Resolution
Equity in the Digital Transition

WHEREAS Christian television programming injects the life-giving message of salvation into the cultural dialogue; and

WHEREAS the Congress and the Federal Communications Commission are deliberating the proper course of the digital transition; and

WHEREAS the FCC proposed plan involves reclaiming the 700MHz spectrum band, i.e. channels 60 and higher, for public safety purposes; and

WHEREAS Christian television broadcasters are represented within the spectrum band marked for reclamation; and

WHEREAS the loss of Christian programming on channels 60 and above will cause consumer disruption and detrimentally affect the cultural dialogue: Therefore, be it

RESOLVED That National Religious Broadcasters encourages the FCC to reconsider its proposed spectrum reclamation plan and to establish equity in the digital transition process; and be it further

RESOLVED That National Religious Broadcasters encourages Congress to establish a plan that fosters an equitable transition process for all television broadcasters.

Approved by the Board of Directors February 11, 2005