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BY E-MAIL

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RE: Request for further information regarding IB Docket Nos. 03-38, 02-324, 96-261

Dear Ms. Cook,

Thank you for your e-mail of March 16. In answer to your question, Sprint's current interim agreement with PLDT does not expressly anticipate or preclude retroactive modification by any final agreement that may be reached between the parties. It does state that the current agreement will remain interim "until and unless the FCC permits ISR arrangements between PLDT and U.S. carriers, at which time (effective upon such date, and to the extent, as the FCC permits)," the agreement would become final. In another part of the agreement, the parties agree "to conform to the applicable laws and regulations" of their governments in the performance of their obligations under the agreement.

As Sprint has indicated previously in this proceeding, all the rates negotiated in its interim agreements with PLDT are below the benchmark for the Philippines. There is no indication, and Sprint does not anticipate, that any final settlement agreement with PLDT made possible through a change in Commission policy toward the Philippines (*i.e.*, the lifting of the ISP requirements imposed in the International Bureau's order of March 10, 2003) would result in any change in the rates for termination of traffic by PLDT.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "David A. Nall".

David A. Nall

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CC: Service List

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that that this 22nd day of March , copies of the attached letters from David Nall to Marlene Dortch, FCC, dated March 11, 2005, and to Kimberly Cook, FCC, dated March 22, 2005, were mailed, first-class and postage-prepaid to the parties on the attached service list.

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