By ECFS

October 28, 2015

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

Re: Notice of Ex Parte Communication
Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization
WC Docket Nos. 11-42, 10-90 and 09-197

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 26, 2015, the undersigned, along with Jim Steyer, Founder and CEO, Common Sense Media, and Danny Weiss, Vice President of National Policy, Common Sense Media, met with Chairman Tom Wheeler and Senior Legal Advisor Stephanie Weiner to discuss how broadband access is a necessary tool for addressing the “homework gap” in the Hispanic community.

The Univision and Common Sense Media representatives described the Avanzamos Conectados! (Connected, We Advance) initiative in which Univision and Common Sense are currently engaged. We explained that broadband access for Hispanics is critically important to the future of the U.S., especially when one considers that Hispanic students make up nearly a quarter of the nation’s public school enrollment. We also explained that Avanzamos Conectados, since its launch in August, has had more than 50,000 people sign up to receive information on obtaining service, has seen 21,000 people attending Education Fairs where the program was promoted, and has registered more than 60,000 calls requesting information.

I went on to explain that Univision supports responsible programs, whether public or private, that help U.S. Hispanics gain access to affordable broadband in the home. I also explained that programs must ensure comprehensive service, be accessible, and promote awareness in Spanish to best serve the Hispanic community.

Finally, the Univision and Common Sense Media representatives discussed certain points raised in our respective filings, made on August 30, 2015, in the referenced proceeding.

This letter is being submitted electronically pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's Rules. Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions about this submission.
Respectfully submitted,

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cc: The Honorable Tom Wheeler
Stephanie Weiner