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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, SW, Room TWB-204
Washington, D.C. 20554

RE: In the Matter of Applications for Transfer of Control to AT&T Corp.
("AT&T") of Licenses and Authorizations Held by MediaOne Group, Inc.
("MediaOne"), CS Docket No. 99-251

Dear Ms. Salas:

A copy of the attached was provided yesterday to Darryl Cooper, Royce Dickens, Susan Eid, William J. Friedman IV, David Goodfriend, Sherille Ismail, William Johnson, Deborah Lathen, Joanna Mikes, Karen Onyeije, Robert Pepper, Doug Sicker and Helgi Walker.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Betsy J. Brady".

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EIGHT ISPs JOIN AT&T BROADBAND CHOICE TRIAL

—AT&T Invests \$20 Million in Colorado Trial, Initial Testing Yields Positive Results—

BOULDER, Colo.—AT&T Broadband today kicked off the trial here of multiple ISPs over its broadband network, the company said. The trial, known as AT&T Broadband Choice, will offer up to 500 customers a choice of ISPs for high-speed, always-on cable Internet service over the hybrid fiber-coaxial network.

The eight participating ISPs represent a broad range of sizes, specialties and geographic scopes. Excite@Home will join the trial as an ISP that has traditionally provided its services to cable companies. EarthLink, Juno and WorldNet will enter the trial as national ISPs along with FriendlyWorks, an ISP specifically designed for seniors. RMI.net is a Denver-based regional ISP. Winfire and Flashcom come to the Boulder trial as DSL Internet service providers.

As participants in the trial, the ISPs will share customer care processes, connect to the AT&T Broadband network and develop interfaces with AT&T to provide customer service. Early testing of network and interface technology to accommodate multiple ISPs on the AT&T Broadband network has yielded positive results.

To date, AT&T Broadband has invested \$20 million in developing technology that will allow customers a choice of Internet service providers on the AT&T Broadband network.

"We are pleased with our progress in developing a solution that will allow customers a choice of ISPs on the Broadband network," said Susan Marshall, senior vice president of Data Services for AT&T Broadband. "ISP choice presents unique challenges for the owners of hybrid-fiber coaxial networks and we're eager to demonstrate that we will meet that challenge."

The challenges include redesigning the broadband network to accommodate multiple ISPs. AT&T Broadband is engineering new systems and system interfaces such as customer provisioning, monitoring and billing systems to ensure a smooth experience for customers.

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The \$20 million budget includes expenses such as network equipment, the development of network management applications and the creation of the customer "service agent."

The service agent is a special software package being designed by AT&T Labs that will allow customers to manage several aspects of their Internet connections. Customers will be able to choose one or more ISPs, specify connection speeds, change connection speeds and adjust speeds to match the capabilities of the devices they own. The service agent will also have diagnostic and customer care functions that will help customers identify where additional support is available.

About 50 specialists from across AT&T have been dedicated to the development and implementation of AT&T Broadband Choice.

Another multiple-ISP trial is being planned for Massachusetts next year. Findings from the Boulder trial will be incorporated into the Massachusetts trial.

AT&T Broadband, a business unit of AT&T, is the nation's largest broadband service company, providing television entertainment services to more than 16 million customers across the nation. The company also provides advanced services, such as AT&T Digital Cable; AT&T@Home and AT&T Road Runner, high-speed cable Internet services; and competitive local and long-distance phone service. AT&T Corp. (NYSE:T) is the world's leader in telecommunications services and technology.

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