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Madame Diane Rhcaume
Secretary General CRTC
Ottawa, Ontario
K1A 0N2**Re: Letter of Support**
Article 7 of CRTC 2007-1
Application numbers 2006-0508-2 and 2006-0509-0

On behalf of the Belleville Police Service, I am pleased to write this letter of support for the above two applications, seeking "*Public Interest*" status.

Providing timely information to the public is often critical in emergent situations. Police often rely on information dissemination via word of mouth, print media and radio news broadcast. The safety and security of the public and the community we serve is paramount. The ability to disseminate critical information via a timely, effective medium is a progressive step in improving public safety and security and an enhancement to the mediums currently utilized.

Television public broadcast in real time is quick, effective and remains the most widely utilized media forum with the ability to reach an immense audience.

In the interest of public safety, the Belleville Police Service supports these applications for "*Public Interest*" status.

Yours truly,

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