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Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission
Ottawa, Ontario
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Re: Broadcasting Notice of Consultation CRTC 2017-365 Application #2017-0586-5 by Pelmorex Weather Networks (Television) Inc. to renew the licence of The Weather Network/MétéoMédia

To whom it may concern,

The David Suzuki Foundation is a national organization whose mission is to protect the diversity of nature and our quality of life, now and for the future. Through a combination of sound science and active public outreach, we motivate people in Canada to take action on the environmental challenges we collectively face.

People in Canada consistently name the David Suzuki Foundation as the country's most credible and reliable source of science-based environmental information and rank us above all other organizations in working cooperatively with business to resolve critical issues. For more than 25 years, we have built a broad, active and influential community of environmentally aware citizens and partners.

The David Suzuki Foundation supports The Weather Network/Météomédia's application to remain on basic television. The Weather Network/Météomédia has been our partner for several years. It has assisted us in our mission by broadcasting our educational messaging to raise awareness about pressing environmental issues across Canada, helping our community members plan for their nature-based activities on a daily basis with local weather forecasts and prompting environmental engagement.

We truly value our partnership with The Weather Network/Météomédia and hope its license renewal will have positive outcomes.

Best regards,



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