B. Herman, Federal Communications Commission, Room 1-C804, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554 or via the Internet to *Judith-B.Herman@fcc.gov*. If you would like to obtain or view a copy of this new or revised information collection, you may do so by visiting the FCC PRA Web page at: <http://www.fcc.gov/omd/pr>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For additional information or copies of the information collection(s), contact Judith B. Herman at 202-418-0214 or via the Internet at *Judith-B.Herman@fcc.gov*.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*OMB Control No.:* 3060-0987.

*Title:* 911 Callback Capability: Non-initialized Phones.

*Form No.:* N/A.

*Type of Review:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit, and State, local and tribal governments.

*Number of Respondents:* 3,137.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* .50-3 hours.

*Frequency of Response:* One time reporting requirement and third party disclosure requirement.

*Total Annual Burden:* 4,885 hours.

*Total Annual Cost:* \$661,125.

*Privacy Act Impact Assessment:* N/A.

*Needs and Uses:* The Commission seeks three-year approval for an extension (no change in requirements) for this information collection.

This collection places reporting and third party requirements on wireless and wireline carriers and equipment manufacturers aimed at responding to the problem of the inability of emergency workers to contact for further critical information a 911 caller using a non-initialized wireless telephone or a "911 only" phone, which do not have dialable numbers. To advise the public

and emergency workers of this limitation and to thus advise them in using such phones in emergency situations to provide as much critical information, particularly regarding location, the Commission adopts labeling, software, and public education requirements.

Federal Communications Commission.

**Marlene H. Dortch,**

*Secretary.*

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[CC Docket No. 92-237; DA 05-2753]

### GSA Approves Renewal of North American Numbering Council Charter Through September 26, 2007

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** On October 25, 2005, the Commission released a public notice announcing GSA approves renewal of North American Numbering Council charter through September 26, 2007. The intended effect of this action is to make the public aware of the renewal of the North American Numbering Council charter.

**DATES:** Renewed through September 26, 2007.

**ADDRESSES:** Telecommunications Access Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, The Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Suite 5-A420, Washington, DC 20554.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Deborah Blue, Special Assistant to the Designated Federal Officer (DFO) at (202) 418-1466 or *Deborah.Blue@fcc.gov*. The fax number is: (202) 418-2345. The TTY number is: (202) 418-0484.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Released October 25, 2005.

The GSA has renewed the charter of the North American Numbering Council (Council) through September 26, 2007. The Council will continue to advise the Federal Communications Commission (Commission) on rapidly evolving and competitively significant numbering issues facing the telecommunications industry.

In October 1995, the Commission established the North American Numbering Council, a federal advisory committee created pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5

U.S.C., App. 2 (1988), to advise the Commission on issues related to North American Numbering Plan (NANP) administration in the United States, including local number portability administration issues. The original charter of the Council was effective on October 5, 1995, establishing an initial two-year term. Amended charters were filed on October 5, 1997, October 5, 1999, October 5, 2001, and October 5, 2003, each renewing the term of the charter for an additional two years.

Since the last charter renewal, the Council has provided the Commission with critically important recommendations regarding numbering issues. During the term of the prior amended charter, the Council made recommendations on issues which included: (1) NANC Local Number Portability Administrator (LNPA) Change Orders 399 and 400—changes to the software used by the Number Portability Administration Center; (2) Request for Commission Endorsement of Two LNPA Position Papers; (3) NANC acceptance of new members of NeuStar's Board of Directors; (4) Process Flow Change Based on the Industry Numbering Committee Issue 407 (CC Docket No. 99-200); (5) NeuStar's Request for Modification of Prior Approval Policies; (6) Intermodal Porting Intervals; (7) Treatment of NANP Administration Funds; (8) The NANC's Issue Management Group Report on the Impact of a 25% Number Pooling Contamination Threshold; (9) Abbreviated Dialing for One Call Notification; and (10) Amendment of the LNP Provisioning Flows Narrative to include a footer statement and timer change. The Council also provided detailed evaluations of the North American Numbering Plan Administrator (NANPA) and the Pooling Administrator (PA). The Council will continue to evaluate the NANPA's and the PA's performances annually.

Moreover, the Council is presently considering and formulating recommendations on other important numbering-related issues that will require work beyond the term of the present charter. The term of the Council's renewed charter begins September 26, 2005 and runs through September 26, 2007.

The value of this federal advisory committee to the telecommunications industry and to the American public cannot be overstated. Numbers are the means by which consumers gain access to, and reap the benefits of, the public switched telephone network. The Council's recommendations to the Commission will facilitate fair and efficient numbering administration in

the United States, and will ensure that numbering resources are available to all telecommunications service providers on a fair and equitable basis, consistent with the requirements of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

Federal Communications Commission.

**James Bachtell,**

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[WC Docket No. 05-283; DA 05-2680]

### Access Charges for IP-Originated Calls

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This document seeks comment on a petition for declaratory ruling filed by Grande Communications. Grande seeks a declaratory ruling regarding the treatment of traffic terminated through Grande to end users of interconnected local exchange carriers (LECs), in circumstances where customers of Grande have certified that the traffic originated in Internet protocol (IP) format. Specifically, Grande seeks a declaratory ruling that a LEC may properly rely on a customer's certification that the traffic being sent originates in IP format at the calling party's premises and therefore undergoes a net protocol conversion, or is otherwise enhanced, IP-enabled traffic; a LEC may send such certified traffic to other terminating LECs over local interconnection trunks; and terminating LECs receiving such traffic over local interconnection trunks are to treat that traffic as local traffic for intercarrier compensation purposes and may not assess access charges for such traffic.

**DATES:** Comments due December 12, 2005, and reply comments due January 11, 2006.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by WC Docket No. 05-283, by any of the following methods:

Federal eRulemaking Portal: <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

Federal Communications Commission's Web site: <http://www.fcc.gov/cgb/ecfs>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

E-mail: Include the docket number in the subject line of the message.

Mail: Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554.

People With Disabilities: Contact the FCC to request reasonable accommodations (accessible format documents, sign language interpreters, CART, etc.) by e-mail: [FCC504@fcc.gov](mailto:FCC504@fcc.gov) or phone: (202) 418-0530 or TTY: (202) 418-0432.

For detailed instructions for submitting comments and additional information on the rulemaking process, see the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section of this document.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Jennifer McKee, Wireline Competition Bureau, Pricing Policy Division, (202) 418-1530, [jennifer.mckee@fcc.gov](mailto:jennifer.mckee@fcc.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** On October 3, 2005, Grande

Communications, Inc. (Grande) filed a petition for declaratory ruling regarding the treatment of traffic terminated through Grande to end users of interconnected local exchange carriers (LECs), in circumstances where customers of Grande have certified that the traffic originated in Internet protocol (IP) format. Specifically, Grande seeks a declaratory ruling that: (1) A LEC may properly rely on a customer's certification that the traffic being sent originates in IP format at the calling party's premises and therefore undergoes a net protocol conversion, or is otherwise enhanced, IP-enabled traffic; (2) a LEC may send such certified traffic to other terminating LECs over local interconnection trunks; and (3) terminating LECs receiving such traffic over local interconnection trunks are to treat that traffic as local traffic for intercarrier compensation purposes and may not assess access charges for such traffic.

Interested parties may file comments on or before December 12, 2005, and reply comments on or before January 11, 2006. Comments may be filed using the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS) or by filing paper copies. Comments filed through the ECFS can be sent as an electronic file via the Internet to <http://www.fcc.gov/cgb/ecfs/>. Generally, only one copy of an electronic submission must be filed. In completing the transmittal screen, commenters should include their full name, U.S. Postal Service mailing address, and the applicable docket or rulemaking number, in this case WC Docket No. 05-283. Parties may also submit an electronic comment by Internet e-mail. To get filing instructions for e-mail comments, commenters should send an e-mail to [ecfs@fcc.gov](mailto:ecfs@fcc.gov), and should include the following words

in the body of the message, "get form." A sample form and directions will be sent in reply. Parties who choose to file by paper must file an original and four copies of each filing.

Filings can be sent by hand or messenger delivery, by commercial overnight courier, or by first-class or overnight U.S. Postal Service mail (although we continue to experience delays in receiving U.S. Postal Service mail). Parties are strongly encouraged to file comments electronically using the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS).

The Commission's contractor, Natek, Inc., will receive hand-delivered or messenger-delivered paper filings for the Commission's Secretary at 236 Massachusetts Avenue, NE., Suite 110, Washington, DC 20002.

—The filing hours at this location are 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

—All hand deliveries must be held together with rubber bands or fasteners.

—Any envelopes must be disposed of before entering the building.

—Commercial overnight mail (other than U.S. Postal Service Express Mail and Priority Mail) must be sent to 9300 East Hampton Drive, Capitol Heights, MD 20743.

—U.S. Postal Service first-class mail, Express Mail, and Priority Mail should be addressed to 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554.

All filings must be addressed to the Commission's Secretary, Marlene H. Dortch, Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554. Parties should also send a copy of their filings to Jennifer McKee, Pricing Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, Room 5-A263, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554, or by e-mail to [jennifer.mckee@fcc.gov](mailto:jennifer.mckee@fcc.gov). Parties shall also serve one copy with the Commission's copy contractor, Best Copy and Printing, Inc. (BCPI), Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-B402, Washington, DC 20554, (202) 488-5300, or via e-mail to [fcc@bcpiweb.com](mailto:fcc@bcpiweb.com).

Documents in WC Docket No. 05-283, including the Grande Petition, are available for public inspection and copying during business hours at the FCC Reference Information Center, Portals II, 445 12th St. SW., Room CY-A257, Washington, DC 20554. The documents may also be purchased from BCPI, telephone (202) 488-5300, facsimile (202) 488-5563, TTY (202) 488-5562, e-mail [fcc@bcpiweb.com](mailto:fcc@bcpiweb.com).

This matter shall be treated as a "permit-but-disclose" proceeding in