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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, SW, Room TWB-204
Washington, D.C. 20554

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RE: Notice of Oral Ex Parte
In the Matter of Applications for Transfer of Control to America Online, Inc.
("AOL") of Licenses and Authorizations Held by Time Warner Inc. ("Time
Warner")
CS Docket No. 00-30

Dear Ms. Salas:

Yesterday, Betsy Brady and the undersigned, representing AT&T, met with William Jay Friedman, Legal Advisor to Commissioner Tristani. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss recent reports that the Commission was considering an access condition in connection with its review of the AOL/Time Warner merger. More specifically, we urged the Commission to forego the imposition of any access-related condition within the context of this merger, particularly given the recent issuance of the Commission's Notice of Inquiry into the access issues and the lack of a fully developed record on these issues in the record of this proceeding.

Two copies of this Notice are being submitted to the Secretary of the FCC in accordance with Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules.

Sincerely,

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cc: W. J. Friedman