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## EX PARTE PRESENTATION

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

Re: CC Docket No. 96-45; WC Docket No. 05-337

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This letter is to inform you that on November 20, 2007, David L. Sharp, CEO of Innovative Telephone, and I met with Chris Moore, Legal Advisor to Commissioner Tate. Innovative Telephone urged the FCC to adopt the interim freeze on competitive eligible telecommunications carrier ("CETC") funding in order to stabilize the fund and permit the FCC to focus on reforming universal service, such as eliminating the equal support rule. The company also asked the Commission not to grant pending CETC applications until the end of any interim freeze and the adoption of global reforms for universal service because such grants would not be in the public interest for the same reasons as it has previously provided in writing in these dockets.

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206, please include this ex parte filing in the above-referenced docket.

Sincerely,

/s/ Gregory J. Vogt

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cc: Chris Moore