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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, SW
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November 17, 2008

Re: Notice of *Ex Parte* Presentation (WC Docket 05-337; CC Docket 96-45; CC Docket 01-92; WC Docket 06-122; CC Docket 99-68; WC Docket 04-36)

Dear Ms. Dortch,

This letter is to advise you, in accordance with Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, that on Friday November 14, 2008, Ben Scott, Derek Turner and Chris Riley of Free Press met with Dana Shaffer, Chief of the Wireline Competition Bureau; Julie Veach, Deputy Bureau Chief of the Wireline Competition Bureau; and Amy Bender, legal advisor to Chairman Martin.

We discussed the status of the aforementioned proceedings regarding reforms to the Universal Service Fund (USF) programs and the system of intercarrier compensation (ICC). Our discussion was consistent with our October 13th and October 24th 2008 written *ex parte* filings in these proceedings.

Sincerely,



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