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Federal Communications Commission
c/o Commission Secretary, Marlene H. Dortch
445 12th Street, SW, CY-B402
Washington, D.C. 20554
RE: FCC Proceeding Docket No. 03-167

Dear Commissioners,

On July 29, 2002, Columbus City Council passed Resolution No. 151X-02, a copy of which is enclosed to formally express our support for SBC Ohio's (formally SBC Ameritech) long distance application with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio. Today, I write to you to formally transmit a copy of that resolution and to express my support for the company's long distance application.

I urge you to act favorably upon SBC Ohio's application.

Very truly yours,

Michael B. Coleman
Mayor