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Abstract

Provides notification of date for the split of the 303 NPA and introduction of the new 719 NPA in Colorado.

Substantial telephone number growth in Colorado necessitates the splitting of the existing 303 Numbering Plan Area (NPA) and the introduction of the new 719 NPA. The 303 NPA code will continue to be used in the territory which includes the cities of Denver, Boulder, Fort Collins, Grand Junction and Durango. The new 719 NPA will embrace the remaining territory including the cities of Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Leadville and Alamosa. The attached map illustrates the new NPA configuration as it will appear after the split.

We have been advised by Mountain Bell that the split is scheduled for 11:59 P.M., Mountain Standard Time, Saturday, March 5, 1988. In addition, to minimize the impact upon call completions, Mountain Bell has advised that either 303 or 719 NPAs will be accepted in a called address until 11:59 P.M., Mountain Daylight Time, Monday, April 4, 1988. On that date, the permissive dialing period will terminate, and calls that are destined for the 303 NPA or 719 NPA must be dialed and routed with the correct NPA or the calls will be routed to intercept.

Local exchange routing change information regarding the 303/719 split will be incorporated into the Local Exchange Routing Guide (LERG) and should be available approximately three months prior to the cutover.



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Copies of this letter are being forwarded to achieve the widest possible industry distribution. Questions on the 303/719 split may be referred to Mr. J. L. Baker, Mountain Bell at (303) 896-8557, or Mr. R. J. Cooper, Bellcore, at (201) 740-4614.

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Attachment

