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Dear Ms. Kneff:

This letter is in reference to a written inquiry from Ms. Linda Parish concerning Interactive Video and Data Services (IVDS).

I have enclosed a copy of her letter which explains her concerns regarding the granting of licenses for the use of Telecommunications technologies on various radio spectra. I have also enclosed a copy of Chairman Glazer's response to Ms. Parish informing her that her letter has been forwarded to your organization for review.

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Your prompt attention will be appreciated.

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Very truly yours,

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Dear Governor Voinovich:

I am writing this letter in regards to the Federal Communications Commission's (FCC) plan to grant licenses for the use of telecommunications technologies on various radio spectra, mainly Interactive Video and Data Services (IVDS).

I as an African American woman invested in IVDS when the FCC announced in February, 1992 that access to these spectra would be granted through a lottery process. The FCC has already granted access in the nine largest Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSA's) by lottery.

I feel strongly that it is very unfair for the FCC to even consider granting the remaining licenses by auction. You and I both know that women, minorities, and small businesses will not be able to effectively compete under an auction format.

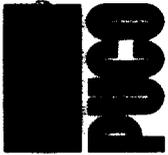
Please, for once, would you give me and thousands of other minority investors a fair chance to participate in this process by distributing the remaining IVDS licenses by lottery!

Thank you for you attention.

Sincerely,

*Linda G. Parish*

Linda Parish  
Minority Investor



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George V. Voinovich, *Governor*

Craig A. Glazer, *Chairman*

May 4, 1994

Ms. Linda Parish  
5616 Perkins Road  
Bedford Heights, OH 44146

Dear Ms. Parish:

Thank you for contacting Governor George V. Voinovich to express your concerns about Interactive Video and Data Services (IVDS). Your letter to Governor Voinovich was referred to the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO) for response.

The granting of licenses for the use of Telecommunications technologies on various radio spectra is not under the jurisdiction of the PUCO. I am forwarding your complaint to the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) for review.

If the PUCO can be of assistance on any utility-related matters, please feel free to contact our Public Interest Center at 1-800-686-PUCO (7826).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Craig A. Glazer', is written over a large, stylized, scribbled-out area.

Craig A. Glazer  
Chairman

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cc: Federal Communications Commission