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Mr. William F. Caton
Acting Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
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Re: Ex Parte Notification
MD Docket No. 96-186

Dear Mr. Caton:

In accordance with Section 1.1206(a) (2) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206(a)(2), this is to notify the Commission that on April 28, 1997, Robert Hoggarth, of the Personal Communications Industry Association ("PCIA"), and I, on behalf of PCIA, met with Terry D. Johnson of the Office of Managing Director.

The general purpose of this meeting was to discuss the concerns expressed in PCIA's comments and reply comments in the referenced regulatory fees docket. In particular, we discussed the regulatory fees paid by the messaging industry and how the FCC allocated its regulatory costs among various services.

Should you have any questions regarding the matter, please call me.

Respectfully yours,



Katherine M. Holden

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cc: Mr. Terry D. Johnson

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