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**STATEMENT BY FCC COMMISSIONER MIGNON L. CLYBURN
ON THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF MICHAEL K. POWELL TO HEAD NCTA**

I congratulate former FCC Chairman Michael Powell on his new position as President and CEO of NCTA.

During his tenure at the helm of the Commission, Michael demonstrated tremendous intelligence in pushing competing sides of a policy debate to arrive at non-regulatory solutions that served the public interest. We currently have a number of difficult policy initiatives to address, such as improving broadband adoption and deployment, and we will all benefit from Michael's experience and acumen on these issues and many others.

I look forward to working with Michael, and am anxious to partner with him on the challenges that lie ahead.