



May 22, 2015

FILED ELECTRONICALLY

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

Re: *Amendment to the Commission's Rules Concerning Effective Competition*, MB Docket No. 15-53

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 20, 2015, the undersigned, met with Chanelle Hardy, Chief of Staff and Media Legal Advisor to Commissioner Clyburn. In the meeting, Charter explained that it supports the Commission's proposal to presume, on a nationwide basis, that cable operators face "effective competition" as defined by the Cable Act.¹ As Charter explained, the proposal reflects the state of competition that exists today and satisfies STELAR's directive.²

Sincerely,

/s/ Alex Hoehn-Saric

Alex Hoehn-Saric
Senior Vice President for Government Affairs
Charter Communications

cc: Chanelle Hardy

¹ See Comments of National Cable & Telecommunications Association, *Amendment to the Commission's Rules Concerning Effective Competition*, MB Docket No. 15-53 (filed April 9, 2015).

² See *id.* at 2-7.