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Telecommunications Workers Union 5261 Lane Street Burnaby, BC Canada V5H 4A6

Attention: Peter Massy

RE: Contracting Out - Retail Directory Assistance

Please be advised that Operator Services is currently and will be continuing to contract out a small amount of Retail Directory Assistance work. As part of a bid process to secure a major Directory Assistance client, TELUS is required to demonstrate an ability to deliver traffic using an external supplier.

If you have any further questions or concerns please call me.

Yours truly,

Bruce Smith
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