

Exhibit B

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
STATE OF ILLINOIS,
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA,
and
COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA,

Plaintiffs,

v.

NEXSTAR MEDIA GROUP, INC., and
TRIBUNE MEDIA COMPANY,

Defendants.

Case No. 1:19-cv-2295 (DLF)

**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH PROVISIONS
OF THE ANTITRUST PROCEDURES AND PENALTIES ACT**

Plaintiff United States of America, by the undersigned attorney, hereby certifies that it has complied with the provisions of the Antitrust Procedures and Penalties Act (“APPA”), 15 U.S.C. § 16(b)-(h) and states:

1. The United States filed the Complaint, Hold Separate Stipulation and Order, and Proposed Final Judgment on July 31, 2019. The United States filed the Competitive Impact Statement on August 1, 2019.
2. Under 15 U.S.C. § 16(b), the Proposed Final Judgment and the Competitive Impact Statement were published in the *Federal Register* on August 15, 2019 (*see* 84 Fed. Reg. 41,738).

3. Under 15 U.S.C. § 16(b), copies of the Proposed Final Judgment and Competitive Impact Statement were furnished to all persons requesting them and made available on the Department of Justice, Antitrust Division's website.

4. Under 15 U.S.C. § 16(c), a summary of the terms of the Proposed Final Judgment and Competitive Impact Statement were published in *The Washington Post*, a newspaper of general circulation in the District of Columbia, for seven days, beginning on August 9, 2019 and ending on August 15, 2019.

5. As noted in the Competitive Impact Statement, no determinative materials or documents within the meaning of 15 U.S.C. § 16(b) were considered by the United States in formulating the proposed Final Judgment, so none was furnished to any person pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 16(b) or listed pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 16(c).

6. As required by 15 U.S.C. § 16(g), on August 9, 2019, Defendants each filed with the Court a description of any written or oral communications made by or on behalf of each Defendant, or any other person, with any officer or employee of the United States concerning the proposed Final Judgment.

7. The sixty-day comment period prescribed by 15 U.S.C. § 16(b) and (d) for the receipt and consideration of written comments, during which the proposed Final Judgment could not be entered, commenced on Thursday, August 15, 2019, and ended on Tuesday, October 15, 2019. The United States received no comments from members of the public concerning the proposed Final Judgment.

8. The parties have satisfied all of the requirements of the APPA that were conditions for entering the proposed Final Judgment. Pursuant to the Hold Separate Stipulation

and Order filed on July 31, 2019, and 15 U.S.C. § 16(e), the Court may enter the Final Judgment after it determines that the Judgment serves the public interest.

9. Plaintiff's Competitive Impact Statement demonstrates that the proposed Final Judgment satisfies the public interest standard of 15 U.S.C. § 16(e).

10. Plaintiff requests that this Court enter the Final Judgment without further hearings.

Dated: January 7, 2020

Respectfully submitted,



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