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From: North American Numbering Plan Administration (NANPA)
Subject: Suspension of Relief in the 517 NPA - Michigan

In light of questions raised by the FCC regarding the authority of NANPA and the Michigan telecommunications industry to implement relief for the 517 NPA, NANPA has suspended relief activities in that NPA. The relief schedule presented in Planning Letter 212 is no longer operative. Requests for assignment of central office codes for the new 989 NPA will be suspended pending further direction by the FCC.

Unless the Michigan Public Service Commission notifies NANPA it will exercise jurisdiction over this relief planning process, NANPA plans to file a petition with the FCC shortly. NANPA will request FCC approval of the industry's recommended plan for relief of the 517 NPA described in Planning Letter 212. It is expected that the FCC will release a public notice requesting public comment on the industry's plan.

Questions concerning the status of the 517 NPA relief or the contents of this letter should be directed to Sandy Tokarek at 401-821-7761.