

November 8, 2012

**VIA ECFS**

***NOTICE OF EX PARTE PRESENTATION***

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

**Re:** *Connect America Fund, WC Docket No. 10-90; A National Broadband Plan for Our Future, GN Docket No. 09-51; Establishing Just and Reasonable Rates for Local Exchange Carriers, WC Docket No. 07-135; Developing an Unified Intercarrier Compensation Regime, CC Docket No. 01-92; Petition for Declaratory Ruling That tw telecom inc. Has the Right to Direct IP-to-IP Interconnection Pursuant to Section 251(c)(2) of the Communications Act, as Amended, for the Transmission and Routing of tw telecom's Facilities-Based VoIP Services and IP-in-the-Middle Voice Services, WC Docket No. 11-119; IP-Enabled Services, WC Docket No. 04-36; Appropriate Framework for Broadband Access to the Internet over Wireline Facilities, CC Docket No. 02-23*

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On November 6, 2012, I discussed interconnection for the exchange of voice traffic with Angie Kronenberg, legal advisor to Commissioner Mignon Clyburn. During the discussion, I stated that the FCC should clarify that competitive LECs have the right under Section 251(c)(2) to direct, IP-to-IP interconnection at any technically feasible location on an incumbent LEC's network for the exchange of voice traffic that is not transmitted over the public Internet. I also stated that this issue has nothing to do with the Internet since, again, the voice traffic at issue does not traverse the Internet.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned if you have any questions or concerns regarding this submission.

Respectfully submitted,

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