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TO: Chief, Reference Operations Division

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SUBJECT: QUALCOMM Incorporated v. FCC & USA, D.C. Cir. No. 98-1246: Filing of a new Petition for Review in the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit.

DATE: June 22, 1998

This is to advise you that QUALCOMM Incorporated ("QUALCOMM") on May 21, 1998, filed a 402(a) Petition for Review of: In the Matter of Dismissal of All Pending Pioneer's Preference Requests, CC Docket No. 92-297, RM-7872, PP-22; ET Docket No. 94-124, RM-8784; GEN Docket No. 90-314, PP-68; GEN Docket No. 90-357, PP-25; IB Docket No. 97-95, RM-8811; RM-7784, PP-23; RM-7912, PP-34, et al.; and Review of the Pioneer's Preference Rules, ET Docket No. 93-266, FCC 98-71, released April 23, 1998.

In response to a statute terminating the FCC's authority to grant pioneer's preferences, the Commission dismissed all pending applications for pioneer's preferences. QUALCOMM claims that the Commission acted improperly in dismissing its application.

The Court has docketed this case as No. 98-1246. The attorney assigned to handle the litigation of this case is James M. Carr.

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