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

Re: ***E911 Requirements for IP-Enabled Service Providers*, WC Docket No. 05-196**
***IP-Enabled Services*, WC Docket No. 04-36**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 22, 2006, Henry Gomez, General Manager of the North American Region and Christopher Libertelli, Director, Government and Regulatory Affairs of Skype, Inc., met with Thomas Navin, Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau and Marcus Maher, Julie Veach and Thomas Buckley of the Wireline Competition Bureau to provide an update regarding Skype's Business and Public Policy. The handout provided during the meeting is attached.

Please do not hesitate to address any questions to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

Henry Goldberg

Attachment
cc: Thomas Navin
Marcus Maher
Julie Veach
Thomas Buckley

Skype Business and Public Policy Update

Henry Gomez

General Manager, Skype Inc. | North America

Christopher Libertelli

Director, Government and Regulatory Affairs, Skype Inc. | North America

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The Skype Business Model

- Skype's business is software
- Skype is at the center of an ecosystem of hardware and software partners
- Skype fosters broadband penetration; we need a supportive policy environment to continue to do so

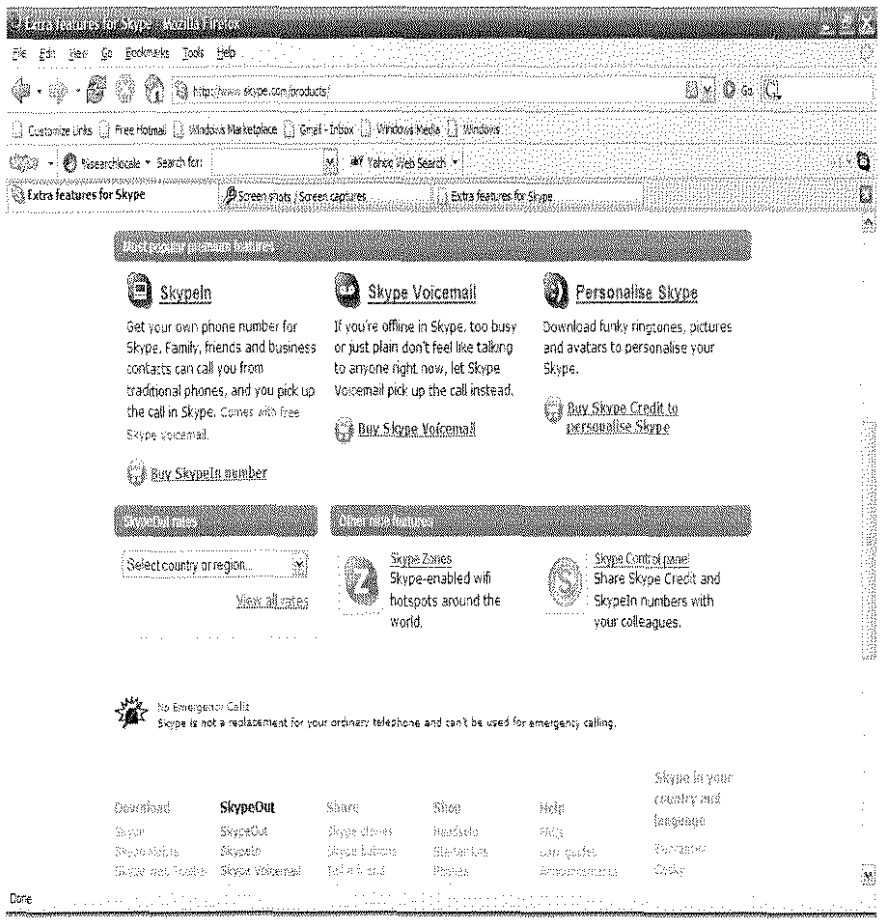
Skype Public Policy Messages

- An open Internet is necessary for Skype's growth
  - Additional network neutrality legislation and enforcement is necessary
- Skype is not a replacement for your traditional phone
  - Skype provides explicit, plain-language warnings of our limitations
- Skype takes seriously its legal obligations to cooperate with law enforcement

Thank you!

Skype Service Appendices

Emergency Calling Warnings



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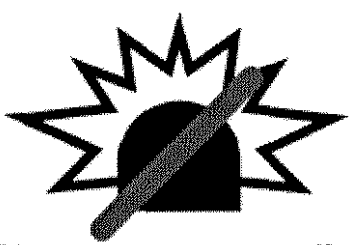

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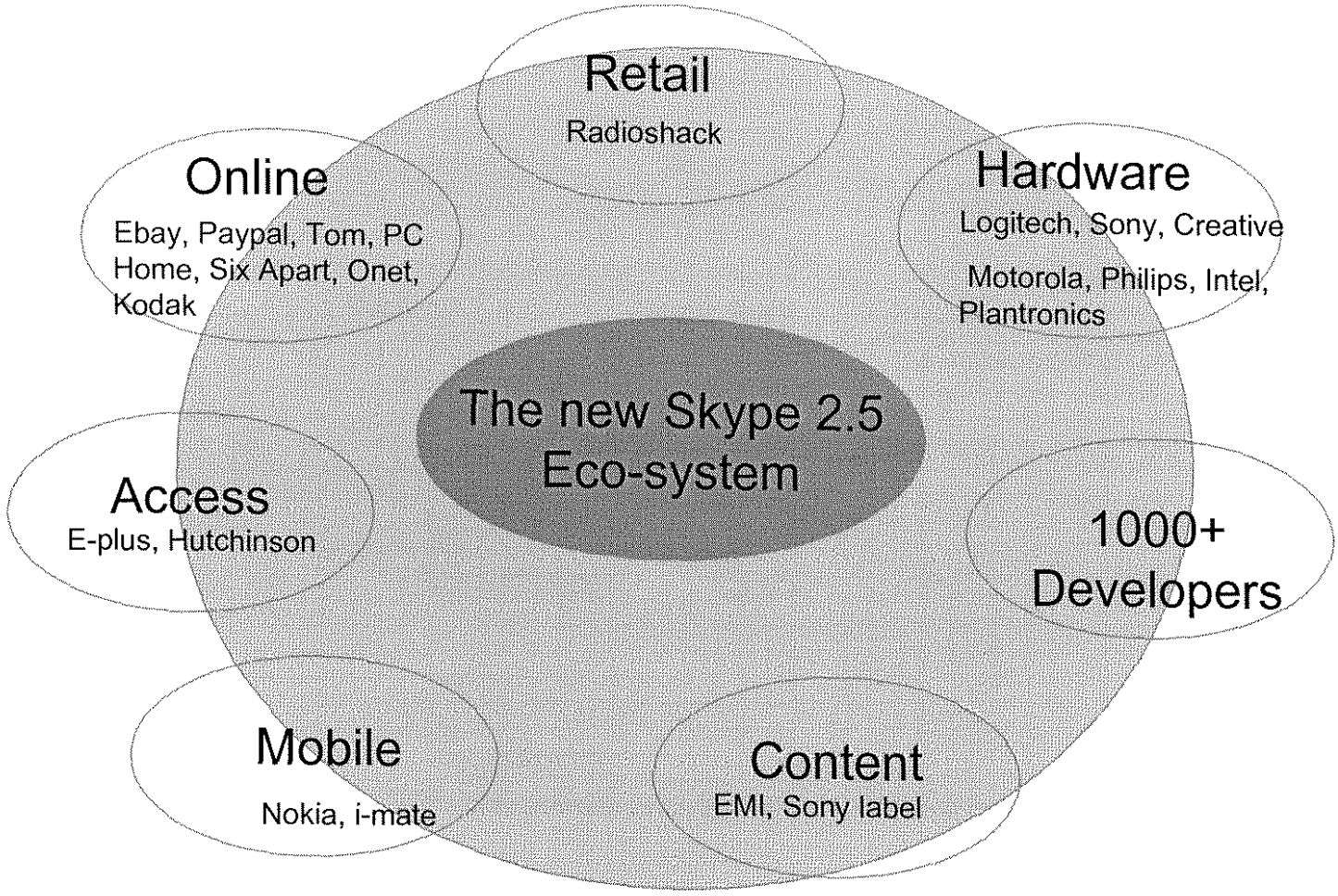
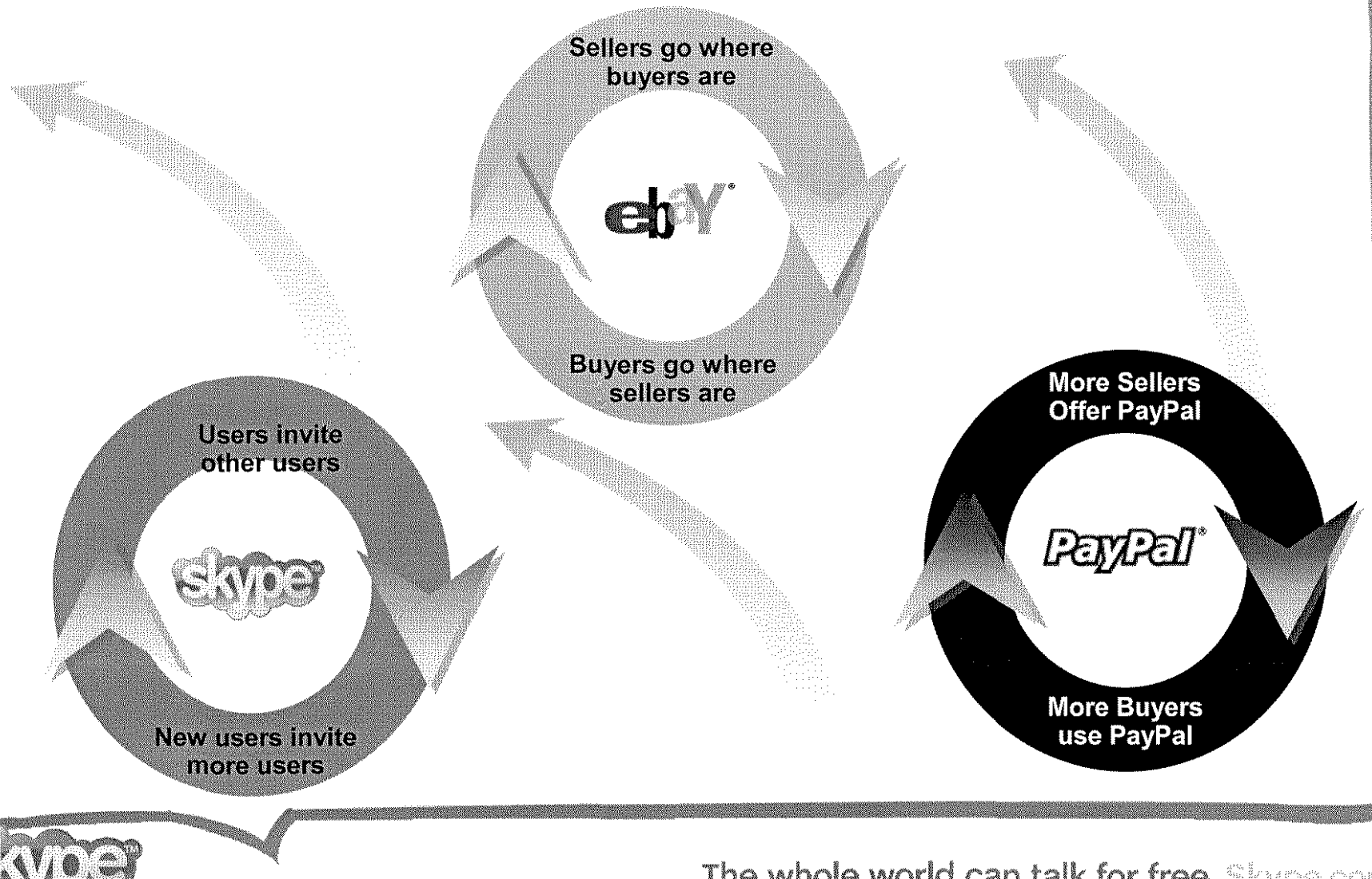
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