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Via Electronic Delivery

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Federal Communications Commission
The Portals, TW-A325
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Notice of *Ex Parte* Presentation – CC Dkt. 96-45, *Federal-State
Joint Board on Universal Service*; WC Dkt. 06-122, *Universal
Service Contribution Methodology*

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Tuesday, October 28, 2008, the undersigned, of Lampert, O'Connor & Johnston, P.C., representing Google Inc. ("Google"), spoke by telephone with Angela Giancarlo, Chief of Staff for Commissioner Robert McDowell, to discuss the above-referenced proceedings. In particular, we discussed universal service reform and Google's GrandCentral platform, consistent with Google's recent *ex parte* filings in the above-referenced proceedings.

Pursuant to the Commission's rules, this notice is being filed in the above-referenced dockets for inclusion in the public record. Please contact me directly should you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,



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cc: Angela Giancarlo (Angela.Giancarlo@fcc.gov)