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**STATEMENT OF COMMISSIONER MICHAEL O’RIELLY  
ON EDITORIAL PRIVILEGES REFORM**

WASHINGTON, February 9, 2017. — I gladly support the effort to officially establish an FCC post-adoption editorial process that is sufficiently narrow and should rarely be needed, finally fixing a process abuse of our past. Chairman Pai should be commended for his continued leadership on process reform.

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