



Open to the Public: May 2011

- **KPPC and content**

Voicemail message received May 10, 2011 from CA

Hello my name is Johnny XXX and I'm calling from California. Haven't called before but I am deeply distressed. KPPC, a station that I have listened to for years, is promoting a pro illegal immigration agenda. I m not a racist – I have lived 30 years in a mixed neighborhood. This is not about race it's about culture. I've tried to leave a message with the station manager at KPPC. But, if you say anything about it, it's like you are reporting on a UFO. It's very alarming. I've listened for a number of years. I usually look to them for fair and balanced news. The hosts and guests are steering people with concerns about illegal immigration. I believe in the progressive agenda but I also believe in America. I've lived here all my life and I'm deeply disturbed. I called the station and I've been shut out. I don t mean to ramble. But, I feel that KPPC has violated my trust by providing propaganda to people who have entered my country illegally. They want to take over my country and it's disturbing to me. It's disturbing that KPPC has an agenda to promote them taking over my country. If my call represents a split demographic then please hear my message – I am deeply disturbed. The sovereignty of my country is under attack. There is no reason to defend people who come into this country illegally. This is terribly wrong and no one is on my side – progressives who are deeply disturbed about this. I hope they (KPPC) would review it. It's like looking at someone who is lying to you and there is nothing you can do.

Thank you very much.

- **PBS News Hour**

Received May 10, 2011 from outside U.S.

Fukushima Nuclear Power Plant is still emitting radiation and, apparently, the Japanese government and TEPCO (Tokyo Electric Power Company) have not found effective means to stop it. Please refer to the following website for an alternative/additional approach proposed by a voluntary skilled veterans corps: <http://bouhatusoshi.jp/>

- **Michaela Walsh for Your Women and Leadership Series**

Received May 10, 2011 from DC

Hello.

I read with great interest of plans to feature women leaders in collaboration with the Corporation for Public Broadcasting and the Independent Television Service.

I cannot more highly recommend that Michaela Walsh be featured. She is the founder of Women's World Banking and remains a founding board member of Women's World Banking.

She has mentored literally hundreds of young women mostly in Africa through her Global Student Leadership program and independently just by being a mentor who provides decades of experience in her corporate leadership and non-profit work and always spot-on advice.

Please, please, please feature Michaela Walsh. It might be interesting to also interview the current President of Women's World Banking, Mary Ellen Iskaderian.

Michaela Walsh. What a woman. What a leader. walshmich@gmail.com

All the best,

Sarah

- **David Dudine**

Received May 12, 2011 from IN

COPY to the News Hour:

Every night during your program, I am subjected to an advertisement from Chevron. Please do not try to explain that this is not an advertisement, because we both know that it is.

The version of this pitch which is run most often contains a bald faced lie. Allow me to paraphrase:

The guy with the soul patch says--

Oil companies make huge profits. Where does the money go?

The Chevron Girl replies--

Every penny and more goes into developing new energy supplies.

Has nobody at the News Hour or PBS ever heard of executive bonus payments? Are you unaware that Chevron reliably pays a dividend to its shareholders?

Do you allow Chevron to lie repeatedly on your program because the money they pay for the time is critical to keeping your program on the air? Is there no other corporation that would buy the time and refrain from lying?

David XXXX

- **Sesame Street / Nicole Kidman guest**

Received May 20, 2011 from NC

It has come to my attention that Ms Kidman was featured on your childrens show. I am appalled. Does anyone check out a person's reputation before they accept a donation for a person to appear?

Did anyone see the movie Birth? Have you witnessed this person being naked in a bathtub with a ten year old child? Have you seen the other movies she has starred in? Rape..Influencing teenagers to become permissive!!

I understand the PBS is hurting but there has to be a standard set as to whom you put oh a children's show no matter how much they pay for the privilege!

- **Nicole Kidman on Sesame Street**

Received May 20, 2011 from NY

To whom it may concern,

Today I saw a video of Nicole Kidman on Sesame Street with Oscar The Grouch. First off the impression I got she was coming onto Oscar. That is just plain sick. I have to say having her on this show for children is very bad. She has done several movies that have used children in bad situations. One comes to mind called "Birth." Where she sits naked in a bathtub with a 10 year old boy. Also we have "eyes wide shut." and another called "Invasion" she runs around with a see through shirt that shows her body and it is in front of a boy that is playing her son. I don't see her as a roll model for Kids at any age. I wish you would not show this episode of Sesame Street. Thank you.

Sincerely,
Susan