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**TBP Implementation Monitoring**

**CSCN Conference Call**

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**Welcome:**

Kelly Walsh, as CSCN Chair and RPC Chair, welcomed the attendees.

David Comrie reviewed the list of attendees.

**Discussion:**

James Sewell presented a draft of a quarterly report that he has been developing and the group began to work on it.

Karen Robinson asked for an explanation for the segregation of numbers section.

Ed Antecol noted that in the US, the underlying thousands-blocks of a CO Code can be assigned to both wireless and wireline companies regardless of the type of service indicated in the initial code assignment.

Leo Santoro noted that NXXs in Canada can currently be shared between technologies.

Rick Cousineau noted that we must preserve 6-digit (NPA-NXX) routing.

John MacKenzie noted that each organization should review internally what the impact of limiting available thousands-blocks to matching the service indicated in the initial CO Code assignment and it will take more time than allotted by the due date of the first quarterly report (30 March 2024).

Ed Antecol noted that the real question is, “what’s going to break if this NXX is not assigned to a wireless/wireline carrier?”

John MacKenzie noted that Telecom Regulatory Policy 2024-26 is referencing the points TELUS made in the interrogatory about the segregation of numbering.

Gerry Thompson proposed that the CSCN create a TIF to address the segregation of numbers between wireless and wireline.

Rick Cousineau noted that the 6-digit routing record is required for each block.

Ed Antecol noted that every NPA-NXX has a default carrier. So yes, blocks aren’t available to the pool unless there is a Carrier and LRN that has been assigned for every NPA-NXX so that’s how 6-digit routing is preserved.

John MacKenzie suggested that we keep the language from the Regulatory Policy in the segregation of numbers section.

Ed Antecol noted that he is concerned that the group will look at creating segregated pools which is very different from implementation in the US and will impact the effectiveness thousands-block pooling in Canada.

Action Item: James Sewell will reframe TBP in the draft report.

Action Item: TELUS will sponsor a TIF to look at the segregation of wireless and wireline numbers.

Ed Antecol noted that he sees recommendations from the Question Team going into future reports.

Action Item: James Sewell will send a draft of the report as modified during today’s call to David Comrie who will post it as a contribution.

Étienne Robelin asked if the items listed under the Questions Team are going to be recommendations. It was confirmed that the contents of the report are just a status report.

**Summary of Agreements Reached:**

None.

**Summary of Action Items:**

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**Attachments:**



Draft of the reported presented (assigned CNCO230A after the meeting)