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

Re: *Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, High Cost Universal Service Support,*
WC Docket No. 05-337;
Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, CC Docket No. 96-45

Dear Secretary Dortch:

On Tuesday, May 8, 2007, I had a conversation with Ray Baum, State Chair of the Joint Board on Universal Service, regarding Universal Service reform. Our discussion was consistent with points detailed in previous GCI ex parte filings in these dockets.

Sincerely,

/s/

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Vice President, Federal Regulatory Affairs