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AMENDMENT

The pending application for consent to the transfer of control of Telemundo

Communications Group, Inc. ("Telemundo") and its broadcast licensee subsidiaries to TN

Acquisition Corp., a wholly-owned subsidiary of General Electric Company, which is the parent company of the National Broadcasting Company, Inc. (FCC File No. BTCCT-20011101ABK, et seq.), is hereby amended to incorporate the attached Supplement to Exhibit No. 17 (Compliance with Television Ownership Rules and Request for Temporary Waiver of Section 73.3555(b) of the Commission's Rules).

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SUPPLEMENT TO EXHIBIT NO. 17

In its pending application ("Application") for Commission consent to the transfer of control of Telemundo Communications Group, Inc. ("Telemundo) and its broadcast licensee subsidiaries to TN Acquisition Corp., the transferee requested a period of 12 months to come into compliance with the Commission's local television ownership rules. As explained in the Application, the proposed acquisition of Telemundo will result in the common ownership of three television stations in the Los Angeles Designated Market Area ("DMA"): Station KNBC, Los Angeles, and Telemundo's Spanish-language duopoly in the Los Angeles DMA, comprised of Stations KVEA, Corona, and KWHY-TV, Los Angeles. NBC pledged in the Application to operate Station KNBC independently from the two Telemundo-owned stations during the 12-month period. The purpose of this amendment is to advise the Commission that, based on additional knowledge of the Spanish-language broadcasting market in Los Angeles gained since the Application was filed, NBC has decided that it will operate Stations KNBC and KVEA as its permitted duopoly in the Los Angeles DMA and will continue to operate Station KWHY-independently during the waiver period.

As demonstrated in the Application, NBC is permitted to own two television stations in the Los Angeles DMA under the local television station ownership rules as revised in 1999. The decision to operate Stations KNBC and KVEA as its permitted duopoly in Los Angeles will allow NBC to integrate certain operations, including sales, at Stations KNBC and KVEA

See Exhibit No. 17 (Compliance with Television Ownership Rules and Request for Temporary Waiver of Section 73.3555(b) of the Commission's Rules ("Temporary Waiver Request")). The Commission accepted the application for filing by Public Notice dated November 6, 2001. See Public Notice, Report No. 25106 (rel. Nov. 6, 2001). For ease of reference, the transferee is referred to herein as NBC.

promptly after consummation of the transfer of control, which will bolster KVEA's competitive standing in the Spanish-language broadcasting market in Los Angeles. As the Application also made clear, Station KWHY-TV is not currently a Telemundo affiliate, but rather operates as a fully independent Spanish-language station targeted to a local audience and local advertisers.

NBC's pledge to continue operating Station KWHY-TV independently, with separate programming strategies and separate sales activities, during the temporary waiver period will maintain this distinctive voice in the Los Angeles DMA. Therefore, NBC's election to operate Stations KNBC and KVEA as its permitted duopoly in Los Angeles after consummation of the merger will strengthen KVEA as a competitor in the Spanish-language broadcasting market, while preserving the diversity contributed to that market by KWHY's distinctive voice.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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