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EX PARTE

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

Re: WC Docket No. 04-36; 04-29; 04-405; 02-33; 01-337

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This is to notify you that on May 10, 2005, F. Duane Ackerman, Chairman and CEO of BellSouth, met with Commissioner Kathleen Abernathy. Also, attending this meeting were Jon Banks and the undersigned of BellSouth.

During the course of this meeting, Mr. Ackerman touched on a number of proceedings that are pending before the Commission, particularly the regulatory treatment of Broadband and IP-Enabled services. Mr. Ackerman's comments were consistent with the positions previously expressed by BellSouth in the proceedings identified above.

Sincerely,



Glenn T. Reynolds