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Mr. Nathan Glazier
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Dear Mr. Glazier:

On August 25, 2006, the Director of the Utilities Division and the Manager of the Compliance Section received a letter (with attachments) regarding the designation of Alltel Communications, Inc. as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") relating to Decision No. 67403 (T-03887A-03-0316).

In this letter, the Company communicated to Director Johnson its desire to update the Commission of its recent activities in Arizona and, further, to withdraw its December 15, 2004 letter in which Alltel declined its ETC designation in the State of Arizona.

This letter is to notify you that the Utilities Division will not act on the August 25, 2006 letter at this time. The Director has requested that a procedural conference be conducted by the Hearing Division to discuss the appropriate process with respect to Alltel's letter. Once this procedural conference has been conducted, the Utilities Division will proceed based on the Order that will issue from the Hearing Division.

Please have Alltel's counsel contact Staff's counsel to discuss the details of the procedural conference. Ms. Maureen Scott is the Commission's counsel in this matter and she can be reached at (602) 542-6022.

Sincerely,

Brian K. Bozzo
Manager, Compliance and Enforcement

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