Sinclair Announces Distributions on 11-5/8% High Yield Trust Offered Preferred Securities

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Sinclair Broadcast Group, Inc. (Nasdaq: SBGI) today announced that its Board of Directors has declared a regular quarterly cash distribution equal to 2.90625% of the liquidation value on the 11-5/8% High Yield Trust Offered Preferred Securities (the "HYTOPS") of Sinclair Capital, a wholly owned subsidiary trust of Sinclair Broadcast Group, Inc. The distribution is payable on June 15, 2001, to the holders of record at the close of business on June 1, 2001. The HYTOPS (CUSIP Number 829230408) are not traded on Nasdaq or any exchange.

Sinclair Broadcast Group, Inc. is a diversified broadcasting company that currently owns or programs 62 television stations in 40 markets. Sinclair's television group reaches approximately 25.0% of all U.S. television households and includes ABC, CBS, FOX, NBC, WB and UPN affiliates. Sinclair, through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Sinclair Ventures, owns equity interests in Internet-related companies including G1440, an Internet development and integration company; VisionAIR, a wireless data applications developer; and Synergy Brands, Inc. Sinclair has a strategic alliance with Acrodyne Communications, Inc., a manufacturer of technically advanced television transmitters. For more information, please visit our website at www.sbgi.net.

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