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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
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William Caton, Acting Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
236 Massachusetts Avenue, NE
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Re: Notice of Permitted Ex Parte Presentation
MM Docket Nos. 01-317,00-244
Rules and Policies Concerning Multiple Ownership of Radio
Broadcast Stations in Local Markets; Definition of Radio
Markets

Dear Mr. Caton:

On behalf of Clear Channel Communications, Inc. ("Clear Channel"), submitted herewith pursuant to Section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules are an original and one copy of this notice regarding a permitted oral *ex parte* presentation. On February 12, 2002, representatives of Clear Channel met with FCC staff regarding the above-referenced rulemaking proceeding. Lowry Mays, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Clear Channel; Mark Mays, President and Chief Operating Officer of Clear Channel; Richard J. Bodorff of Wiley Rein & Fielding LLP, counsel for Clear Channel; Chairman Michael K. Powell; Kenneth Ferree, Chief of the Cable Services Bureau (and Chief of the proposed Media Bureau); and Susan Eid, Legal Advisor to Chairman Powell were in attendance.

At the meeting, Clear Channel advised Chairman Powell and FCC staff of the nature of various research studies it had commissioned for submission to the FCC in connection with the above-referenced rulemaking proceeding. Specifically, Clear Channel informed the Chairman and FCC staff that research had been commissioned regarding the impact of consolidation on advertising rates and format diversity, as well as the increase in the number of media outlets in recent years. Clear Channel also answered questions relating to the parties within its organization that are responsible for determining news and public affairs content. Finally, the parties discussed the Commission's objectives in conducting the rulemaking proceeding and the FCC's implementation of the interim processing rules, including "revenue flagging" and the timetable for acting on "flagged" transactions.

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Should there be questions concerning this matter, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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cc: Chairman Michael K. Powell
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Susan Eid