

June 22, 2001

**BY ELECTRONIC DELIVERY**

Ms. Magalie Roman Salas  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

***Re: Notice of Ex Parte Communication  
ET Docket No. 00-258***

Dear Ms. Salas:

On June 21, 2001, Robert S. Koppel of WorldCom, Inc., Jay C. Keithley of Sprint Corporation, and J. Curtis Henderson of Nucentrix Broadband Networks, Inc., participated in a series of meetings regarding the above-captioned proceeding. Specifically, we met with:

- Peter Tenhula of Chairman Powell's office
- Bryan Tramont and Jason Scism of Commissioner Abernathy's office
- Lauren Van Wazer of Commissioner Copp's office

In these meetings, we made the following points:

- The FCC should act expeditiously so as to remove the cloud of regulatory uncertainty that hangs over the deployment of fixed wireless broadband services.
- The 12 MHz of MDS spectrum at 2150-2162 MHz is critical to fixed wireless broadband deployment.

Respectfully submitted,

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