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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th St., S.W.
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Washington, DC 20554

Re: FCC Docket Nos. 97-21 and 96-45 In the matter of: Nomination for Universal Service Administrator's Board of Directors

Dear Ms. Roman Salas:

In connection with the referenced Nomination for Universal Service Administrator's Board of Directors, AT&T nominates Mr. Joel Lubin to represent the Inter-Exchange Carriers with more than \$3 billion in annual operating revenues for the term beginning January 1, 2001.

Mr. Lubin has over thirty years of experience with AT&T working on complex industry issues. He has developed a detailed knowledge of the telecommunications industry, concerning, among other things, universal service, access charge reform, and local exchange competition. This experience coupled with Mr. Lubin's quantitative finance and managerial skills will enable him to represent the IXC perspective on the USAC Board in an expert and professional fashion.

I have enclosed a copy of Mr. Lubin's biography.

Sincerely,

cc: Accounting Policy Division, Common Carrier Bureau
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Mr. Lubin is Federal Government Affairs - Vice President at AT&T. He is responsible for developing public policy at the federal and state levels. In particular, he formulates regulatory policies associated with access charges, universal service, local exchange competition and LEC regulation.

Mr. Lubin has over thirty years experience with AT&T. He started with Bell Telephone Laboratories in 1969 developing computer models/algorithms solving business problems. In 1972 he transferred to Long Lines, a department of AT&T, where he held various positions conducting economic analysis on telecommunications issues, and developed computer systems/algorithms to support AT&T's national sales force.

From 1984 to the present time, Mr. Lubin has taken on major telecommunications industry issues that required: directing the development of economic analysis, formulating public positions and advocating those positions to the federal regulators. In addition, Mr. Lubin managed, directed and led large interdepartmental teams addressing these complex problems. Finally, he has represented AT&T in various external coalitions, and negotiated solutions to complex industry problems with industry participants.

Mr. Lubin has testified before the FCC and the Federal-State Joint Board on numerous occasions addressing access and universal service issues. He was also selected by the Federal-State Joint Board to participate in a multi-year Rural Task Force to address universal service issues associated with rural telephone companies.

Mr. Lubin received a BA degree in Mathematics from Wilkes University in 1969. In addition he earned an MS Degree in Operations Research/Engineering Methods from Columbia University in 1973 and an MBA from Fordham University in 1976.