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In the Matter of	)	
	)	IB Docket No. 96-261
International Settlement Rates	)	
	)	DA 99-479
Petition of AT&T, MCI WorldCom and Sprint for	)	
Enforcement of International Settlements Benchmark	)	
For Services with the Netherlands Antilles	)	

**WITHDRAWAL OF PETITION OF AT&T, MCI WORLDCOM AND SPRINT FOR ENFORCEMENT OF INTERNATIONAL SETTLEMENTS BENCHMARK RATES FOR SERVICES WITH THE NETHERLANDS ANTILLES**

AT&T Corp., MCI WorldCom, Inc. and Sprint Communications Company LP (collectively, "Petitioners") hereby request withdrawal of their Petition, previously filed on February 25, 1999, that requested enforcement of the benchmark settlement rate of \$0.15 with respect to U.S. international services with the Netherlands Antilles, as required by the Commission's *Benchmarks Order*.<sup>1</sup> Petitioners originally requested this enforcement action to ensure compliance with the rules adopted in the *Benchmarks Order*.

Since the time of the filing, the three Petitioners have all reached settlements agreements with Antelcom N.V., the foreign correspondent in the Netherlands Antilles, that

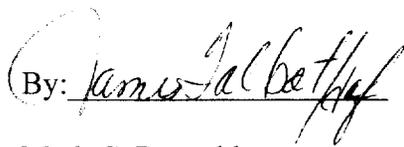
<sup>1</sup> *In the Matter of International Settlement Rates*, 12 FCC Rcd 19806 (1997) (Report and Order) ("*Benchmarks Order*"), recon. pending; *aff'd sub nom. Cable and Wireless P.L.C. v. FCC et al.*, C.A.D.C. No. 97-1612, Jan. 12, 1999.

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comply with the requirements of the *Benchmarks Order*. Thus, the Petitioners hereby respectfully withdraw the above-referenced Petition, as such enforcement is no longer required.

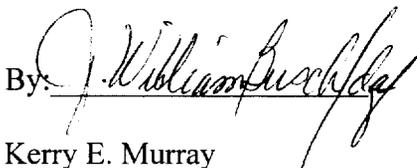
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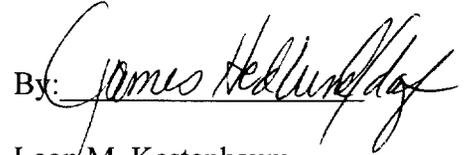
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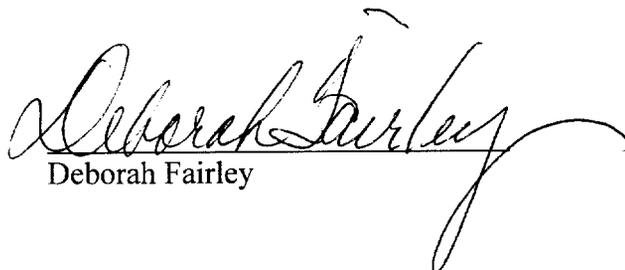
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