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Ms Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Pick and Choose NPRM; CC Dockets 01-338, 96-98, and 98-147

Dear Ms Dortch:

This is to notify you that Lisa Brooks, Jon Banks, and the undersigned, all of BellSouth, met today with Commissioner Jonathan Adelstein and his legal advisor, Scott Bergman, to discuss the FCC's current Pick and Choose rules and how they affect interconnection negotiations in inefficient and non-productive ways. The information and positions discussed are already on the record in the above named proceeding.

Pursuant to Commission rules, please include this notice in the record of the proceedings identified above.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Mary L. Henze in cursive, followed by the initials "sdh".

cc: Commissioner Jonathan Adelstein
Scott Bergman