Tribune and Sinclair Broadcast Group should never be allowed to merge. If the merger were to be allowed, a single company would own more than 200 local TV stations reaching more than 70 percent of the country. That is far beyond the legal limits on media ownership and far too much power in the hands of a single company. Sinclair has evaded FCC rules, received FCC fines for airing propaganda, and drawn wide criticism for airing politically slanted content on its stations. The FCC should block this merger and restore policies that encourage a diversity of local media owners and a wide range of viewpoints.