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Congresswoman Nancy Pelosi
United States House of Representatives
235 Cannon House Office Building
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Representative:

On behalf of the approximately 8,300 local radio and television stations in the National Association of Broadcasters (NAB) membership, **I am writing in support of H.R. 2102, the Free Flow of Information Act, which is expected to be brought up for a vote on the House floor on Tuesday, October 16, 2007.**

NAB and its membership strongly support this carefully crafted, bipartisan legislation, introduced by Representatives Rick Boucher, John Conyers and Mike Pence, that is in line with "shield" laws recognized in 49 states and the District of Columbia.

Broadcast journalists take seriously their responsibility of serving every local community with timely news and information. This compromise legislation strikes a careful balance to ensure the public stays informed while at the same time honoring the public interest in having reporters testify in certain circumstances.

Additionally, H.R. 2102 is supported by a broad based coalition comprised of over 40 media companies, media organizations and journalist groups. The above attachment has a full listing of the organizations.

As the House of Representatives moves next week to consider H.R. 2102, we respectfully request that you vote in support of final passage of this important legislation and oppose any amendments to undermine or weaken its spirit or application. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me or the NAB Government Relations Department at 202-429-5301.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "David K. Rehr".

David K. Rehr

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