



October 4, 2010

Ex Parte

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Special Access Rates for Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers, WC Docket No. 05-25

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 1, 2010, Chris Frentrup of Sprint Nextel Corp., Jonathan Lechter of Willkie Farr & Gallagher LLP, Susan Gately of ETI (via telephone), Bridger Mitchell of Charles River Associates (via telephone), and the undersigned met with Jonathan Baker, Chief Economist; Jack Erb, of the Office of Strategic Plans; Eric Ralph, Pamela Menga, and Rodger Woock of the Wireline Competition Bureau; and Jay Bennett of OIG, on the topic of special access. We discussed the need for a data request related to ILEC dominance of special access markets and the Phase II triggers, including the topics discussed in the data request proposal submitted in this proceeding on June 3, 2009 by CCIA, Integra Telecom, Ad Hoc et al., and issues related to statistical sampling, methods of determining whether competition exists in particular geographic areas, and alternative vendor contracts and prices.

Pursuant to the Commission's rules, a copy of this notice is being filed electronically in the above-referenced docket. If you require any additional information please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Paul Margie

Paul Margie
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cc: meeting participants