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Sent: Wednesday, January 11, 1995 5:36 PM
To: Nathan Myhrvold
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Subject: RE. Barksdale joins Netscape

I am really surprised. Barksadale is a very good manager and very experienced. Netscape is getting to be more and more important us to watch!!

From: Nathan Myhrvold
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From: Dan Rosen
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AT&T Wireless (McCaw) announced this AM that Jim Barksdale would leave to become CEO of Netscape. Steve Hooper, the McCaw CFO, will succeed Barksdale.

Barksdale is a smart, good manager. I would anticipate that this move will presage Netscape getting its act together (especially from a business model perspective). They could become a bigger competitive threat than we had anticipated.

Dan

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