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

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Re: FCC CS Docket No. 95-184 ✓
Telecommunications Services Inside Wiring; Federal Communications Commission
CC Docket No. 96-98,
Interconnection;
CS Docket No. 97-98,
Pole Attachments, Ducts, Conduits

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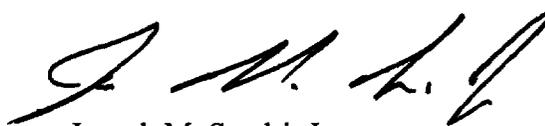
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Office of Secretary

Dear Mr. Caton:

On May 1, 1997, WinStar Communications, Inc. ("WinStar") met, on invitation, with Cable Service Bureau staff to clarify WinStar's position in the Interconnection proceeding and in related issues in the other above-captioned matters. Attending the meeting were the following members of the Cable Services Bureau: Meredith Jones, Bureau Chief; Barbara Esbin, Associate Bureau Chief; JoAnn Lucanik, Chief of the Policy and Rules Division; Elizabeth Beaty, Chief, Financial Analysis and Compliance Division; Nancy Stevenson, Attorney; and Claire Blue, Attorney Advisor. Robert Berger, Russell Merbeth, Steven Merrill and Joseph Sandri, Jr. attended on behalf of WinStar and its subsidiaries. WinStar's public filings in the Interconnection proceeding were discussed as they relate to WinStar's position that securing access to roofs, poles, ducts and conduits is essential to WinStar's network build out. Additionally, WinStar's inside wiring position--consistent with its earlier *ex parte* filings--that access to inside wiring is an integral part of its network was also mentioned. Finally, WinStar indicated that it is studying the Poles, Ducts and Conduits, Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, particularly as it relates to WinStar's position in the Interconnection and Inside Wiring proceedings.

Kindly place this letter in the public file. Should you have any comments or questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Cordially yours,



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