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**STATEMENT OF MICHAEL K. POWELL ON DESIGNATION
AS CHAIRMAN, FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**

I am deeply honored and privileged to have received President Bush's designation to be Chairman of the Federal Communication Commission.

I look forward to working with the new administration, Congress, my fellow Commissioners and the very talented FCC staff on the important and challenging communications issues facing our nation.

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