



January 11, 2011

Marlene Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Notice of Oral *Ex Parte* Presentation
MB Docket No. 10-56 (Comcast-NBC acquisition)

Dear Ms. Dortch,

On January 10, 2011, I met with Joshua Cinelli of Commissioner Michael J. Copps' office. I expressed my concerns regarding the proposed transaction between Comcast Corporation, General Electric Company, and NBC Universal, Inc.

Consistent with the documents filed in this docket, I discussed Consumers Union's concerns with the proposed transaction. Specifically, I expressed concern over the impact the transaction would have on competition, choice, and prices. I stresses that if the transaction is approved, the Commission must adopt strict and enforceable conditions.

Specifically, I urged that the conditions should ensure that MVPDs and on-line video providers have access to Comcast-NBC programming at reasonable, rates, terms, and conditions. I also urged that the Commission should adopt program carriage conditions which prohibit Comcast-NBC from unreasonably refusing to carry independent programming or from seeking unreasonable rates, terms and conditions for carriage. I encouraged the Commission to adopt conditions addressing wholesale and retail broadband access. Finally, I urged the Commission adopt an expedited resolution process for program access and program carriage complaints.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §1.1206(b), this letter is being filed electronically with your office today.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Parul P. Desai".

Parul P. Desai

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