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Re: CC Docket No. 01-09
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Dear Ms. Salas:

On April 7, 2001, Donna Sorgi, Vice President, Federal Advocacy, WorldCom, Inc., and Richard Metzger of Lawler, Metzger, and Milkman, counsel to WorldCom, met with Commissioner Harold Furchtgott-Roth and Bryan Tramont, Senior Legal Advisor to Commissioner Furchtgott-Roth, to discuss Verizon's application in the above-referenced proceeding. The WorldCom representatives reiterated points previously advanced in the company's comments in this proceeding, particularly Verizon's failure to offer prices for unbundled switching and local loops that comply with the requirements of section 271 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

In accordance with section 1.1206(b)(1) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §1.1206(b)(1), an original and one copy of this letter and enclosure are being provided to you for inclusion in the public record of the above-referenced proceeding.

Sincerely,

A. Richard Metzger, Jr.
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cc: Commissioner Furchtgott-Roth
Bryan Tramont

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