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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: **Southwestern Bell Telephone Company's Comparably Efficient  
Interconnection Plan for Interactive Call Manager (CC Docket  
Nos. 85-229, 90-623, 95-20)** ✓

Dear Mr. Caton:

In accordance with the Commission's rules governing ex parte presentations, please be advised that yesterday Dorothy Carter, Robert Gryzmala, David Howard, David Hickman, Mickey Klebba, and the undersigned, representing Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, met via telephone conference call with met with Bill Kehoe, Andrea Kearney, and Vaikunth Gupta of the Policy and Program Planning Division, Common Carrier Bureau. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss Southwestern Bell's Comparably Efficient Interconnection ("CEI") Plan for Interactive Call Manager.

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 are provided for your use. Due to the late hour at which the call concluded, we are filing this notification with your office today. Should you have any questions concerning the foregoing, do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

*Todd F. Silbergeld*

cc: Mr. Kehoe  
Ms. Kearney  
Mr. Gupta