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Dear Mr. Roberts:

Please accept this letter as Staff's withdrawal of its *Motion for Finding of Necessity of Rulemaking*, filed in this case on October 27, 2000. Staff is taking this step as the Commission issued an *Order Finding Necessity for Rulemaking* on August 15, 2000.

This filing has been mailed or hand-delivered this date to all counsel of record.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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