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"The Solicitor General has decided not to appeal the D.C. Circuit decision eliminating the Commission's rules requiring incumbent telephone carriers to open their voice networks to competition. Because the Solicitor General decided not to support the FCC's appeal, I no longer support appealing the D.C. Circuit's decision."