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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street, NW, Room 222
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Ex Parte Meeting
In the Matter of Applications for Transfer of Control to AT&T Corp. ("AT&T") of
Licenses and Authorizations Held by Tele-Communications, Inc. ("TCI")
CS Docket No. 98-178

Dear Ms. Roman Salas:

On Monday, November 9, 1998, C. Michael Armstrong, AT&T's Chairman and CEO, and I met with Chairman William Kennard and Ari Fitzgerald, Gina Keeney, Thomas Krattenmaker, and Thomas Power of the FCC. During this meeting, we discussed the need for the FCC's timely approval of the proposed merger of AT&T and TCI. We also compared narrowband and broadband Internet and online services and explained the substantial disincentive to AT&T's and TCI's investment in broadband that would result from the imposition of common carrier obligations on that plant. Finally, we emphasized that the broadband plant would be open to any provider of content or online services.

Two copies of this Notice are being submitted to the Secretary of the FCC in accordance with Section 1.1206(a)(2) of the Commission's rules.

Sincerely,

cc: Chairman William Kennard
Ari Fitzgerald
Gina Keeney
Thomas Krattenmaker
Thomas Power

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