

**EXHIBIT F**  
**PUBLIC INTEREST STATEMENT**

The assignment of the licenses for earth station license E120239 and E980012 from WXIIHTV Company to Hearst Properties Inc. will serve the public interest by allowing the licensee to continue to use the facilities in its newsgathering operations in connection with the operation of television station WXII-TV following the *pro forma* merger of WXIIHTV Company into Hearst Properties Inc.