

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20554
June 18, 2001

Mr. Al Syeles
Executive Director – Federal Regulatory
SBC Telecommunications, Inc.
1401 I Street, NW, Suite 1100
Washington, DC 20005

RE: *SBC/Ameritech Merger Order*, CC Docket No. 98-141, ASD File No. 99-49

Dear Mr. Syeles:

This letter responds to your June 5, 2001 letter regarding performance measurement reporting under the *SBC/Ameritech Merger Order*.¹ Specifically, SBC requests permission to implement the recent changes approved by the California Commission concurrently for Nevada and California.² I have reviewed those changes and find that they will enhance the performance measurement plan generally, and therefore approve your request.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if I can be of further assistance. You may also contact Mark Stone of my staff directly at (202) 418-0816 for further information on this matter.

Sincerely,

Kenneth P. Moran
Chief, Accounting Safeguards Division

¹ Letter from Al Syeles, Executive Director, Federal Regulatory, SBC, to Dorothy Attwood, Chief, Common Carrier Bureau, FCC (June 5, 2001) (“SBC June 5th Letter”); 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*”).

² SBC June 5th Letter at 1; *SBC/Ameritech Merger Order* Appendix C, Attachment A at ¶ 4.