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**VIA ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION**

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Office of the Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: Notice of Ex Parte Statement**  
WC Docket No. 04-36

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 5, 2005 Jack Zinman, Hank Hultquist, John Nolan and the undersigned on behalf of SBC Communications, Inc. (SBC) met via telephone with Julie Veach, Christi Shewman, Tim Stelzig, and Nicholas Alexander of the Wireline Competition Bureau. At the Bureau staff's request, the purpose of the call was to provide an update on discussions between SBC and Vonage on VOIP 911 capability. SBC represented that discussions between the parties were progressing. SBC stated that it has offered in writing to provide Vonage access to 911 selective routers on the same basis as such access is available to CLECs today. SBC also represented that it has shared a willingness with Vonage to develop additional VOIP 911 capabilities once basic connectivity was established. SBC further indicated that it has requested detailed technical information from Vonage regarding some of the additional 911 capabilities Vonage is seeking, but SBC has yet to receive such detailed written information from Vonage.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's Rules, this letter is being electronically filed with the Commission.

Please contact the undersigned at (202) 326-8883 should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

/s/ James K. Smith

*cc (via electronic mail)*  
Julie Veach  
Christi Shewman  
Tim Stelzig  
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