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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W., TW-A325
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Re: **Comments of Viatel, Inc.**
IB Docket 00-106

Dear Ms. Salas:

Pursuant to Section 1.49(f)(1) of the Commission's rules, please find enclosed one electronic copy of the Comments of Viatel, Inc. in response to the Commission's Notice of Proposed Rule Making, issued June 22, 2000 in the above-captioned proceeding.

Very truly yours,

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