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Marlene Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
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Re: *Ex Parte* Presentation – Revision of the Commission’s Rules to
Ensure Compatibility With Enhanced 911 Emergency Calling
Systems; CC Docket No. 94-102, IB Docket No. 99-67.

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On November 4, 2003, the undersigned, on behalf of the Ad Hoc Telecommunications Users Committee, met with Scott Bergmann, Acting Deputy Division Chief, and Marcy Greene, Attorney Advisor, of the Competition Policy Division in the Wireline Competition Bureau, to discuss the proceeding identified above.

The participants discussed the positions advocated by Ad Hoc in its written comments filed in this docket. Specifically, the participants discussed Ad Hoc’s position that the Commission lacks jurisdiction to impose work-place safety obligations on the owners and operators of Multi-Line Telephone Systems (“MLTS”), and therefore cannot lawfully promulgate E911 regulations with which such entities must comply. The participants discussed the potential lack of resources and expertise at the Commission to develop what are essentially work-place safety requirements in a sufficiently granular form to accommodate the wide variety of workplaces across the nation. Finally, the participants discussed the role of state and local authorities in developing workplace safety E911 regulations. Ad Hoc emphasized that such authorities are better positioned than the Commission to determine whether such regulations are necessary or desirable and, if so, to develop regulations tailored to the workplaces within their jurisdictions.

In addition to the oral presentation, I provided to Mr. Bergmann a copy of a written presentation that was originally delivered to Ms. Greene on July 25, 2003. The presentation was attached to a letter filed with the Commission on the same date providing notice of an ex parte communication.

This letter is filed in accordance with Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206(b).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Andrew M. Brown", written in a cursive style.

Andrew M. Brown

cc: Scott Bergmann
Marcy Greene

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