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**Re: America Online, Inc. Notice of *Ex Parte* Presentation
Applications of America Online, Inc. and Time Warner Inc.
for Transfers of Control, CS Docket No. 00-30 /**

Dear Ms. Salas:

On behalf of America Online, Inc. ("AOL"), submitted herewith pursuant to Section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules, are an original and one copy of this notice regarding a permitted oral *ex parte* presentation in the above-referenced proceeding. On September 7, 2000, Peter D. Ross of this firm spoke with Carl Kandutsch of the Commission's Cable Services Bureau. Mr. Ross briefly discussed the Commission's factual findings and legal and policy analysis in recent proceedings that addressed potential discrimination with respect to Internet and video content and related issues. Mr. Ross noted that issues raised by commenters in this proceeding are both without merit and not specific to this merger. The FCC precedent at issue were those quoted in the August 31, 2000 *ex parte* previously submitted to Mr. Kandutsch in this docket.

Kindly direct any questions regarding this matter to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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