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Ms. Magalie R. Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street, N.W.
Room 222
Washington, D.C. 20054

EX PARTE

Re: CC Docket Nos. 96-45/97-160, DA 98-715, Federal State Board on Universal Service

Dear Ms. Salas:

On September 11, 1998, GTE's Chairman Chuck Lee, along with Geoff Gould, head of our Washington office, and myself, met with Commissioner Furchtgott-Roth and Kevin Martin, Commissioner Tristani and Paul Gallant, Commissioner Ness and Jim Casserly, and Commissioner Powell and Kyle Dixon. We discussed materials that GTE has previously filed in the above docket, specifically the points in the attached outline presentation.

In accordance with Section 1.1206(a)(2) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. section 1.1206(a)(2) (1991), please include this letter in the record of the above proceeding. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

cc: Tom Power
Paul Gallant

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