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## VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mr. Steve McLellan, Secretary  
Washington Utilities and  
Transportation Commission  
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W.  
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

Re: In re Interconnection Contract Negotiations Between  
AT&T and GTE, Docket No. UT-960307

Dear Mr. McLellan:

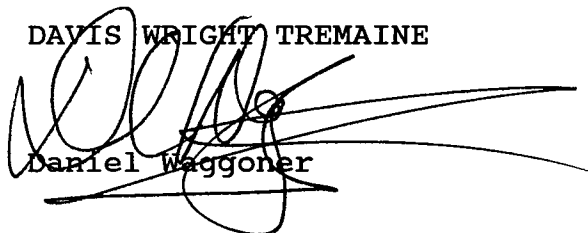
Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced docket are the originals and nineteen copies each of the Petition of AT&T Communications of the Pacific Northwest, Inc., for Arbitration under the Telecommunications Act of 1996, AT&T's Motion for Protective Order, and AT&T's Motion for Arbitration Procedures Order. Please contact me if you would like disk copies.

The Petition includes exhibits that contain proprietary information provided to AT&T by GTE during the course of their negotiations. AT&T requests that these exhibits be accorded confidential treatment pursuant to WAC 480-09-015. The Exhibits have been produced on pink paper, stamped "Confidential" and segregated in a separate box marked "Confidential." AT&T is providing the Commission with only one copy of these exhibits. Please contact me if you need additional copies.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. Please contact me if you have any questions about this filing.

Sincerely yours,

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## Enclosures

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