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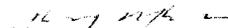
Marlene R. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20554

Re: ***Ex Parte***, Developing a Unified Intercarrier Compensation Regime,
CC Docket No. 01-92

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, this will provide notice that on Thursday, January 27, 2005, John Sumpter (Vice President – Regulatory, Pac-West Telecomm, Inc.) and the undersigned met with Tamara Preiss (Division Chief, Competitive Pricing Policy Division), Steven Morris (Deputy Division Chief, Competitive Pricing Policy Division), Victoria Goldberg (Associate General Counsel, Competitive Pricing Policy Division), Randy Clarke (Attorney Advisor, Competitive Pricing Policy Division), Jay Atkinson (Economist, Competitive Pricing Policy Division), and Christopher Barnekov (Economist, Competitive Pricing Policy Division) of the Wireline Competition Bureau to discuss issues relating to the appropriate sharing of cost for interconnection facilities. PacWest explained how costs were currently shared as a result of state commission orders when parties were unable to agree on how facility costs were to be shared.

Sincerely,



Richard M. Rindler

cc: Tamara Preiss
Steve Morris
Victoria Goldberg
Randy Clarke
Jay Atkinson
Christopher Barnekov
John Sumpter

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