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Present: Margaret Lazaretti and Charles Reyna represented the HWCN Division

TOPIC	DISCUSSION/ACTION	FOLLOW-UP
Antitrust Statement	Charles Reyna read the antitrust plan.	
	Margaret Lazaretti was presenter.	_
	One of the decisions we have made here at the Department in the last week or so is that when an applicant is responding to a deficiency letter by sending in documents that have changes made in those, we are asking that you do two things. One is to send an attestation that nothing has been changed except for the indicated language, and for the indicated language, please do it in what we call a "red line" version. Some people are using a red font to do that, and do "strike-through" in the language that is being removed. What we are asking that is in addition to the red font, which works great on line, but when we drop it to paper we lose that because we have black and white printers. If you would, in addition to the red font or instead of the red font, do underlining on new language. So strike through the old language and underline new language. That is the only announcement I have today.	
Open for Questions and Discussion	Any questions?	

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	 Q: To clarify, the strike through and underlining is to be used just when responding to deficiency letters? A: Yes, that is correct. If you have any affiliate applications using your network, and the affiliate wants to use your approved document, they can attest to the fact their document is an identical document to yours when they submit the document. And the same would apply if they were to take your document and make changes to it (underlining new language and striking through old language). Q: When is the next call? A: These calls are held weekly. We normally post an agenda on our website, but with the holidays it did not get done. As soon as the minutes are transcribed and approved, they get posted. The calls we have on Tuesdays for providers are held every other week. We held one this week, so next week the Tuesday call won't happen. If there are no questions, we will end the call. Thank you for calling. 	