



Consumer Federation of America

December 29, 2006

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th St., SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Notice of Oral Ex Parte Communication, AT&T Inc. and BellSouth Corporation
Applications for Approval and Transfer of Control, WC Docket No. 06-74

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On December 27, 2006 and December 28, 2006, Mark Cooper of Consumer Federation, Gene Kimmelman of Consumers Union and Ben Scott of Free Press had telephone conversations regarding the aforementioned proceeding with legal advisors of Commissioner Michael Copps and Commissioner Jonathan Adelstein, including Scott Bergmann, Scott Deutchman and Bruce Gottlieb.

During the course of all of those conversations, we discussed matters previously filed in the comments of Consumer Federation of America, Consumers Union, and Free Press, as well as matters relating to merger conditions, including the network neutrality condition. Our discussions with these legal advisors were consistent with all of the filings made by Consumer Federation of America, Consumers Union, and Free Press in this proceeding.

Sincerely,

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Policy Director
Free Press

Gene Kimmelman
Vice President for Federal and International Policy
Consumers Union

Mark Cooper
Director of Research
Consumer Federation of America