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## **SINCLAIR COMMUNICATIONS, INC. NAMES JOHN QUIGLEY TO ADDITIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES**

John Quigley, Sinclair Communications, Inc. Regional Manager in Columbus, OH will begin managing a new expanded roster of stations effective with the closing of the Max Media and Sullivan station businesses later this month. Sinclair's Oklahoma City stations, Dayton properties, Richmond, Madison, Lexington as well as Charleston, SC, Tri-Cities, Tennessee and Greenville, SC/Asheville, NC through their new Group Manager, Will Davis will all be part of Mr. Quigley's new region.

Barry Baker, CEO-designate said, "John has been doing great work for this company since the day he joined us thirteen years ago. Most recently his region included our Columbus property as well as our Cincinnati and Oklahoma City station. John's region has lead all of our regions in ad sales growth for 1997-1998. When the opportunity came to consolidate the Columbus market under one manager, Sinclair asked John to focus on the responsibilities we are announcing today. John's demonstrated abilities as Regional Manager allowed us to create the largest list of any Regional Manager at Sinclair. What he has already done for his current region we know can be expanded into his new markets."

John Quigley commented, "I'm excited about the multitude of challenges ahead. The markets in my region are full of unique opportunities. I intend to spend my time maximizing those opportunities. I will miss the wonderful staff we've grown at WTTE but know that in Sam Stallworth's able hands the Sinclair shareholders will continue to prosper in Columbus, Ohio."