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Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

April 9, 2001

Mr. Bruce W. Robertson
Vela Broadcast
404 West Ironwood Drive
Salt Lake City, Utah 84115

Dear Mr. Robertson:

This is in reference to your October 19, 1999, "Petition for Rule Making regarding Emergency Alert System." In your petition you requested that the Commission consider not requiring cable television systems with less than 5,000 subscribers to install EAS encoders.

In a telephone conversation with Bonnie Gay on April 2, 2001, you stated that you were no longer pursuing this matter in the form of a petition for rulemaking before the Commission. Therefore, pursuant to delegated authority, we are closing this case without further action.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Joseph P. Casey".

Joseph P. Casey
Chief, Technical and Public Safety Division
Enforcement Bureau

cc: Office of the Secretary, FCC