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Magalie Roman Salas
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Re: File No. ITC-ASG-20000616-00395

Dear Ms. Salas:

On behalf of STAR Telecommunications, Inc. ("STAR"), this letter shall notify the Commission that STAR and Counsel Communications, LLC ("Counsel") have decided not to consummate their planned transaction, which involved the assignment of the Section 214 authorizations held by PT-1 Communications, Inc. and PT-1 Long Distance, Inc. (both subsidiaries of STAR) to Counsel, as described in the above-referenced application.

In the event there are questions concerning this matter, please contact me.

Very truly yours,



R. Edward Price