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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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10 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
11 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

12 GROUPE CANAL+ S.A., CANAL+
13 TECHNOLOGIES, S.A., CANAL+
TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,

14 Plaintiffs,

15 v.

16 NDS GROUP PLC, NDS AMERICAS, INC.,

17 Defendants.
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) CASE NO.: C02-01178 VRW

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) **DECLARATION OF MICHAEL B.**
) **LEVIN IN SUPPORT OF**
) **OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO**
) **DISMISS OR TRANSFER FOR**
) **IMPROPER VENUE**

) Date: Thursday, May 30, 2002
) Time: 2:00 p.m.
) Courtroom 6
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21 I, Michael B. Levin, declare as follows:

22 1. I am an attorney with the law firm Wilson Sonsini Goodrich & Rosati, 650 Page Mill
23 Road, Palo Alto, CA 94304, counsel for plaintiffs in this lawsuit. I make each of the following
24 statements based on my personal knowledge, and if called as a witness I would testify to the truth
25 of each of the following statements:
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2. On April 24, 2002, I attended a conference organized by the Carmel Group, titled “Satellite Entertainment 2002,” in Monterey, California. According to the literature provided by the conference organizers, Defendant NDS Americas was a co-sponsor of the conference.

3. At the conference, NDS was distributing company literature at a table, available to all conference attendees. Attached as Exhibit A are true and correct copies of the first page and other relevant pages of an NDS brochure, entitled “World leader, world vision,” which I obtained on April 24, 2002 from the NDS table.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on
May 16, 2002 at Palo Alto, California.

/s/Michael B. Levin
Michael B. Levin