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The Honorable Ted Cruz
Chair
Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

The Honorable Maria Cantwell
Ranking Member
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Dear Chairman Cruz and Ranking Member Cantwell,

As leading representatives of America's technology and telecommunications industries, we write to express our strong support for the swift confirmation of Arielle Roth as Administrator of the National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA) and Olivia Trusty as Commissioner of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). Their expertise and leadership are vital to advancing our nation's communications infrastructure and ensuring that the United States remains the global leader in innovation.

Arielle Roth brings extensive experience in technology and telecommunications policy, making her exceptionally qualified to lead the NTIA. Her deep understanding of spectrum management, broadband deployment, and technology policy will be instrumental in shaping a communications landscape that accelerates investment, promotes growth, and enables the next generation of breakthroughs.

Olivia Trusty has significant expertise, with over a decade of service on Capitol Hill including her role as policy director for the Senate Commerce Committee, possesses a comprehensive grasp of communications and technology issues. Her commitment to fostering an environment that prioritizes innovation and encourages technological progress aligns with the FCC's essential role in driving America's digital future.

In today's rapidly evolving digital economy, the NTIA and FCC must have experienced leadership to navigate complex policy challenges and support the deployment of cutting-edge communications infrastructure. The confirmations of Ms. Roth and Ms. Trusty will provide the stability and strategic direction needed to advance policies that strengthen America's position in the global technology landscape.

We commend President Trump for these outstanding nominations and urge the Senate

to proceed swiftly with their confirmations, so that these highly qualified individuals can get to work on behalf of the American people.

Thank you for your leadership and attention to this important matter.

Sincerely,

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