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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 Twelfth Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: *Ex Parte* Notice, MM Docket 01-235

Dear Ms. Dortch::

Today, on behalf of Caribbean International News Corporation, I discussed the parameters of a proposed study with Royce Dickens Sherlock and Judith Herman. Specifically, at a May 17, 2002 meeting with the Media Bureau, Caribbean discussed its proposal to eliminate the absolute prohibition on newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership and replace it with a rule narrowly tailored to meet the Commission's statutory public interest mandates. Media Bureau staff indicated at that time that it may be helpful to illustrate the types of media markets where Caribbean's proposal would permit cross-ownership as well as media markets where Caribbean's proposal would operate to prevent cross-ownership.

During today's telephone conversation, we discussed parameters for such an illustrative study, including options for defining geographic markets, whether the proposed study should consider all daily newspapers published within the geographic market or only those that purport to serve the entire geographic market, and options for demonstrating advertising revenues for each daily newspaper in the geographic market.

Sincerely,

/S/ Rosalind K. Allen

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cc: Royce Dickens Sherlock  
Judith Herman