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**Re: Smith Bagley, Inc.  
Interstate Access Certification  
CC Docket 96-45**

Dear Ms. Dortch and Ms. Flannery:

On behalf of Smith Bagley, Inc., we hereby forward the attached certification for interstate access support pursuant to FCC Rule Section 54.809.

Sincerely,



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**Re: Docket 96-45  
Smith Bagley, Inc., Certification for Interstate Access Support**

Dear Ms. Flannery and Ms. Dortch:

This certification is submitted on behalf of Smith Bagley, Inc., in accordance with FCC Rule Section 54.809(a). On behalf of Smith Bagley, Inc., I hereby certify that all interstate access universal service support provided to the Company will be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.



Richard Watkins

General Manager

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May 20, 2002

Date