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January 17, 2004

Hon Marlene Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Ms Dortch:

RE MM Docket No. 98-204 (Broadcast and Cable EEO)

Pursuant to 47 CFR §1.1206, this will disclose that in connection with this permit-but-disclose proceeding, MMTC held three meetings, as follows: (1) Jordan Goldstein, Esq , Legal Advisor to Commissioner Michael Copps, January 13, 2004, 2 30 PM; (2) Commissioner Kathleen Abernathy and her Legal Advisor, Stacy Robinson, Esq , January 13, 2004, 3:30 PM, (3) Johanna Shelton, Esq , Legal Advisor to Commissioner Jonathan Adelstein, January 15, 2004, 12.30 PM MMTC was represented by Francisco Montero, Esq. and myself at meetings (1) and (2), and by myself at meeting (3)

At these meetings we discussed (or at least briefly referred to) the collection of data on FCC Form 395. We noted that this data is useful for research and as supplemental evidence in a case of actual discrimination, therefore, the question should be handled in a different docket than No. 98-204 since the data is not to be used in connection with the outreach regulations. We urged completion of the other matters in Docket 98-204 with reasonable speed, as they have been pending for some time and the industry and the public would benefit from finality as to these matters

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

Sincerely,



David Honig  
Executive Director

cc Hon. Kathleen Abernathy  
Stacy Robinson, Esq  
Jordan Goldstein, Esq  
Johanna Shelton, Esq.

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