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> Re: DSS Communications/Year 2000 Preparation and Readiness

Gentlemen:

In response to your communication notice of March 8, 1999 please be advised that DSS has not yet commenced operations. We are still drafting FCC Domestic Tariff and Section 214 Application and Tariff.

DSS is concerned about its Year 2000 readiness and when negotiating with hardware, software and leased line vendors will endeavor to ensure full compliance with those specific areas of concern such as inventory, assessment, remediation and testing of both unit and system.

ACK \_\_\_\_\_ We will keep you apprised of any changes that may take AFA \_\_\_\_\_place in our operation once it is up and running.

Very truly yours,

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