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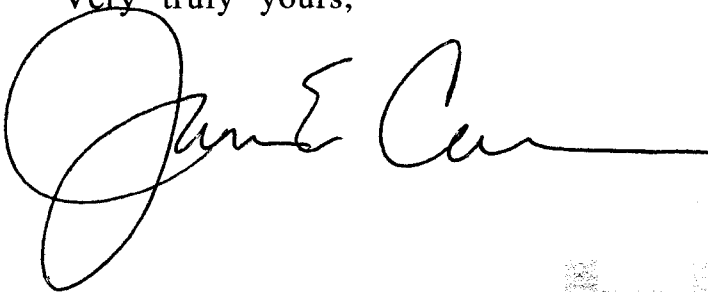
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Patent Statement

David Sarnoff Research Center does not at present hold any patents or pending patent applications which would be required for compliance with the proposed standard describing the Digital HDTV Grand Alliance System.

If, however, Sarnoff should hold such a patent in the future, Sarnoff agrees to make available to all applicants a license under reasonable terms and conditions that are demonstrably free of any unfair discrimination.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "James E. Carnes". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping initial "J".