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To: Consultations

Subject: Portability of Phone Numbers

Dear Sirs,

We saw an item in the newspaper recently, featuring an interview of Mr. Archibald, in connection with portability. For the record, we view the idea as an excellent concept. Especially because the providors know they have a client 'over a barrel' in the event of a client wishing to change providors because of complaint with service; it is not easy for the client to walk away from a provider and give up a telephone number that has been circulated to friends and all those contacts that one deals with in life. Therefore, in the interest of business efficiencies, we hope it does happen, that a phone number may be portable between providors. Accepted that there would be safeguards built into conditions, to avoid client abuse.

With kind regards,

Neil & Mary Anne Cox