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Mr. Thomas J. Navin  
Chief  
Wireline Competition Bureau  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: *Acknowledgment of Confidentiality* – WC Docket No. 05-75

Dear Mr. Navin:

Please find attached the *Acknowledgment of Confidentiality* that I have executed in order to obtain access to confidential materials in the foregoing proceeding.

This letter and the attached *Acknowledgment* are being filed electronically with the Office of the Secretary. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Patrick J. Grant  
Counsel for SBC Communications Inc.

Attachment

cc (w/att): Office of the Secretary  
William Dever  
Marcus Maher  
Teresa Baer, Counsel for Global Crossing

**APPENDIX B****Acknowledgment of Confidentiality****WC Docket No. 05-75**

I hereby acknowledge that I have received and read a copy of the foregoing Protective Order in the above-captioned proceeding, and I understand it. I agree that I am bound by the Protective Order and that I shall not disclose or use Stamped Confidential Documents or Confidential Information except as allowed by the Protective Order. I acknowledge that a violation of the Protective Order is a violation of an order of the Federal Communications Commission.

Without limiting the foregoing, to the extent that I have any employment, affiliation or role with any person or entity other than a conventional private law firm (such as, but not limited to, a lobbying or public interest organization), I acknowledge specifically that my access to any information obtained as a result of the Protective Order is due solely to my capacity as Counsel or consultant to a party or other person described in paragraph 4 of the foregoing Protective Order and that I will not use such information in any other capacity nor will I disclose such information except as specifically provided in the Protective Order.

I hereby certify that I am not involved in "competitive decision-making" as that term is used in the definition of In-House Counsel in paragraph 1 of the Protective Order.

I acknowledge that it is my obligation to ensure that: (1) Stamped Confidential Documents and Confidential Information are used only as provided in the Protective Order; and (2) Stamped Confidential Documents are not duplicated except as specifically permitted by the terms of paragraph 9 of the Protective Order, and I certify that I have verified that there are in place procedures, at my firm or office, to prevent unauthorized disclosure of Stamped Confidential Documents or Confidential Information.

Capitalized terms used herein and not otherwise defined shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Order or Protective Order.

Executed at Washington, D.C., this 8th day of June, 2005.



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