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TO: Codesa Management Committee Sub-Committee 1,
Task Group 3 (Media)

ATTENTION: Mr. Essop Pahad

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Task Group 3 (Media)
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Kenpton Park

FOR ATTENTION: MR. ESSOP PAHAD

Dear Mr. Pahad

Request for meeting with Task Group 3.

The Film and Broadcasting Forum (FBF) welcomes the agreement reached at Codesa concerning the establishment of an independent authority to regulate the telecommunications sector. However, we believe that other essential aspects concerning the administration of the South African television, film and video industry during the period of transition need to be addressed as a matter of urgency.

The FBF has submitted proposals relating to the restructuring of broadcasting and film to Codesa's Working Group 1 before Codesa 2. These proposals represent the common position of all the major membership-based organisations in the film, video and television industry, reached through a process of intensive deliberations and the consolidation of the different areas of expertise offered by the organisations participating in the FBF. (See Addendum A for participating organisations.)

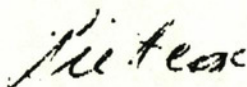
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The FBF believes that the restructuring of film, video and television is of paramount importance for the process of democratisation and development which needs to take place in South Africa and we are most concerned by the way in which these media are currently being administered.

We therefore request an urgent meeting with representatives of Task Group 3 in order to discuss the proposals which were submitted to Working Group 1 previously and to raise our concerns about developments in the field of film and broadcasting.

Included copies of the proposals handed in to Working Group 1 before Codesa 2.

Yours sincerely



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FBF Secretary

ORGANISATIONS PARTICIPATING IN THE FILM AND BROADCASTING
FORUM (FBF):

FMA " Film Makers' Association.

FAWO " Film and Allied Workers Organisation.
Representing film-makers, film educationalists, independent
distributors and exhibitors, technicians and the community
video sector on a national level.

SAFVI " South African Film and Video Institute.
Representing film and television production companies,
facility houses, distributors.

SAFFTA " SA Film & Television Technicians Association.

PAWE " Performing Arts Workers Equity.

PMA " Personal Managers Association.

SASWA " South African Script Writers Association.
Representing, self-employed scriptwriters.

SA-APRS " South African Association of Professional
Recording Studios.