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Re: Docket No. 030851-TP (Hot Cuts Workshop, October 28, 2003)

Dear Ms. Bayó:

Pursuant to the notice dated September 29, 2003, please be advised that MCImetro Access Transmission Services, LLC and MCI WorldCom Communications, Inc. (collectively "MCI") shall present Sherry Lichtenberg, Senior Staff Specialist, with MCI's consumer division, as a speaker at the October 28, 2003, workshop. The subject of Ms. Lichtenberg's comments, which are projected to take approximately 10-15 minutes, will include:

1. A description of the batch hot cut process and the need for it to be a "dial tone to dial tone," seamless, low-cost, scalable process (including realizing the customer impact).
2. A discussion that not only does the batch have to work but individual hot cuts have to work (two distinct items).
3. A discussion of MCI'S understanding of the problems as MCI sees them at this time, including CLEC to CLEC issues.
4. Information that batch hot cuts do not solve operational impairment.

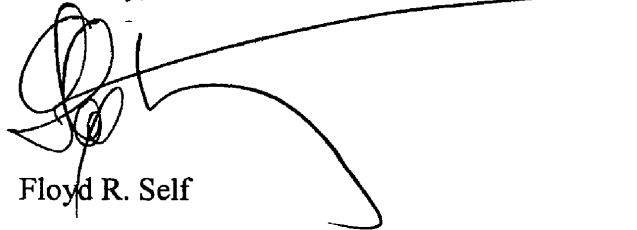
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If you need any additional information regarding this presentation, please let me know.

Sincerely,

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Floyd R. Self

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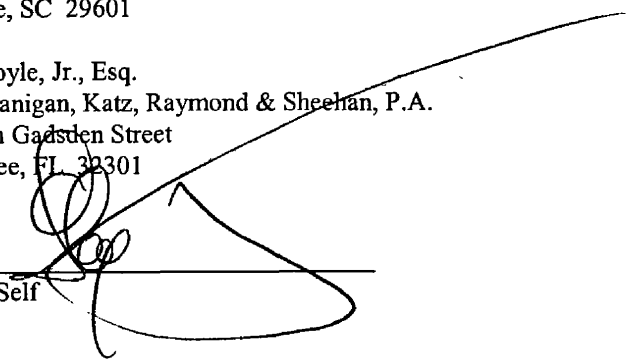
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