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*Ex Parte*

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 23, 2006, Henry Gomez, General Manager of the North American Region and Christopher Libertelli, Director, Government and Regulatory Affairs of Skype, Inc., met with Chairman Kevin Martin, and Michelle Carey and Ian Dillner of his staff, to provide an update regarding Skype's recent developments. The attached presentation was discussed and provided at the meeting.

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

Sincerely,

Henry Goldberg

Henry Goldberg

Attachment
cc: Chairman Martin
Michelle Carey
Ian Dillner

# 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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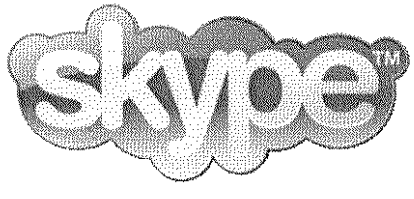

# The Skype Business Model

- 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!

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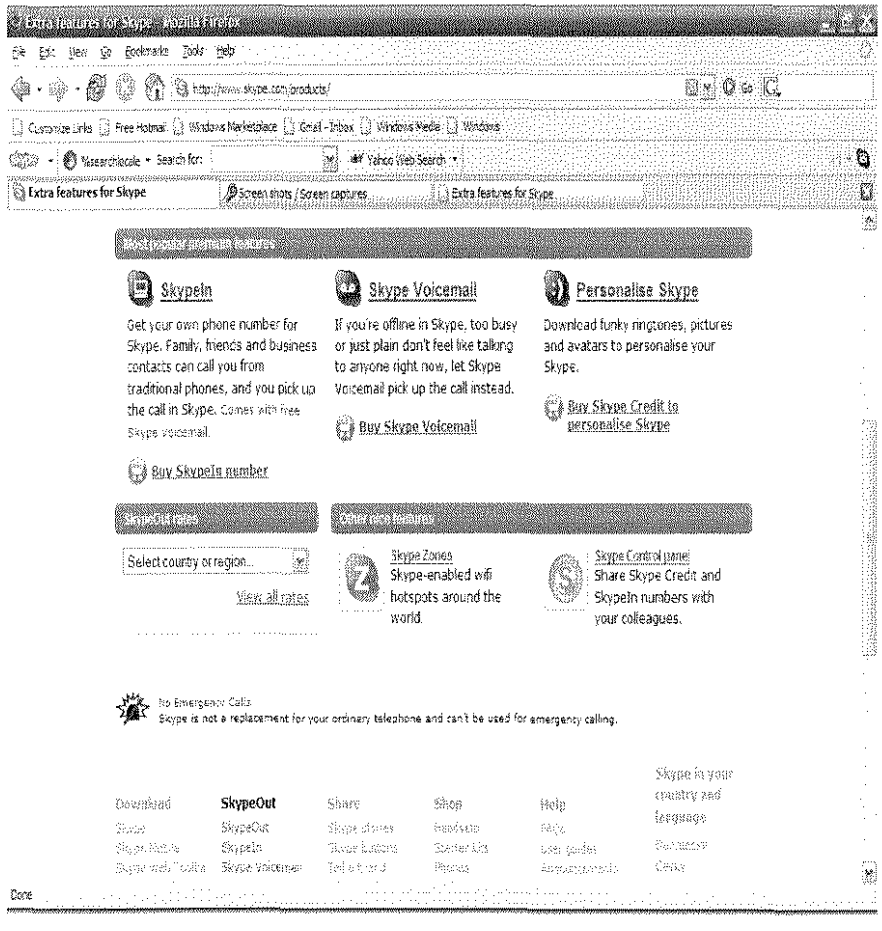
# Skype Service Appendices

# Emergency Calling Warnings



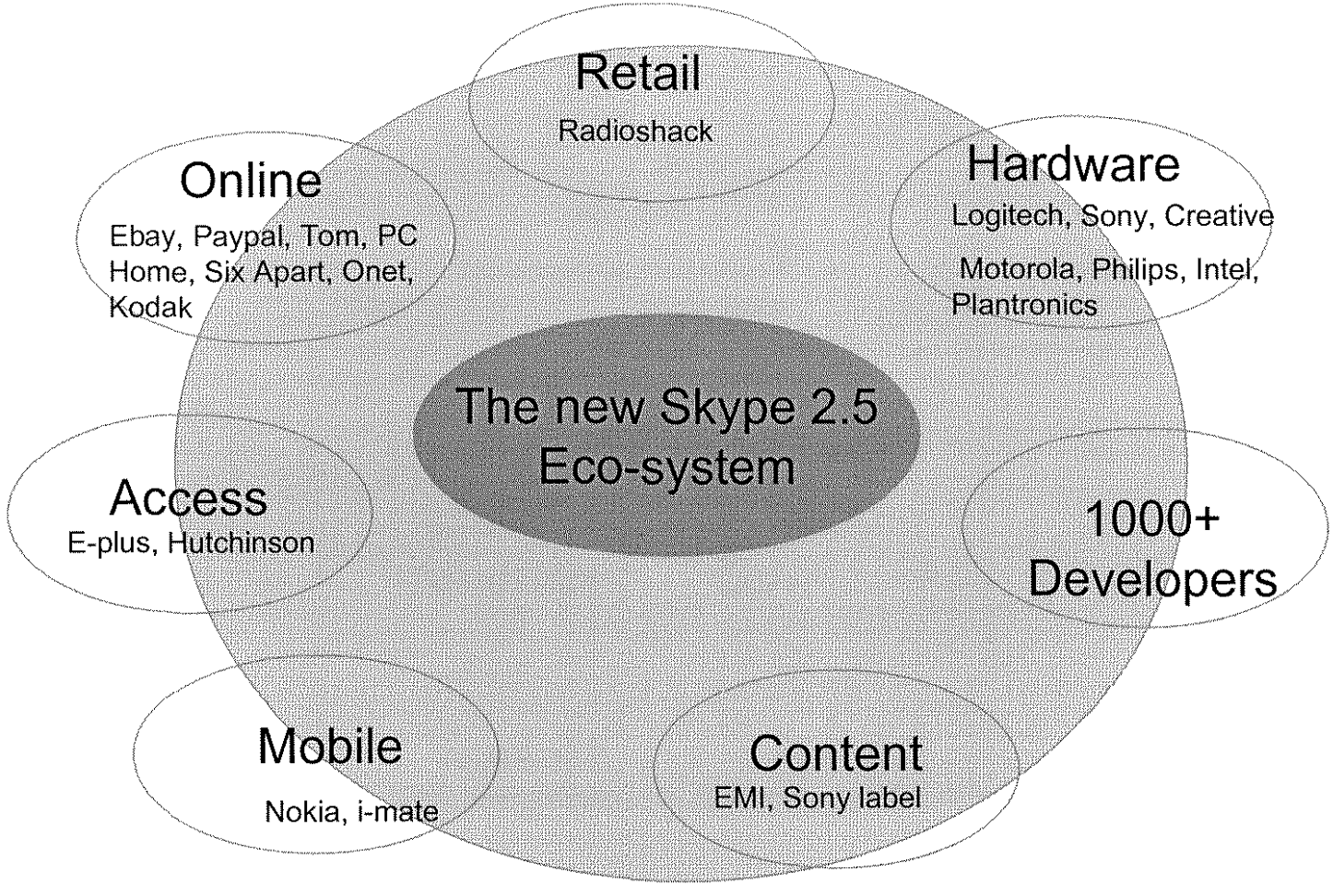
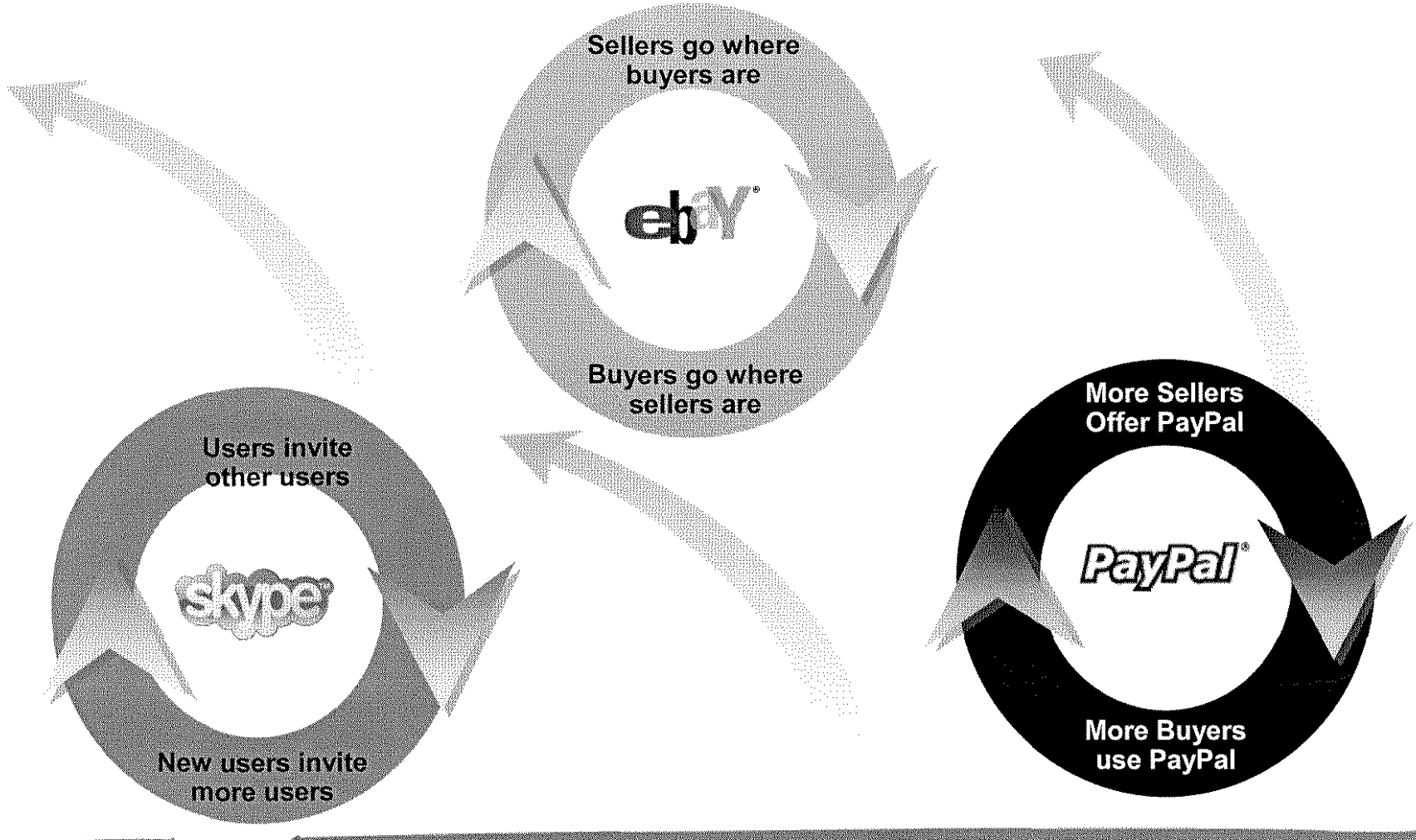

**"Skype is not a telephony replacement service and cannot be used for emergency dialing."**

No Emergency Calls.

Skype is not a replacement for your ordinary telephone and cannot be used for emergency calling.

# Skype for Windows 2.5

## An enriched experience – supported by Skype eco-system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