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Marlene Dortch, Esq.  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> St. SW  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: 05-192

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This responds to two recent filings in this docket, one filed on behalf of Comcast by Jim Coltharp, dated January 4, 2006, and a second filed on behalf of Adelphia by Michael Hammer, dated January 5, 2006.

Mr. Coltharp's letter takes issue with The America Channel's December 16, 2005 ex parte. The Comcast official referred to in The America Channel's December 16, 2005 ex parte filing as having told The America Channel that it had a carriage deal, is Madison Bond, Executive Vice President, Programming. During a 14-month period up to September 2004, Doron Gorshein and others at The America Channel had a number of meetings with Comcast senior executives, including three meetings, as well as other communications, with Mr. Bond, whom Mr. Gorshein believed held the title of Senior Vice President. If the reference to Mr. Bond's title in the December 16<sup>th</sup> filing was incorrect, we regret this inconsequential error.

Mr. Hammer's letter complains that The America Channel did not attach affidavits to its December 16, 2005 ex parte letter. We concluded at the time that to do so would be excessive and disproportionate. However, since Adelphia has now underscored that there are facts in dispute, upon further consultation with the Commission, we would be happy to provide sworn affidavits, or sworn live testimony when our Petition to Deny is designated for hearing.

We trust that this clarification and this proffer of sworn testimony will free the Commission of attempted distractions from the public interest determination central to this transaction.

Very truly yours,

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Kathleen Wallman