

June 29, 2016

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: Notice of *Ex Parte* Presentation
*In the Matter of Expanding Consumers' Video Navigation Choices, MB Docket No. 16-42; Commercial Availability of Navigation Devices, CS Docket No. 97-80***

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On June 27, 2016, representatives of 21st Century Fox, The Walt Disney Company and Time Warner Inc. met with General Counsel Jonathan Sallet and Chairman Wheeler's Legal Advisor Jessica Almond in connection with the proceeding referenced above. 21st Century Fox was represented by Senior Executive Vice President and Group General Counsel Gerson A. Zweifach. The Walt Disney Company was represented (by phone) by Senior Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary Alan Braverman. Time Warner Inc. was represented by Executive Vice President and General Counsel Paul T. Cappuccio.

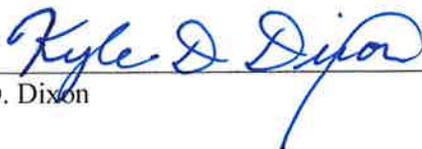
The purpose of this meeting was to discuss the companies' views and concerns regarding the Commission's proposed rule framework and the HTML5-based app proposal recently proposed in the docket by representatives of several large multichannel video programming distributors ("the MVPD apps plan").

The companies reiterated their preference that the marketplace be given a chance to work to continue providing consumers with more choice in how they access content over an expanding array of devices and platforms. The companies noted that content providers have played a leadership role in making such innovations possible and have been successful in negotiating appropriate licenses with innovative device manufacturers. The companies expressed appreciation for the Commission's stated interest in addressing some of the concerns content providers have raised in previous filings regarding the proposed rules in this proceeding. The companies stated that, of the various alternatives, the MVPD apps proposal offers one constructive foundation for providing consumers with an alternative to leasing set-top boxes to access their video service, subject to certain additional critical provisions and clarification of details not addressed. The companies underscored the importance of ensuring that, to promote competition, consumer choice, and the continued investment in content, any FCC final rules need to ensure parity for programmer apps, provide programmers with effective means to enforce compliance with their licensing agreements and ensure that programmers can continue to engage with their viewers. The companies stated that they look forward to working closely with the Commission and with MVPDs as this proceeding moves forward.

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Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, this letter is being filed via ECFS, and a copy will be provided via email to the individuals listed below. Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this notice.

Respectfully submitted,



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cc: Jonathan Sallet
Jessica Almond