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Justice R. V. Raveendran, former Judge of the Supreme Court of India has graciously accepted the invitation of the News Broadcasters Association (NBA) to be the Chairperson of the News Broadcasting Standards Authority (NBSA), the self regulatory initiative of the NBA.

A brief resume of Justice R.V. Raveendran is attached.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Annie Joseph', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Annie Joseph
Secretary General

Encl: a/a

BRIEF RESUME:

Justice R.V. Raveendran completed his secondary education at Fort High School, Bangalore. He graduated from St. Joseph's College, Bangalore and obtained Law Degree from Government Law College, Bangalore, in the year 1967. He was enrolled as an Advocate in March 1968 and practised extensively on the civil side till his elevation as a Permanent Judge of the Karnataka High Court in February 1993. He served as Chairman of Karnataka State Legal Services Authority for several years and popularised Lok Adalats in Karnataka. He was elevated as the Chief Justice of Madhya Pradesh High Court in July 2004 and as a Judge of Supreme Court in September 2005. Justice Raveendran has rendered several landmark decisions in the fields of Civil and Constitutional Law. He has served as the Chairman of Supreme Court Legal Services Committee. As Chairman of Mediation & Conciliation Project Committee, he was instrumental in developing mediation across the country. He retired from the Supreme Court as a Senior Judge on 14.10.2011. Presently engaged in giving lectures and writing articles on law related issues and in conducting arbitrations.

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