INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

TO: Chairman Mark Fowler

FROM: Commissioner James H. Quello

SUBJ: ITU Mobile WARC Delegation

DATE: December 18, 1986

 $\,$ I'd appreciate your endorsement of Dr. Brian Fontes of my office to be a member of the ITU Mobile WARC delegation.

The "Core Delegation," as well as the full U.S. delegation for this important conference, will undoubtedly rely heavily on staff members from FCC Bureaus, experts from other government agencies and from the private sector. An individual who has extensive experience as an aide to a Commissioner, and who is familiar with the Commission's overall domestic policies can be particularly helpful. Furthermore, an individual who has valuable experience in the "political" process of winning support for positions, and for reaching acceptable compromises for contentious issues, should be of even greater value to the delegation.

Dr. Brian F. Fontes has that kind of experience and those skills. Dr. Fontes, with his background in policy formulation and particularly in issues relating to Mobile WARC, would be a valuable addition to the Mobile WARC team. I highly recommend him and I am confident he will be a very valuable member to the core delegation.

If approved by you, I'll forward a letter to Diana Lady Dougan, Director and U.S. Coordinator, Bureau of International Telecommunications & Information Policy, Department of State.

James H. Quelly