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Mr. William F. Caton  
Acting Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
1919 M Street, N.W., Room 222  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Ex-Parte Meeting: CC Docket No. 96-128 (Pay Telephone  
Compensation and Reclassification)

Dear Mr. Caton:

AT&T met late yesterday with Greg Rosston and Patrick DeGraba of the Competitive Pricing Division, in the above-cited proceeding. AT&T was represented by Richard Rubin, and by me via telephone. The particular topic discussed was AT&T's views on the economics of the pay telephone business, including the distinction between dial around calls and local coin calls, as presented in AT&T's briefs in this docket.

Due to the late hour at which the meeting was concluded, this letter is being filed the following day. Two (2) copies of this letter are being submitted to the Secretary of the FCC in accordance with Section 1.1206(a)(2) of the Commission's rules.

Sincerely,

*R. H. Castellano / j*

cc: G. Rosston  
P. DeGraba

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