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EX PARTE NOTICE

Re: In the Matter of Allocation and Designation
of Spectrum for Fixed Satellite Services in the
37.5-38.5 GHZ, 40.5-41.5 GHZ, and 48.2-50.2 GHZ
Frequency Bands, etc., IB Docket No. 97-95

Dear Ms. Salas:

Representatives of users and manufacturers of terrestrial fixed microwave equipments and systems met with International Bureau ("IB") and Wireless Telecommunications Bureau ("WTB") staff on November 20, 1998, at the invitation of the staff, to discuss the current status of the above cited rulemaking proceeding. The staff also provided indications of preliminary plans for resolving certain issues in the proceeding affecting terrestrial fixed interests.

The aforementioned representatives present at the meeting were:

- Pam Cheeks, AT&T
- Jane M. Vaughan, AT&T
- Lisa Volpe, AT&T Wireless
- Ken Ryan, COMSEARCH
- Barry Ohlson, WINSTAR
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An original and one copy of the EX PARTE Notice are being provided to the Secretary of the Commission, FCC staff persons listed below, and to industry representatives including members of the FWCC.

If there are questions, do not hesitate to call the undersigned at (703) 812-0480.

Respectfully submitted,



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