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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas  
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Federal Communications Commission  
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Re: **EX PARTE**  
ET Docket No. 95-18; IB Docket No. 99-81

Dear Ms. Salas:

On Wednesday, May 19, 1999, Francis Coleman and the undersigned, representing ICO Global Communications, and Norman Leventhal, representing the ICO U.S. Service Group, met with Roderick Porter, Linda Haller, Tom Tycz, Karl Kensinger, Howard Griboff and Chris Murphy of the International Bureau to discuss the above-captioned proceedings.

The discussions focused on the parties' comments and ex parte notices filed in the above-captioned proceedings. The participants also discussed possible approaches to a negotiated entry approach to licensing 2 GHz mobile satellite service ("MSS") providers and to a gradual transition of 2 GHz incumbent licensees out of the 2 GHz frequencies allocated to MSS.

Respectfully submitted,

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