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FCC BUDGET OF \$304,057,000 PROPOSED FOR FISCAL YEAR 2006

Washington, DC – The President has submitted a budget to Congress that proposes fiscal year 2006 funding for the Federal Communications Commission of \$304,057,000.

The requested FY 2006 funding level will cover mandatory increases for salaries and benefits and inflationary increases for office space rental, supplies, printing, postage and contractual services. The budget level also includes funds to allow the FCC to consolidate and upgrade commission-owned facilities at Columbia, Maryland; to provide for critical enhancements to the FCC's major electronic filing systems; to implement a government-wide automated human resources system; and to fund additional staff to assist with program oversight associated with USF audit activities.

The complete copy of the Commission's FY 2006 budget submission is available on the FCC's web site at: <http://www.fcc.gov/Reports/fcc2006budget.html>

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