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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas Secretary Federal Communications Commission The Portals 445 12th Street, SW, 8th Floor Washington, DC 20554 EX PARTE OR LATE FILED

RE: CC Docket No. 00-170; and DA 00-2155

Dear Ms. Salas:

Today, Messrs. W. Wallace, R. Kolb, J. Stavig, and S. Kelley, representing OnePoint Communications met with Ms. C. Pabo and Mr. J. Adams of the Common Carrier Bureau regarding the above captioned proceeding. The discussion focused on OnePoint's current financial situation and how it would be affected by the proposed merger with Verizon.

Please include a copy of this correspondence in the public record of the above-captioned proceedings. Any questions on this filing should be directed to me at either the address above or by calling me at 847-582-8721.

Sincerely,

Richard P. Kolb

Vice President – Regulatory

cc:

Ms. C. Pabo Mr. J. Adams

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