

July 17, 2015

**VIA ECFS**

Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W.  
Washington, DC 20554

*Re: Applications of AT&T Inc. and DIRECTV for Consent to Assign or Transfer  
Control of Licenses and Authorizations, MB Docket No. 14-90*

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On July 17, 2015, Dave Schaeffer, CEO Cogent Communications, Inc. (“Cogent”), Robert Beury, Chief Legal Officer of Cogent, Hershel Wancjer, of Boies, Schiller & Flexner LLP, and I had a teleconference with Jonathan Sallet and Stephanie Weiner of the Commission’s Office of General Counsel to discuss AT&T Inc.’s (“AT&T”) proposed acquisition of DIRECTV. Specifically, our discussion focused on interconnection issues raised by the pending transaction.

We reiterated that, notwithstanding the recent interconnection agreement between Cogent and AT&T (see <http://www.cogentco.com/en/news/press-releases/741-cogent-and-at-t-enter-into-interconnection-agreement>), in order to find that the proposed transaction is consistent with the public interest the Commission should adopt the interconnection condition proposed in our May 12, 2015 ex parte submission and reiterated in the June 25, 2015 COMPTTEL ex parte submission.

Please direct any questions regarding this correspondence to my attention.

Sincerely,

/s/ Robert M. Cooper

cc: Jonathan Sallet, General Counsel  
Stephanie Weiner, Associate General Counsel