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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 - 12th Street, S.W., Room TW-A325
Washington, DC 20554

Ex Parte

Re: WT Docket No. 92-235 ✓
WT Docket No. 97-81
WT Docket No. 99-87

Dear Ms. Salas:

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's Rules, this is to notify you that representatives of the United Telecom Council (UTC) met yesterday with the staff of Commissioner Ness to discuss various issues related to the above-referenced dockets. Specifically, UTC discussed the need for greater frequency coordination protections for private land mobile systems licensed to utilities and pipelines; the need for a separate "Public Service Radio Service;" and the need to lift the freeze on the filing of applications for 900 MHz multiple address systems.

Attending the meeting on behalf of UTC were Stephen Carrico, of Wisconsin Public Service Corporation; Carol Gittinger, of Austin Energy; Charles Holcomb, of Williams Gas Pipeline; Robert Leonard, of New York Power Authority; and Jeffrey Sheldon, of UTC.

Six copies of this notice are being submitted so that two copies may be filed in the record of each of the above-referenced proceedings.

If there are any questions concerning this matter, please let me know.

Very truly yours,



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Cc: Mark Schneider, FCC

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