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## COMMENTS SOUGHT ON COMPTEL'S PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION OF THE MODIFICATION OF THE SBC/AMERITECH MERGER CONDITIONS

On September 8, 2000, the Commission released an Order granting the request of SBC Communications, Inc. (SBC) to modify certain aspects of the conditions contained in the SBC/Ameritech Merger Order (SBC Plug & Play Order). On October 10, 2000, the Competitive Telecommunciations Association (CompTel) filed a petition for reconsideration of the SBC Modification Order pursuant to Section 1.106 of the Commission's rules.

Parties may file comments on CompTel's petition no later than **November 2, 2000**. Replies should be filed no later than **November 9, 2000**. Comments should reference CC Docket 98-141, ASD File No. 99-49. A copy of each pleading should be sent to Anthony Dale, FCC Common Carrier Bureau, 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW, Room 6-C461, Washington, D.C. 20554 and the International Transcription Service (ITS), 1231 20<sup>th</sup> Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20036. Copies are available for public inspection and copying in FCC's Public Reference Center, 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW, Room CY-A257, Washington, D.C. Copies are also available from ITS, (202) 857-3800.

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Action by the Deputy Chief, Accounting Safeguards Division, Common Carrier Bureau, FCC.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Applications of Ameritech Corp., Transferor, and SBC Communications, Inc., Transferee, For Consent to Transfer Control of Corporations Holding Commission Licenses and Lines Pursuant to Sections 214 and 310(d) of the Communications Act and Parts 5, 22, 24, 25, 63, 90, 95, and 101 of the Commission's Rules, CC Docket 98-141, Second Memorandum Opinion and Order, FCC 00-336 at paras. 26, 59 (rel. Sept. 8, 2000) ("SBC Plug & Play Order"); see also Applications of Ameritech Corp., Transferor, and SBC Communications, Inc., Transferee, For Consent to Transfer Control of Corporations Holding Commission Licenses and Lines Pursuant to Sections 214 and 310(d) of the Communications Act and Parts 5, 22, 24, 25, 63, 90, 95, and 101 of the Commission's Rules, CC Docket 98-141, Memorandum Opinion and Order, 14 FCC Rcd 14712 (1999) ("SBC/Ameritech Merger Order").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 1.106.