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# EXTENSION OF COMMENT PERIOD

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#### **Copyright Office**

37 CFH Part 201

(Docket No. RM 86-7)

Extension of Comment Period: Notice of Inquiry on Definition of Cable Systems

**AGENCY:** Copyright Office. Library of Congress.

**ACTION:** Extension of comment period.

NOTICE: On October 15, 1986, the Copyright Office in a Notice of Inquiry (51 FR 36705) invited public comment on the definition of the term "cable system" as it concerns the operation of the compulsory licensing mechanism in 17 U.S.C. 111 (1976). Comments were invited through December 15, 1986, and reply comments through January 13, 1987.

Since the closing of the comment and reply period, the Copyright Office has received four comments including a supplemental comment from The Microband Companies Incorporated. ("Microband") a letter responding to Microband's comments from Major League Baseball, ("MLB") and a reply letter responding to MLB's letter from Microband. In the interest of allowing full public comment. the Copyright Office hereby extends the comment period until thirty days from the date of publication of this notice in the Federal Register. Reply comments may be submitted during this extended comment period. The late comments already received will be made part of the record.

DATE: Comments should be received on or before September 2. 1987.

ADDRESSES: Ten copies of written comments should be addressed, if sent by mail, to: Library of Congress. Department 100, Washington, DC 20540.

If delivered by hand, copies should be brought to: Office of the General Counsel, Copyright Office, James Madison Memorial Building, Room 407, First and Independence Avenue, SE., Washington, DC.

## FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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#### List of Subjects in 37 CFR Part 201

General provision on copyrights, Cable television, Cable compulsory license.

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