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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
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Re: *Promoting Innovation and Competition in the Provision of MVPD Services*  
MB Docket No. 14-261;  
*Amendment to the Commission's Rules Related to Retransmission Consent,*  
MB Docket No. 10-71

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On June 30, 2015, Michael Olsen, Lee Schroeder, Emmett O'Keefe, and Alexi Maltas of Cablevision Systems Corporation, Justin Lilley of TeleMedia Policy Corp., and the undersigned met with Michelle Carey, Mary Beth Murphy, Kathryn Berthot, Susan Singer, Steven Broeckaert, Nancy Murphy, Lyle Elder, Diana Sokolow, Raphael Sznajder, Brendan Murray, Julie Shursky, Jaclyn Haughom, Brittani Zacco, Tom Hastings, and Ryan Brunner. In the meeting, Cablevision discussed the Commission's proceeding on interpreting the term "multichannel video programming distributor" ("MVPD") in the context of online video delivery, and the regulations applicable to online video distributors ("OVDs") classified as MVPDs. Cablevision reiterated its view that, should the Commission decide to classify OVDs as MVPDs, it should ensure that potential competitors in the online video marketplace are able to enter the market and compete on fair terms. In particular, OVD services delivered by cable operators over the public Internet should not be saddled with legacy cable regulations.<sup>1</sup>

Cablevision also discussed the Commission's proceeding on retransmission consent. Consistent with its comments, Cablevision argued that the Commission should level the retransmission-consent playing field by clarifying broadcasters' duty to negotiate in good faith.<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Reply Comments of Cablevision, MB Docket No. 14-261, at 3-7, 12-13 (filed Apr. 1, 2015).

<sup>2</sup> See Comments of Cablevision Systems Corporation and Charter Communications, Inc., MB Docket No. 10-71, at 10-19 (filed June 26, 2014).

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Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this meeting.

Sincerely,

*/s/ Samuel L. Feder*

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