

APPENDIX 10

Lexicon of Acronyms

<u>Acronym</u>	<u>Meaning</u>
ACN	American Community Newspapers
ALJ	Administrative law judge
BRS	Broadband radio service
CBCO Rule	Cable/broadcast cross-ownership rule
CDV	Comcast Digital Voice
CIM	Comcast Interactive Media
CSM	Common Sense Media
CSN-NE	Comcast SportsNet New England
D3	DOCSIS 3.0
DBS	Direct broadcast satellite
DMA	Designated Market Area
DSL	Digital subscriber line
DTV	Digital television
DVD	Digital video disc
DVR	Digital video recorder
EBITDA	Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation, and Amortization
EDP	Equity-Debt-Plus
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
GE	General Electric Company
GECC	General Electric Capital Corporation
HD	High-definition
HHI	Herfindahl-Hirschman Index
HSI	High-speed Internet

ISP	Internet service provider
JV	Joint venture
LEC	Local exchange carrier
MGM	Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer
MVPD	Multichannel video programming distributor
NBC	National Broadcasting Company
NBCU	NBC Universal
NECN	New England Cable News
O&O	Owned-and-operated station
PEG	Public, educational, and governmental
PPV	Pay-per-view
RSN	Regional sports network
SD	Standard-definition
SMATV	Satellite master antenna television
TWCC	The Weather Channel Companies
VOD	Video-on-demand