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Via ECFS

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

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Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary

**Re: Notice of Ex Parte Communication
MB Docket Nos. 18-119 and 18-227**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 4, 2018, David Field, Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of Entercom Communications Corp. ("Entercom"), and I met with Chairman Pai and his Media Advisor, Alison Nemeth, to discuss certain issues raised in the above-captioned proceedings.

We discussed the FCC's Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in MB Docket No. 18-119 proposing certain changes to the FM translator interference complaint resolution process. Specifically, we reiterated our support of the Comments and Reply Comments filed by Beasley Media Group, LLC, et. al. in the proceeding.¹ We noted that the Commission should not adopt a 54 dBμ contour limit for remediation of FM translator interference complaints. We explained that if a contour limit is necessary, then the 42 dBμ contour is the more appropriate one to use to avoid detrimentally impacting full-service FM stations.

In connection with MB Docket No. 18-227, we expressed our support for further deregulation including the thoughtful consideration of the present ownership rules in light of both increased competition in the audio and advertising marketplaces from providers such as Amazon, Apple, Facebook, Google, Pandora, SiriusXM and Spotify.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Andrew P. Sutor, IV

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cc: Chairman Ajit Pai
Alison Nemeth

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¹ *Comments of Beasley Media Group, LLC, Cox Media Group, LLC, Gradick Communications, LLC, iHeart Communications, Inc., Neuhooff Corp., Radio One Licenses, LLC/Urban One, Inc., and Withers Broadcasting Companies*, MB Docket No. 18-119 (filed Aug. 6, 2018); *Reply Comments of Beasley Media Group, LLC, Cox Media Group, LLC, Entercom Communications Corp., Gradick Communications, LLC, iHeart Communications, Inc., Neuhooff Corp., Radio One Licenses, LLC/Urban One, Inc., and Withers Broadcasting Companies*, MB Docket No. 18-119 (filed Sept. 5, 2018).