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Re: CC Dockets Nos. 96-61, 98-183, 1998 Biennial Regulatory Review – Review of Customer Premises Equipment and Enhanced Services Unbundling Rules in the Interexchange, Exchange Access and Local Exchange

Dear Ms. Salas:

On March 15, 2001, Mary Brown of WorldCom met with Kyle Dixon and Laura Newman of Chairman Powell's office. WorldCom stressed the need for the Commission to promptly issue an order permitting non-dominant carriers to bundle their basic telecommunication services with customer premise equipment (CPE) and to provide clarification regarding the permissibility of bundled services offerings that include enhance services. WorldCom also discussed its concerns with dominant carriers being permitted to bundle their basic telecommunications services with CPE and/or enhanced services.

Sincerely,


Karen Reidy

cc: Kyle Dixon
Laura Newman

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