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January 17, 1997

Mr. William F. Caton
Acting Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street, N.W.
Room 222
Washington, D.C. 21554

Re: Notice of Ex Parte Presentation
RM-8811

Dear Mr. Caton:

On January 17, 1997, undersigned counsel to BizTel, Inc. held a telephone conversation with Damon Ladson, of the International Bureau. The topic of the conversation was a review of issues previously raised in the above-referenced proceeding that generally relate to the accommodation of terrestrial fixed and satellite service spectrum requirements in bands between 30 GHz and about 50 GHz, in light of recent developments in the international regulatory arena.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(a)(2) of the Commission's Rules, one copy of this letter is being submitted herewith. A copy of this letter is also being simultaneously delivered to the above-mentioned Commission representative.

Kindly direct any inquiries relating to this submission to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

Walter H. Sonnenfeldt x/w

Walter H. Sonnenfeldt
Counsel to BizTel, Inc.

cc: Damon Ladson, FCC

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