

DATES: The public comment period is from September 27, 2002, to November 1, 2002. Interested parties may submit comments on the draft general permit as part of the administrative record to EPA-Region 1 at the address above, no later than November 8, 2002. The general permit shall be effective on the date specified in the final general permit published in the **Federal Register** and will expire five years from the publication date of final permit.

Comment must be received or postmarked by midnight November 8, 2002. No facsimiles (faxes) will be accepted.

ADDRESSES: The draft permit is based on an administrative record available for public review at EPA-Region 1, Office of Ecosystem Protection (CMU), 1 Congress Street, Suite 1100, Boston, Massachusetts 02114-2023. Copies of information in the record are available upon request. A reasonable fee may be charged for copying.

Public Meeting Information: EPA—Region 1 will hold four public meetings to provide information about the general permit and its requirements. The public meetings will include a presentation on the draft permit and a question and answer session. Written, but not oral, comments for the official permit record will be accepted at the public meetings. The meetings will be at the following locations:

Wednesday—October 16, 2002:

Worcester Public Library—Main Branch, Saxe Room, Library Lane/Salem Square, Worcester, MA 01608. 9:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m.

Tuesday—October 22, 2002: Town of Middleborough, Town Hall, 10 Nickerson Avenue, Middleborough, MA. 1 p.m.—4 p.m.

Thursday—October 24, 2002: Town of Springfield/Municipal Office Bldg., 2nd Floor Conference Room, 26 Central Street, West Springfield, MA 01089. 1 p.m.—4 p.m.

Thursday—October 31, 2002:

Portsmouth City Council Chambers, Portsmouth City Hall, One Junkins Avenue, Portsmouth, NH 03801. 9 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

Public Hearing Information: A public hearing will be conducted in accordance with 40 CFR 124.12 and will provide interested parties with the opportunity to provide written and/or oral comments for the official record. Only questions regarding procedures will be addressed at the hearing. The hearing may close prior to 12:00 if all parties wishing to present comments have done so.

Wednesday—October 30, 2002: United States Environmental Protection

Agency, Regional Laboratory, 11 Technology Drive, North Chelmsford, MA 01863. Kennebec Conference Rooms A & B, 9 a.m.—12 p.m.

The hearing is being held in a government facility. Visitors will be asked to sign in and present photo identification. People planning on attending the public hearing may register prior to the hearing date. To register, contact Olga Vergara at 617/918-1519 or via e-mail at vergara.olga@epa.gov, include "Public Hearing Registration" in the subject line.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Additional information concerning the draft permit may be obtained between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday excluding holidays from: Thelma Murphy, Office of Ecosystem Protection, Environmental Protection Agency, 1 Congress Street, Suite 1100, Boston, MA 02114-2023; telephone: 617-918-1615; e-mail: murphy.thelma@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The draft general permit may be viewed over the Internet via the EPA-Region 1 Web site www.epa.gov/region01/topics/water/permits.html. To obtain a hard copy of the document, please contact Thelma Murphy. Contact information is provided above. The draft general permit includes a fact sheet which set forth principal facts and the significant factual, legal, and policy questions considered in the development of the draft permit. A reasonable fee may be charged for copying requests.

When the general permit is issued, it will be published in its entirety in the **Federal Register**. The general permit will be effective on the date specified in the **Federal Register** and it will expire five years from the date that the final permit is published in the **Federal Register**.

Dated: September 19, 2002.

Robert W. Varney,

Regional Administrator, Region 1.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[DA 02-2283]

Wireless Telecommunications Bureau Seeks Comment on Request for Postponement of 1670-1675 MHz Band Auction; Auction No. 46

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This document seeks comment on a request for postponement of Auction No. 46 to allow telecommunications companies to raise the capital necessary to participate in the auction.

DATES: Comments are due on or before September 20, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, SW., TW-A325, Washington, DC 20554. See

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION for further filing instructions.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Francis Gutierrez of the Legal Branch of the Auctions and Industry Analysis Division of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau at (202) 418-0660.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a summary of a Public Notice released by the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau on September 13, 2002. The complete text of the Public Notice is available for public inspection and copying during regular business hours at the FCC Reference Information Center, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-A257, Washington, DC 20554. The September 13, 2002 Public Notice may also be purchased from the Commission's duplicating contractor, Qualex International, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-B402, Washington, DC 20554, telephone 202-863-2893, facsimile 202-863-2898, or via e-mail qualexint@aol.com.

1. On October 30, 2002, the Federal Communications Commission is scheduled to hold an auction of one license in the 1670-1675 MHz band (Auction No. 46). The deadline for submission of short-form applications (FCC Form 175) to bid in Auction No. 46 is currently October 1, 2002 at 6 p.m. ET.

2. In a letter to the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau dated September 13, 2002, ArrayComm, Inc. (ArrayComm) requests a six-month postponement of Auction No. 46. ArrayComm contends that a postponement is needed because circumstances in the financial markets have made it difficult for telecommunications companies to raise the capital necessary to participate in the auction. ArrayComm asserts that a postponement of Auction No. 46 until April 30, 2003, will enable many companies that seek to compete for the 1670-1675 MHz license to alleviate their capital shortage prior to the auction, thereby ensuring maximum participation in the auction.

3. Because of the impending October 1, 2002 deadline for the submission of short-form applications, the Bureau seeks comment on ArrayComm's request on an expedited basis. Interested parties may file comments on or before September 20, 2002.

4. All comments should reference ArrayComm's request for postponement and include DA 02-2283. Comments should be filed with the Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, SW., TW-A325, Washington, DC 20554. The Commission's contractor, Vistronix, Inc., will receive hand-delivered or messenger-delivered paper filings for the Commission's Secretary at 236 Massachusetts Avenue, NE., Suite 110, Washington, DC 20002. The filing hours at this location are 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. All hand deliveries must be held together with rubber bands or fasteners. Any envelopes must be disposed of before entering the building. Commercial overnight mail (other than U.S. Postal Service Express Mail and Priority Mail) must be sent to 9300 East Hampton Drive, Capitol Heights, MD 20743. U.S. Postal Service first-class mail, Express Mail, and Priority Mail should be addressed to 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554. All filings must be addressed to the Commission's Secretary, Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission.

5. Comments should also be sent by electronic mail to the following address: auction46@fcc.gov. The electronic mail containing the comments must include a subject or caption referring to Auction No. 46 Comments. The Bureau requests that parties format any attachments to electronic mail as Adobe® Acrobat® (pdf) or Microsoft® Word documents. Comments should also be sent to the Commission's duplicating contractor, Qualex International (Qualex), Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-B402, Washington, DC 20554, telephone (202) 863-2893, by facsimile (202) 863-2898, or via e-mail at qualexint@aol.com.

6. Copies of comments will be available for public inspection during regular business hours in the FCC Public Reference Room, Room CY-A257, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554. Copies may also be obtained from Qualex.

7. The ArrayComm waiver request is available for public inspection and copying in the Reference Center, Room CY A257, 445 12th St., SW., Washington, DC 20554. Copies of the waiver request are also available from Qualex.

8. This proceeding has been designated as a "permit-but-disclose" proceeding in accordance with the

Commission's *ex parte* rules. See 47 CFR 1.1200(a) and 1.1206. Persons making oral *ex parte* presentations are reminded that memoranda summarizing the presentations must contain summaries of the substance of the presentations and not merely a listing of the subjects discussed. More than a one or two sentence description of the views and arguments presented is generally required. See 47 CFR 1.1206(b). Other rules pertaining to oral and written *ex parte* presentations in permit-but-disclose proceedings are set forth in § 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR 1.1206(b).

Federal Communications Commission.

Louis J. Sigalos,

Deputy Chief, Auctions & Industry Analysis Division, Wireless Telecommunications Commission.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[Report No. AUC-02-46-D; DA 02-2305]

Wireless Telecommunications Bureau Announces Revised Pre-Auction Deadlines for the 1670-1675 MHz Band Auction (Auction No. 46)

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This document revises the pre-auction schedule for Auction No. 46 to give the Bureau time to consider a request for postponement of the auction and any comments filed in response.

DATES: Auction No. 46 is scheduled to begin on October 30, 2002.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Francis Gutierrez, Auction and Industry Analysis Division, Legal Branch at (202) 418-0660 or Lisa Stover, Auction and Industry Analysis Division at (717) 338-2888.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a summary of a Public Notice released by the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau on September 17, 2002. The complete text of the Public Notice is available for public inspection and copying during regular business hours at the FCC Reference Information Center, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-A257, Washington, DC, 20554. The September 17, 2002 Public Notice may also be purchased from the Commission's duplicating contractor, Qualex International, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-B402, Washington, DC, 20554, telephone 202-

863-2893, facsimile 202-863-2898, or via e-mail qualexint@aol.com.

On September 13, 2002, the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau ("Bureau") released a public notice seeking comment on ArrayComm, Inc.'s request for postponement of the 1670-1675 MHz band Auction ("Auction No. 46"). Because of the impending September 25, 2002 deadline for the submission of short-form applications, the Bureau sought comment on ArrayComm's request on an expedited basis and directed that comments be filed on or before September 20, 2002.

The Bureau revises the pre-auction schedule for Auction No. 46 to give it time to consider ArrayComm's request and any comments filed in response. The new schedule for Auction No. 46 is as follows:

Short-Form Application (FCC Form 175)

Filing Window Opens

September 25, 2002; 9 a.m. ET
Short-Form Application (FCC Form 175)

Deadline

October 1, 2002; 6 p.m. ET
Upfront Payments Deadline

October 15, 2002; 6 p.m. ET

Mock Auction

October 25, 2002

Auction Begins

October 30, 2002

Federal Communications Commission.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Change in Bank Control Notices; Acquisition of Shares of Bank or Bank Holding Companies

The notificants listed below have applied under the Change in Bank Control Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)) and § 225.41 of the Board's Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.41) to acquire a bank or bank holding company. The factors that are considered in acting on the notices are set forth in paragraph 7 of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)(7)).

The notices are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The notices also will be available for inspection at the office of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing to the Reserve Bank indicated for that notice or to the offices of the Board of Governors. Comments