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Marlene Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
The Portals, 12th Street Lobby
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Washington, DC 20554

Re: Ex Parte Notice
MB Docket No. 02-277; MM Docket No. 01-235;
MM Docket No. 01-317; MM Docket No. 00-244

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Thursday, January 30, 2003, K. Rupert Murdoch, Mike Regan, and Maureen O'Connell of News Corporation met with Commissioner Kevin Martin and his legal advisor Catherine Bohigian. During the meeting, Mr. Murdoch, Mr. Regan and Ms. O'Connell urged the Commission to eliminate or modify all of its existing media ownership restrictions in a manner consistent with the views of Fox Entertainment Group, Inc. and Fox Television Stations, Inc. as set forth in its comments (filed jointly with NBC/Telemundo and Viacom on January 2, 2003) in the above-captioned proceedings.

In accordance with Section 1.49(f)(1) of the Commission's rules, an electronic version of this letter is being submitted for inclusion in each of the dockets listed above. Please direct any questions concerning this matter to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Brian Weimer
Counsel to News Corporation and Fox

cc: Commissioner Kevin Martin
Catherine Bohigian