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STATEMENT OF COMMISSIONER ROBERT M. McDOWELL ON PRESIDENT OBAMA'S INTENT TO NOMINATE LAWRENCE E. STRICKLING TO BE ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION AT THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

The following statement can be attributed to Commissioner Robert M. McDowell:

"I congratulate Larry on the announcement that President Obama intends to nominate him to lead the National Telecommunications and Information Administration at the Department of Commerce. I have had the pleasure of knowing Larry for many years and I know he will bring a wealth of knowledge to NTIA from his experience in both the public and private sectors. I wish him well in the confirmation process and look forward to working with him."

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