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May 14, 2008

Ex Parte

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

Re: Unlicensed Operation in the TV Broadcast Bands, ET Docket No. 04-186

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 13, 2008, on behalf of the White Spaces Coalition,¹ Neeraj Srivastava and Kerry Murray of Dell, Inc., Paula Boyd of Microsoft Corp., Thomas Patton of Philips Electronics North America Corp., and the undersigned met with Julius Knapp, Geraldine Matisse, Bruce Romano and Alan Stillwell of the Office of Engineering and Technology. During this meeting, the parties discussed the Coalition's support for GE Healthcare's proposal for protecting medical telemetry devices through an emissions mask in Channels 36 – 38. The parties also discussed the operating parameters the White Spaces Coalition has proposed for personal/portable white space devices and technical methods to avoid causing harmful interference to incumbent operations, including wireless microphones.

Pursuant to the Commission's rules, a copy of this notice is being filed electronically in the above-referenced docket. If you require any additional information please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Edmond J. Thomas", written over a circular scribble.

Edmond J. Thomas
Senior Technology Policy Advisor

cc: meeting participants

¹ The White Spaces Coalition's members include Dell, Inc., Google, Inc., Hewlett-Packard Co., Microsoft Corp., Palm, Inc., Philips Electronics North America Corp., and TDK Corp.