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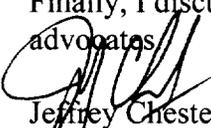
Re: Oral Ex Parte, CS Docket 01-7

Dear Ms. Salas:

On July 25, 2001, I had a brief telephone conversation with Ms. Barbara Espin of the Commission's Cable Bureau.

I described my organization's interest in the above-mentioned proceeding. I discussed how the issue of open access to the broadband Internet is fundamentally one of the key issues to be considered.

Finally, I discussed organizing a briefing for the staff with myself and consumer advocates.


Jeffrey Chester
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