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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
The Portals
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Ex Parte Notice ✓
MM Docket Nos. 87-8, 87-154, 91-221, 92-51, 94-150, & 96-197

Dear Ms. Salas:

On behalf of Granite Broadcasting Corporation ("Granite"), Antoinette Cook Bush of Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom, LLP and the undersigned made an ex parte presentation on May 26, 1999 regarding the above-referenced proceedings to Kim Matthews, Acting Legal Advisor to Commissioner Ness. In this meeting we discussed Granite's position on proposed changes in the television duopoly rule and supported a relaxation of the television duopoly rule to allow the ownership of two television stations in the same designated market area upon the satisfaction of certain criteria advocated in previous ex parte submissions.

Very truly yours,



Tom W. Davidson, Esq.

cc: Toni Cook Bush, Esq.
Kim Matthews, Esq.

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