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Via Electronic Submission

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W., Room TW-A325
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Written Ex Parte Communications

Petition of AT&T Inc. for Forbearance under 47 U.S.C. § 160 from Enforcement of Certain of the Commission's Cost Assignment Rules (WC Docket No. 07-21); Establishing Just and Reasonable Rates for Local Exchange Carriers (WC Docket No. 07-135); High-Cost Universal Service Support (WC Docket No. 05-337); Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service (CC Docket No. 96-45); Special Access Rates for Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers (WC Docket No. 05-25)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On April 24, 2008, I spoke with Scott Bergmann, Senior Legal Advisor to Commissioner Adelstein, regarding issues related to the above-referenced dockets. The discussion was consistent with Sprint Nextel's previously filed Comments in those dockets. Specifically, I (a) urged the Commission to deny AT&T's petition for forbearance from the cost allocation and cost assignment rules; (b) supported quick Commission action to stop certain CLEC's traffic pumping practices; (c) noted the need for fundamental universal service reform; and (d) stressed the need for the Commission to reform special access pricing, a need that is particularly pressing for special access service to cell sites.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, this letter is being electronically filed with your office. Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Anna M. Gomez
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cc: Scott Bergmann