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Re: Diversified Communications Engineering and Northpoint Technology's **Notice of *Ex Parte* Presentation** Meeting Regarding ET Docket No. 98-206, RM-9147, RM-9245 and Northpoint's Washington Testing

Dear Ms. Salas:

Diversified Communications Engineering, Inc. ("DCE") and Northpoint Technology, Ltd. ("Northpoint") hereby submit for filing in the above-referenced proceeding notice of two *ex parte* meetings on September 21, 1999. I met with Peter Pappas of the International Bureau and had a separate meeting with Dale Hatfield, Julius Knapp, Geri Matise and Tom Derenge of the Office of Engineering and Technology. I indicated in both meetings that the record in the above-referenced proceedings demonstrate that Northpoint can share spectrum with both NGSO and GSO satellites. I also urged the Commission to act promptly to resolve the Northpoint/NGSO/GSO sharing issues.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, an original and one copy of this notice are being filed with the Secretary, and an additional copy is being served on the parties to the discussion.

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Please date-stamp the attached duplicate upon receipt and return it via the messenger for our records. If any questions arise concerning this matter, kindly contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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