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Dear Ms. Salas:

Re: Applications of American Outline, Inc.
and Time Warner Inc. for Transfers of Control
CS Docket No. 00-30

Dear Ms. Salas:

On behalf of Time Warner Inc., submitted herewith, pursuant to Section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules, are two copies of an ex parte communication in the above-referenced matter.

Kindly direct any questions regarding this matter to the undersigned.

Sincerely,



Catherine R. Nolan
Vice President, Law and Public Policy

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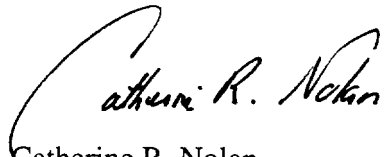
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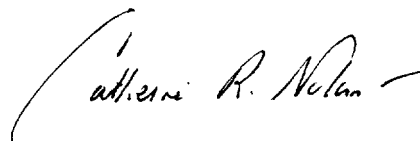
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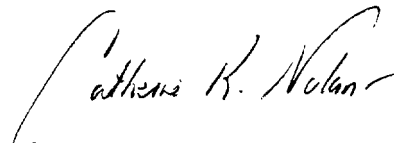
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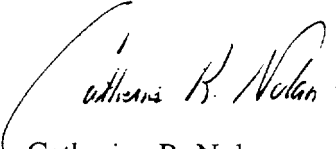
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Time Warner Cable previously has announced its intention to restructure its existing contract with its affiliate Road Runner. EarthLink will begin offering broadband Internet services over Time Warner Cable's systems after this restructuring and technological modifications are complete. EarthLink anticipates providing its broadband Internet services over Time Warner Cable's systems sometime in the second half of 2001.

Specific terms of this agreement between EarthLink and Time Warner Cable were not disclosed. The agreement is contingent upon FTC approval and the closing of the America Online-Time Warner merger.

About EarthLink

EarthLink is the nation's second largest Internet service provider, bringing the magic of the Internet to more than 4.6 million subscribers every day. Headquartered in Atlanta, EarthLink provides a full range of innovative access, hosting and e-commerce solutions to thousands of communities internationally from more than 5,000 points of presence. EarthLink is committed to doing an exceptional job of pleasing its customers, shareholders and the community by following the company's Core Values and Beliefs. Information about EarthLink and its services is available by calling 800-395-8425 and through EarthLink's Web site at www.earthlink.net.

About Time Warner Cable

Time Warner Cable owns and manages the world's most advanced, best clustered cable television operations, with 90 percent of its 12.6 million customers in systems of 100,000 subscribers or more. It is a division of Time Warner Entertainment, which is an operating unit of Time Warner Inc.

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