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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20554

Re: ***EX PARTE NOTICE***
ET Docket No. 04-186; Unlicensed Operation in the TV Broadcast Bands

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On January 29th, 2008, Shure Incorporated ("Shure") met with the Office of Engineering and Technology ("OET") to discuss Docket No. 04-186. Julius Knapp, Rashmi Doshi, Ira Keltz, Alan Stillwell and Thomas Phillips were in attendance on behalf of OET. Attending this meeting on behalf of Shure were Mark Brunner, Senior Director, Global Public Relations, Ahren Hartman, Director, Platform Planning, and Edgar Reihl, Principal Engineer, along with Catherine Wang and Tim Bransford of Bingham McCutchen LLP, outside counsel to Shure.

During this meeting, Shure discussed its analysis of data already in the record and its conclusion that Unlicensed Device burst transmissions can cause significant damaging interference to wireless microphones in normal use. Shure also discussed the second round of "White Spaces" bench and potential field testing venues, particularly, upcoming major sporting events. Shure urged the Commission to follow specific test procedures that will give a more complete assessment of unlicensed device sensing of wireless microphones. In addition, Shure provided a technical presentation demonstrating that burst transmissions are an ineffective interference mitigation technique.

If you have any questions regarding this meeting, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

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