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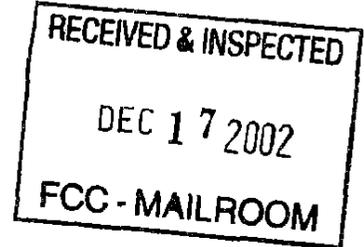
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Hon. Marlene Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street S.W.  
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Dear Ms. Dortch:

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RE: MB Docket No. 02-277 (Biennial Review  
of Broadcast Ownership Rules)

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Pursuant to 47 CFR §1.1206, this will disclose that in connection with these permit-but-disclose proceedings, the Minority Media and Telecommunications Council ("MMTC") held a meeting with the Office of General Counsel on December 11, 2002. Present at the meeting were Jane Mago, Esq., General Counsel, Michele Ellison, Esq., Deputy General Counsel, and myself on behalf of MMTC.

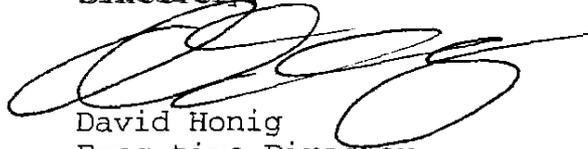
I called attention to the pendency of portions of the October 10, 2002 MMTC/NABOB Motion for Extension of Time, which sought, inter alia, inclusion of the five Adarand (Section 257) studies released December, 2000, in the record of the above-referenced dockets, and also sought an express ruling that the parties should comment on how minority ownership could be advanced in this proceeding. I predicted that unless the Commission explicitly invited the parties to address the subject of how minority ownership can be advanced (rather than only whether it is important and what constitutional impediments might exist to a race-conscious

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initiative), only the civil rights and public interest groups would respond and the record on these issues would be inadequate.

An original and two copies of this letter are being filed with the Secretary.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'David Honig', written over the word 'Sincerely,'.

David Honig  
Executive Director

cc: Jane Mago, Esq.  
Michele Ellison, Esq.

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