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Mr. William F. Caton, Acting Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street, N.W., Room 222
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RE: In the Matter of American Telephone and Telegraph Company Petition for the
Establishment of Additional Standards to Govern Study Area Boundary Changes in
Connection with the Transfer of Service Territories Between or Among Local
Exchange Carriers, RM 8334

Dear Mr. Caton:

Attached is the original and four copies of the Reply Comments of the United and
Central Telephone Companies in the matter referenced above.

Sincerely,

Jay C. Keithley
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Attachment

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RM-8334

REPLY COMMENTS OF THE UNITED AND CENTRAL
TELEPHONE COMPANIES

The United and Central Telephone companies ("United") reply to the comments filed in response to American Telephone and Telegraph Company's ("AT&T") September 3, 1993 Petition for Rule-making ("Petition").

The commenting parties unanimously opposed AT&T's Petition. Given this absence of any support, United urges the Commission to deny AT&T's Petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Melinda L. Mills, hereby certify that I have on this 5th day of November, 1993, sent via U.S. First Class Mail, postage prepaid, or Hand Delivery, a copy of the foregoing "Reply Comments of the United and Central Telephone Companies" in the Matter of American Telephone and Telegraph Company Petition for the Establishment of Additional Standards to Govern Study Area Boundary Changes in Connection with the Transfer of Service Territories Between or Among Local Exchange Carriers, RM 8334 filed this date with the Acting Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, to the persons listed on the attached service list.


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