

February 22, 2011

**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

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

**Re:           Ex Parte Notice**  
**MB Docket No. 10-71**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

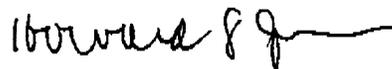
On February 18, 2011, Catherine Bohigian of Cablevision Systems Corporation (“Cablevision”) and the undersigned met with Marilyn Sonn, legal advisor to Chairman Genachowski, and Joshua Cinelli, media advisor to Commissioner Copps, regarding the above-captioned proceeding.

Referring to Cablevision’s prior filings in this docket, we proposed that the Commission define the obligation to negotiate in good faith to require transparency and non-discrimination and to prohibit the bundling of broadcast stations with the carriage of other programming in retransmission consent agreements. We urged that the Commission seek comment on this proposal in its forthcoming Notice of Proposed Rulemaking on retransmission consent reform.

Pursuant to section 1.1206(b) of the Commission’s rules, an electronic copy of this letter is being filed electronically with the Office of the Secretary and served electronically on the Commission participants in the meetings. We are also providing the Commission participants with an electronic copy of Cablevision’s May 2010 comments in this docket.

Any questions concerning this submission should be addressed to the undersigned.

Sincerely,



Howard J. Symons

cc:   Marilyn Sonn  
      Joshua Cinelli