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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
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**Re: Request for Withdrawal of AT&T Inc's Petition for Declaratory Ruling filed
February 5, 2008 in WC Docket No. 08-23**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

AT&T Inc., on behalf of its ILEC affiliates, hereby withdraws the petition captioned: Petition for Declaratory Ruling That Sprint Nextel Corporation, Its Affiliates, And Other Requesting Carriers May Not Impose A Bill-and-Keep Arrangement Or A Facility Pricing Factor Under The Commitments Approved By The Commission In Approving The AT&T BellSouth Merger, filed February 5, 2008 and docketed in WC Docket No. 08-23.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (202) 457-3047.

Sincerely,

/s/Terri Hoskins
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