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## **ELECTRONIC FILING**

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

**Re: Ex Parte, GN Docket Nos. 09-47, 09-51, 09-137, 10-25 and MB Docket No. 09-182**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On April 29, 2010, Vincent Sadusky, CEO of LIN Media (“LIN”), Rebecca Duke, LIN’s Vice President of Distribution, and I met with David Goldman of Chairman Genachowski’s office. We gave Mr. Goldman a copy of the attached presentation, “LIN’s View of Local Media”.

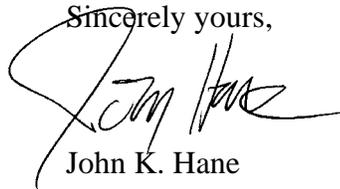
Mr. Sadusky emphasized that the FCC’s broadcast ownership rules and its inflexible technical regulations hinder efforts of television broadcasters to adapt to the changing needs and expectations of consumers and said that the existing rules prevent broadcasters from providing new services and from operating in ways that make even more efficient use of the spectrum.

Mr. Sadusky also said that the FCC’s existing ownership rules can be a barrier to increased diversity in a market, particularly in smaller markets, because producing high quality local television content, including news, requires high fixed costs. Standalone stations that do not have sufficient revenue cannot produce and air local content, while stronger local operators, including owners of two or more stations, can cover those high fixed costs and have the opportunity to air more local programming when they have access to two stations. Mr. Sadusky also described how LIN is using new technology to improve newsgathering and to make its news content available on its web sites and through smartphone apps.

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Please contact me if you have any questions about this submission.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John K. Hane". The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping initial "J" and a long, horizontal flourish extending to the right.

John K. Hane

cc: David Goldman