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Re: Oral Ex Parte Presentation
Commission Notice of Inquiry on Implementation of Section 706
(Not Yet Docketed)

Dear Ms. Salas: (CC Docket Nos. 98-147, 98-11, 98-26, 98-32, 98-15, 98-78, 98-91,
and CCB/CPD No. 98-15, RM-9244)

On Tuesday, July 28, 1998, James Coltharp, Senior Director, Public Policy for Comcast Corporation, had a telephone meeting with Anita Wallgren of Commissioner Ness's office to discuss the above-referenced matter. During the meeting, the participants discussed issues likely to be considered in the Commission's upcoming notice of inquiry regarding implementation of Section 706 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. The topics of discussion included the importance of considering marketplace developments for advanced services, as demonstrated by the investments made by Comcast in broadband infrastructure. The discussion also emphasized the likely effects of potential Commission actions resulting from the Section 706 proceeding on future cable investment in advanced services.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's Rules, an original and one copy of this letter are being submitted to the Secretary's office and a copy is being provided to Ms. Wallgren via hand delivery. Please inform me if any questions should arise in connection with this filing.

Respectfully submitted,


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cc: Anita Wallgren

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