

November 21, 2014

Ex Parte Notice

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Special Access for Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers, WC Docket No. 05-25

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Thursday, November 20, 2014, the undersigned, on behalf of NTCA–The Rural Broadband Association ("NTCA") held separate telephone conversations with Deena Shetler and Pamela Arluk, respectively, of the Wireline Competition Bureau regarding the above-referenced proceeding. The positions expressed by NTCA in those conversations were consistent in all respects with those set forth in its most recent filing in this proceeding. *See Ex Parte* Letter from Michael R. Romano, Senior Vice President – Policy, NTCA, to Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, WC Docket No. 05-25 (filed Nov. 14, 2014) (urging relief with respect to the filing of special access data collection responses).

Thank you for your attention to this correspondence. Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, a copy of this letter is being filed via ECFS.

Sincerely,

<u>/s/ Michael R. Romano</u> Michael R. Romano Senior Vice President – Policy

cc: Deena Shetler Pamela Arluk