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March 19, 1993

Ms. Donna R. Searcy
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street NW, Room 222
Washington, DC 20554

RE: In the Matter of Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association's (CTIA) Petition for Rulemaking for Amendment of the Commission's Policies and Rules Pertaining to the Regulation of Cellular Carriers (RM-8179)

Dear Ms. Searcy,

Enclosed for filing on behalf of ALLTEL Mobile Communications, Inc. are an original and four copies of its Statement in support of the referenced CTIA Petition for Rulemaking.

Should there be any questions concerning this matter, please contact the undersigned counsel.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Carolyn Hill". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Carolyn C. Hill
Counsel for
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The CTIA Petition seeks, inter alia, amendment of various tariff filing requirements contained in Part 61 of the FCC's Rules. ALLTEL Mobile has reviewed the requested rule changes and believes that they will facilitate and improve the tariff filing process for cellular carriers. Accordingly, ALLTEL Mobile believes that the requested rulemaking is in the public interest and should be conducted on an expedited basis.

Respectfully submitted,

ALLTEL Mobile Communications, Inc.

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I, Rita Ferrando, do hereby certify that on this 19th day of March, 1993, copies of the foregoing Statement were served by hand or by U. S. Mail, postage prepaid, on the following:

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