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VIA ECFS

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: *Ex Parte* Communications in ET Docket 05-24

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This is to notify you that on October 11, 2005, Robert Schwartz, McDermott Will & Emery and counsel to the Consumer Electronics Retailers Coalition ("CERC"), and the undersigned met with Heather Dixon, Attorney Advisor, Media Bureau on detail to Chairman Martin; Rudy Brioche', Legal Advisor to Commissioner Adelstein; and Lauren "Pete" Belvin, Legal Advisor to Commissioner Abernathy.

Our meeting pertained to the Commission's Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking ("FNPRM") regarding requirements for digital television receiving capability. On behalf of CEA, CERC, and their members, we reviewed the points that we have previously made on the record in the proceeding.

This letter is being provided to your office in accordance with Section 1.1206 of the Federal Communications Commission rules. A copy of this letter has been delivered by e-mail to the meeting participants.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Julie M. Kearney". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Julie M. Kearney
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cc: Lauren "Pete" Belvin
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