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**EX PARTE – Via Electronic Filing**

Ms. Marlene Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
The Portals  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W.  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: CC Dockets No. 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200,  
95-116, 98-170, and NSD File No. L-00-72

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 17, 2002, Donna Sorgi and Rick Whitt (of WorldCom), Richard Metzger (on behalf of WorldCom), Brian Moir (on behalf of eTUG), Staci Pies (of Level 3), and Chris Wright and I (on behalf of the Coalition for Sustainable Universal Service (“CoSUS”))<sup>1</sup> met with Chairman Powell and Chris Libertelli to discuss the above-captioned proceeding.

We provided them with the attached handouts, which summarize the points made in our presentation.

In accordance with FCC rules, a copy of this letter is being filed in each of the above-captioned dockets.

Sincerely,



John T. Nakahata  
*Counsel to the Coalition for Sustainable  
Universal Service*

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Attachment

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<sup>1</sup> CoSUS is comprised of eTUG, Level 3 and WorldCom.