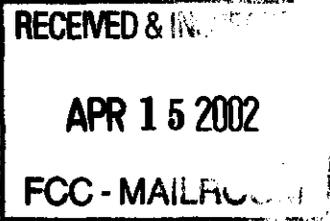




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Re: **British Telecommunications plc and AT&T Corporation Unwind of Concert Joint Venture, FCC Docket Nos. 98-212 and 01-330**

Dear Mssrs. Lafaro and Graf:

As you are aware, representatives of the Department of Justice, the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Department of Defense met with representatives of AT&T Corp. ("AT&T") and British Telecommunications plc ("BT") concerning the proposed termination of the Concert joint venture between the two companies. More specifically, the purpose of the meeting was to discuss the companies' request in your letter dated November 7, 2001, that the government agencies agree to terminate the agreement entered into among the companies and the government agencies on October 7, 1999. During and after the meeting, the companies made certain representations concerning the unwinding of the joint venture, and the policies and practices of BT after the unwinding of Concert. Representations regarding the policies and practice of BT after the unwinding of Concert were restated in the February 21, 2002, letter (attached) submitted by the companies to the FCC.

Based on the representations made during and after the meeting, and those regarding the policies and practices of BT after the unwinding of Concert set forth in the letter, the Department of Justice, the FBI and the Department of Defense have decided, per Article 5.1, that as soon as the unwinding of the Concert joint venture is completed, the Agreement is terminated. I expect that the Department of Justice and the FBI will send a separate letter on this matter.

Sincerely,

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