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memorandum

TO: Chief, Reference Information Center
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FROM:  Daniel M. Armstrong
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SUBJECT: *In re: American Public Communications Council, Inc.*, No. 01-1458. Filing of a Conditional Petition for a Writ of Mandamus in the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit.

DATE: October 25, 2001

This is to advise you that the American Public Communications Council, Inc. on October 15, 2001, filed a conditional petition for a writ of mandamus. In the event that the Court grants the mandamus petition filed by SBC and Verizon in D.C. Cir. No. 01-1431 and directs the FCC to act on the issue of payphone compensation for the period from November 7, 1996, to October 6, 1997, petitioner asks the Court to order the FCC to resolve the issue of payphone compensation for the period from October 7, 1997, to April 21, 1999.

The Court has docketed this case as No. 01-1458. The attorney assigned to handle the litigation of this case is James M. Carr.