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Federal Communications Commission
 Office of Secretary

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

Re: Implementation of the Non-Accounting Safeguards of Section 271 and 272 of the Communications Act of 1934 and Regulatory Treatment of LEC Provision of Interexchange Services Originating in the LEC's Local Exchange Area, CC Docket No. 96-149

Dear Mr. Caton:

In accordance with the Commission's rules governing ex parte presentations, please be advised that yesterday, Karol Sweitzer (representing Southwestern Bell Communications Services Inc. (SBCS)), David Brown (representing SBC Communications Inc. (SBC)), Timothy Leahy (representing SBC), and the undersigned met with Dr. Joseph Farrell, Chief Economist. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss SBC's position in the above-referenced rule making docket.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(a)(1) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206(a)(1), two copies of this letter and the supporting materials are provided for your use. Due to the late hour at which the meeting concluded, we are filing the required notification today.

Should you have any questions concerning the foregoing, do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

Todd F. Silbergeld

cc: Dr. Joseph Farrell

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