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

Re: CS Docket No. 96-112, Video Programming Cost Allocation

Dear Mr. Caton:

Today, on behalf of Bell Atlantic, Ed Shakin, John Broten and myself met with John Nakahata, Senior Legal Advisor to Chairman Hundt, to discuss our position in the above captioned docket.

Please include this correspondence as part of the public record of this proceeding. Please call me if you have any questions concerning the meeting.

Sincerely,



cc: J. Nakahata

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