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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th St., SW, Room TWB-204
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Notice of oral Ex Parte Presentation:
In the Matter of Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions in the Local Telecommunications Act of 1996, Fourth Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, CC Docket No. 96-98; In the Matter of Access Charge Reform, CC Docket No. 96-262; Price Cap Performance Review for Local Exchange Carriers, CC Docket No. 94-1; Low-Volume Long Distance Users, CC Docket No. 99-249; Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, CC Docket No. 96-45

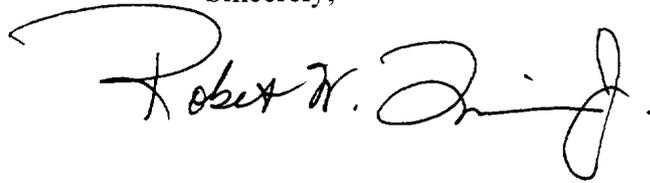
Dear Ms. Salas:

On Wednesday February 2, 2000, Joel Lubin and I, of AT&T had a meeting with Larry Strickling, Chief of the Common Carrier Bureau, Don Stockdale, Associate Bureau Chief for the Common Carrier Bureau, Jake Jennings and Jodie Donovan-May, of the Policy and Program Planning Division of the Common Carrier Bureau, regarding matters related to the referenced proceeding. In particular, we described the various configurations of special access circuits and UNEs and how those facilities are used to provide local, advanced and long distances services. We also discussed that it is inappropriate to apply the necessary and impair test for the transport UNE on a service-by-service basis. Finally, we discussed why resolution of the issues related to special access should not be linked to the proposal set forth by the Coalition for Affordable Local and Long Distance Service.

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Two copies of this Notice are being submitted in accordance with Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert W. Zing". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "R" and a long, sweeping tail.

cc: Larry Strickling
Don Stockdale
Jake Jennings
Jodie Donovan-May