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Re: DT 20-179, Teleport Communications of America LLC
Supplemental Waiver Request to Obtain Growth Numbering Resources in Rochester, NH

Dear Mr. Huttenhower:

On November 9, 2020, Teleport Communications of America LLC (TCAL) filed a request for a "safety valve" waiver to overturn the October 27 denial by Somos, Inc. (Somos) of its request for two blocks of contiguous numbers in the Rochester, New Hampshire rate center. The Commission granted TCAL's request by secretarial letter dated November 19.

On December 18, 2020, TCAL filed a second safety valve waiver request to overturn the December 7 denial by Somos of its request for three more blocks of contiguous numbers in the Rochester rate center. TCAL did not request these additional numbers initially, but the numbers are for the same customer and the same project.

Commission Staff (Staff) reviewed the filing and determined that sufficient and satisfactory numbering resources exist in the Rochester rate center to meet TCAL's requirements. In a memorandum filed on December 21, 2020, Staff recommended that the Commission notify Somos to assign numbers pursuant to TCAL's request.

Accordingly, the Commission has granted TCAL's request for a "safety valve" waiver, pursuant to its authority under 47 C.F.R. §52.15(g)(5). The Commission directs Somos to assign three thousand-blocks of numbers in the Rochester rate center to TCAL to meet its requirements.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Debra A. Howland".

Debra A. Howland
Executive Director

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