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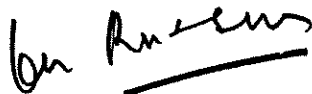
Ms. Diane Rhéaume
Secretary General
Canadian Radio-television and
Telecommunications Commission
Ottawa, Ontario
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Dear Ms. Rhéaume:

**Forbearance from Regulation of Local Exchange Services:
Telecom Public Notice CRTC 2005-2**

Pursuant to the procedures in the above-noted Public Notice, the Coalition for Competitive Telecommunications hereby indicates its intent to participate in the oral consultation phase of the proceeding.

Yours sincerely,



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