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In the Matter of
Cable Compulsory Licensing
Reporting Practices

Docket No. RM 2005-6

**COMMENTS OF BROADCAST MUSIC, INC., THE
AMERICAN SOCIETY OF COMPOSER AUTHORS
AND PUBLISHERS, AND SESAC, INC.**

Broadcast Music, Inc. ("BMI"), the American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers ("ASCAP"), and SESAC, Inc., (collectively "Music Claimants"), hereby submit the following comments in response to the Notice of Inquiry ("NOI") issued by the Copyright Office ("Office") and published in the Federal Register on August 18, 2005, *Response Reporting Practices*, 71 Fed. Reg. 45

As recipients of cable compulsory licensing, Music Claimants have been operating for over 20 years since the inception of the license. Music Claimants have consistently complied with the reporting requirements by the Office that facilitate the monitoring of the license. Music Claimants believe that minor adjustments to the Statement of Account ("SOA") forms, such as those suggested by the Motion Picture Association of America ("MPAA") in their petition, would reduce confusion and improve the ability of copyright owners to review

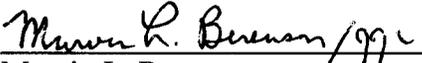
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compliance by those paying into the cable royalty fund, while creating no significant burden on the cable operators. Accordingly, as a general matter, we support MPAA's comments and proposed revisions to the SOAs.

Music Claimants look forward to reviewing comments on the NOI by other interested parties and specifically reserve our right to submit reply comments thereto.

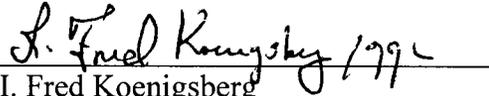
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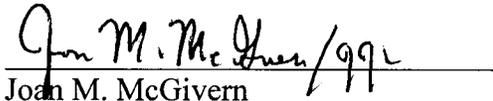
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