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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: *Ex Parte Presentation*
In the Matter of Review of the Section 251 Unbundling
Obligations of Incumbent Local Exchange Carriers,
CC Docket Nos. 01-338, 96-98, 98-147

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On December 13, 2002, Donna Sorgi, Vice President, Federal Advocacy, WorldCom, Inc. ("WorldCom"), Kimberly Scardino, Senior Counsel, WorldCom, and A. Richard Metzger, Jr., and the undersigned, counsel for WorldCom, had a telephone conversation with Christopher Libertelli regarding the above-captioned proceeding. During that call, WorldCom discussed the unbundled network element platform (UNE-P) and the conditions under which competitive local exchange carriers could transition from UNE-P to the unbundled loop (UNE-L), consistent with WorldCom's previous written submissions in this docket.

Pursuant to section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206(b)(2), this letter is being provided to you for inclusion in the public record of the above-referenced proceeding.

Sincerely,

/s/ Ruth Milkman

Ruth Milkman

cc: Christopher Libertelli