



January 12, 2009

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

EX PARTE PRESENTATION

Re: *WC Docket No. 07-256: Feature Group IP Petition for Forbearance From Section 251(g) of the Communications Act and Sections 51.701(b)(1) and 69.5(b) of the Commission's Rules*

WC Docket No. 08-8: Petition of the Embarq Local Operating Companies for Limited Forbearance Under 47 USC § 160(c) from Enforcement of Rule 69.4(a), 47 USC § 251(b), and Commission Orders on the ESP Exemption

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This is to inform you that on January 12, 2009, David Cohen and the undersigned, representing USTelecom, met with Nick Alexander, Legal Advisor to Commissioner McDowell, to discuss issues relating to the proceedings identified above. Our advocacy during this meeting was consistent with USTelecom's previous filings in this proceeding. In particular, we urged the Commission to reject the Forbearance Petition filed by Feature Group IP.

Pursuant to Commission rules, please include this notice in the docket of the above-referenced proceedings.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Glenn Reynolds".

Glenn Reynolds
Vice President, Policy

cc: Nick Alexander