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**Via Hand Delivery**

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

**Re: Ex Parte Presentation  
DARS Repeater Rulemaking, IB Docket No. 95-91;  
XM Radio Inc., File No. SAT-STA-20010712-00063**

Dear Ms. Salas:

On August 28, 2001, Phil Barsky, Derek deBastos, and Paul Marko of XM Radio Inc. ("XM Radio") along with XM Radio's counsel, Bruce Jacobs, met with Ron Netro of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, Rockie Patterson and Ron Repasi of the International Bureau and Bruno Pattan of the Office of Engineering and Technology. The meeting focused on the techniques XM Radio has used to prevent blanketing interference.

Four copies of this notice are being submitted to the Secretary of the FCC. Please direct any questions regarding this matter to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

  
David S. Konczal

cc: Ron Netro  
Rockie Patterson  
Ron Repasi  
Bruno Pattan

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