



May 26, 2011

Ex Parte

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

*Re: Innovation in the Broadcast Television Bands, ET Docket No. 10-235;
Promoting More Efficient Use of Spectrum Through Dynamic Spectrum Use
Technologies, ET Docket No. 10-237; Unlicensed Operation in the TV Broadcast
Bands, ET Docket Nos. 04-186 and 02-380*

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 25, 2011, Milo Medin, Larry Alder and Richard Whitt of Google Inc., and the undersigned, met with Julius Knapp, Chief of the Office of Engineering and Technology, and Thomas Peters, of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, on the status of TV white spaces and unlicensed technologies. We discussed the progress being made in the ongoing FCC workshops for administrators of geolocation databases in support of TV white spaces. We also explained that, should the Commission receive voluntary incentive auction authority from Congress, the agency should maintain the flexibility to create a band plan, and/or conduct an auction of reclaimed broadcast spectrum, that maximizes consumer benefits and supports innovation. Artificial restrictions on the Commission's ability as the expert agency to select the appropriate amounts of licensed and unlicensed spectrum, re-pack incumbent TV broadcast operations, or position an additional unlicensed band, would unnecessarily tie the Commission's hands and result in suboptimal wireless operations. We also discussed the impact on band-plan design of the restrictions on Channel 37, as well as LTE and Wi-Fi standards and technologies.

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

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Paul Margie

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cc: meeting participants