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Re: *Oral Ex Parte*

In the Matter of Joint Applications of NorthPoint Communications, Inc. and Verizon Communications for Authority Pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as Amended, To Transfer Control of Blanket Authorization To Provide Domestic Interstate Telecommunications Services as a Non-Dominant Carrier, CC Docket No. 00-157

Dear Ms. Salas:

On Friday, November 3, 2000, Michael Glover and Don Evans, Verizon Communications, William Bailey, NorthPoint Communications, Inc. and Richard Metzger and Ruth Milkman, Lawler, Metzger and Milkman, counsel to NorthPoint, met with Dorothy Attwood, Glenn Reynolds, Michelle Carey, Jim Bird, Paula Silberthau, Jared Carlson, and Jessica Rosenworcel. Verizon and NorthPoint discussed issues raised in the above-captioned proceeding, including issues related to the Section 271 restrictions on Bell Operating Company provision of interLATA services. NorthPoint and Verizon discussed the ways in which NorthPoint's current arrangements will be reconfigured to comply with the requirements of section 271. NorthPoint and Verizon urged prompt action on their application.

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Pursuant to section 1.1206(b)(1) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §1.1206(b)(1), an original and one copy of this letter and enclosure are being provided to you for inclusion in the public record of the above-referenced proceeding.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ruth Milkman", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Ruth Milkman

cc: Dorothy Attwood  
Glenn Reynolds  
Michelle Carey  
Jim Bird  
Paula Silberthau  
Jared Carlson  
Jessica Rosenworcel