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Ms. Jean D. Jewell
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Re: NOS Communications, Inc., IPUC Case No. GNR-T-01-06:
Request to Withdraw Application to Provide Local Exchange
Telecommunications Services

Dear Secretary Jewell:

NOS Communications, Inc., by the undersigned, hereby respectfully requests permission to withdraw without prejudice its Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Local Exchange Telecommunications Services filed March 28, 2001 in the above-referenced proceeding. Upon further consideration, the company has decided not to expand into the local services market in Idaho at this time

Enclosed please find three copies of this filing, a duplicate and a date-stamped, postage prepaid envelope. Please date stamp the duplicate and return in the envelope provided. If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact the undersigned at (703) 918-2380.

Sincerely,

Andrea P. Edmonds
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cc: William Wright, NOS Communications, Inc.
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