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Re: Covad/BellSouth Arbitration, Docket No. 001797-TP

Dear Ms. Bayo:

Pursuant to discussions with Commission Staff, DIECA Communications, Inc. d/b/a Covad Communications Company will agree to waive the nine month statutory deadline for decision in this arbitration proceeding.

Please acknowledge receipt of the above on the extra copy enclosed herein and return it to me. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Vicki Gordon Kaufman
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