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Ms. Marlene Dortch
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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
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Re: Notice of Ex Parte Presentation
ET Docket No. ~~98-206~~/Compass Systems, Inc. DBS application; Northpoint
Petition for Rulemaking (RM-9245); Skybridge Petition for Rulemaking (RM-9147);
Applications of Broadwave USA, et al., PDC Broadband Corporation, and Satellite
Receivers, Ltd. to provide a fixed service in the 12.2-12.7 GHz Band; Requests of
Broadwave USA, et al. (DA 99-494), PDC Broadband Corporation (DA 00-1841),
Satellite Receivers, Ltd. (DA 00-2134) for Waiver of Part 101 Rules; and EchoStar
Satellite Corporation Memorandum Opinion and Order (DA 02-1163)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On June 26, 2002, Antoinette Cook Bush and Sophia Collier of Compass Systems, Inc. ("Compass") met with Commissioner Kathleen Abernathy and her senior legal advisor, Bryan Tramont. The Compass representatives encouraged the Commission to place Compass's direct broadcast satellite ("DBS") space station application on public notice. They noted that the Commission has accepted for filing SES Americom's petition for declaratory ruling even though the petition was filed subsequent to the Compass DBS application. In addition, the Compass representatives reviewed the arguments raised in Compass's Application for Review of the Commission's recent decision granting EchoStar a western DBS orbital slot, DA 02-1163.

Pursuant to sections 1.1206(b)(1) and 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules, we are filing fourteen copies of this notice of ex parte presentation with the Office of the Secretary. Please associate two copies of this notice with each of the following proceedings: RM-9245, RM-9147, DA 99-494, DA 00-1841, DA 00-2134, DA 02-1163, and the proceeding to review the Compass DBS application. We have electronically submitted a copy of this notice in ET Docket No. 98-206.

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Please contact the undersigned with any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Phil Marchesiello", written over the word "Sincerely,".

Phil Marchesiello, Esq.

Counsel for Compass Systems, Inc.