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Mr. R. Reed Harrison III
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Dear Reed:

This letter is to confirm that GTE is treating your letter of March 11, 1996, to Mr. Thomas W. White, President-GTE Telephone Operations, as AT&T's official request for local service interconnection. In line with our earlier discussions, your letters dated March 19, 1996, to GTE's Regional Presidents are informational only and do not replace the aforementioned March 11, 1996, letter.

If there are other letters that AT&T has generated at a local operations level requesting interconnection, said letters are also covered by this writing per our mutual agreement on April 4, 1996 and will be treated as informational by GTE.

Thank you for your cooperation on this matter.

Sincere

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