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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.
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**Re: Notice of Ex Parte Communication
ET Docket No. 00-258**

Dear Ms. Salas:

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

- Julius Knapp of OET
- Blaise Scinto, John Spencer and Won Kim of the Wireless Bureau

In these meetings, we explained why the 12 MHz of MDS spectrum at 2150-2162 MHz is critical to fixed wireless broadband deployment.

Respectfully submitted,

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