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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
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Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, High Cost Universal
Service Support
CC Docket No. 96-45
WC Docket No. 05-337

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Yesterday, Nancy J. Victory and the undersigned of Wiley Rein LLP, on behalf of the Puerto Rico Telephone Company, Inc. met with Christi Shewman, Wireline Legal Advisor to Commissioner Meredith Attwell Baker. During the meeting, the participants discussed the Insular Universal Service Fund mechanism proposed in the pending Notice of Proposed Rulemaking consistent with PRT's written communications already filed in this docketed proceeding.¹

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Thomas J. Navin

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cc: Christi Shewman

¹ *Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, High Cost Universal Service Support, Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 20 FCC Rcd. 19731 (2005).*