

Federal Communications Commission.

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Office of the Secretary,
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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Notice of Public Information Collection(s) Being Reviewed by the Federal Communications Commission for Extension Under Delegated Authority, Comments Requested

June 24 2010.

SUMMARY: The Federal Communications Commission, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burden invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following information collection(s), as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 3501 – 3520. Comments are requested concerning: (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Commission's burden estimate; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, and (e) ways to further reduce the information collection burden for small business concerns with fewer than 25 employees.

The FCC may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. No person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) that does not display a currently valid OMB control number.

DATES: Written Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) comments should be submitted on or before August 30, 2010. If you anticipate that you will be submitting PRA comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the FCC contact listed below as soon as possible.

ADDRESSES: Direct all PRA comments to Nicholas A. Fraser, Office of Management and Budget, via fax at 202-

395-5167 or via the Internet at Nicholas_A_Fraser@omb.eop.gov and to the Federal Communications Commission via email to PRA@fcc.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Judith B. Herman, Office of Managing Director, (202) 418-0214. For additional information, contact Judith B. Herman, OMD, 202-418-0214, or email judith-b.herman@fcc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Control Number: 3060-0076.

Title: Common Carrier Annual Employment Report.

Form No.: FCC Form 395.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit.

Number of Respondents and Responses: 1,000 respondents, 1,000 responses.

Estimated Time Per Response: 1 hour.

Frequency of Response: Annual reporting requirement and recordkeeping requirement.

Obligation to Respond: Required to obtain or retain benefits. Statutory authority for this information collection is contained in 47 U.S.C. sections 154, 303, and 307 – 310.

Total Annual Burden: 1,000 hours.

Total Annual Cost: N/A.

Privacy Act Impact Assessment: N/A.

Nature and Extent of Confidentiality: There is no need for confidentiality.

Needs and Uses: The Annual Employment Report, FCC Form 395, is a data collection device to enforce the FCC's Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) rules. All common carrier licensees or permittees with sixteen (16) or more full-time employees are required to file this report and retain it for a two-year period. The report identifies each carrier's staff by gender, race, color and/or national origin in each of ten major job categories. The Commission has updated its race/ethnicity and job categories on the FCC Form 395 to conform with the race/ethnicity and job categories used by the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC).

The information describes the applicant's compliance with the EEO rules. The information issued by the Commission and public interest groups to compile industry employment trends.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[IB Docket No. 04-286; DA 10-1101]

Fifth Meeting of the Advisory Committee for the 2012 World Radiocommunication Conference

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, this notice advises interested persons that the fifth meeting of the WRC-12 Advisory Committee will be held at the Federal Communications Commission. The purpose of the meeting is to continue preparations for the 2012 World Radiocommunication Conference. The WRC-12 Advisory Committee will consider any preliminary views and draft proposals introduced by the WRC-12 Advisory Committee's Informal Working Groups.

DATES: July 28, 2010, 11 a.m. to 12 noon.

ADDRESSES: Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, SW., Room TW-C305, Washington, DC 20554.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Alexander Roytblat, Designated Federal Official, WRC-12 Advisory Committee, FCC International Bureau, Strategic Analysis and Negotiations Division, at (202) 418-7501.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Federal Communications Commission established the WRC-12 Advisory Committee to provide advice, technical support and recommendations relating to the preparation of United States proposals and positions for the 2012 World Radiocommunication Conference (WRC-12).

In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, as amended, this notice advises interested persons of the fifth meeting of the WRC-12 Advisory Committee. The WRC-12 Advisory Committee has an open membership. All interested parties are invited to participate in the WRC-12 Advisory Committee and to attend its meetings. The proposed agenda for the fifth meeting is as follows:

Agenda

Fifth Meeting of the WRC-12 Advisory Committee, Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, S.W., Room TW-C305, Washington, DC 20554, July 28, 2010, 11 a.m. to 12 noon.

1. Opening Remarks.
2. Approval of Agenda.

3. Approval of the Minutes of the Fourth Meeting.
4. Informal Working Group Reports and Documents Relating to Preliminary Views and Draft Proposals.
5. Future Meetings.
6. Other Business.

Federal Communications Commission.

Mindel De La Torre,

Chief, International Bureau.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[CG Docket No. 02-278; DA 10-997]

Consumer & Governmental Affairs Bureau Seeks Comment on a Petition for Expedited Clarification and Declaratory Ruling, Filed by Global Tel*Link Corporation (Global Tel), Concerning Applicability of the Telephone Consumer Protection Act and Federal Communications Commission Rules

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In this document, the Commission seeks comment on Global Tel*Link Corporation's Petition for Expedited Clarification and Declaratory ruling concerning applicability of the Telephone Consumer Protection Act and its rules. Specifically, Global Tel asks the Commission to declare that the TCPA and associated FCC rules are inapplicable to Global Tel's use of automatic notifications before completing calls to certain persons dialed by prison inmates.

DATES: Comments are due on or before July 15, 2010. Reply comments are due on or before July 26, 2010.

ADDRESSES: Interested parties may submit comments and reply comments identified by [CG Docket No. 02-278], by any of the following methods:

- *Electronic Filers:* Comments may be filed electronically using the Internet by accessing the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS), through the Commission's Web site: <http://fjallfoss.fcc.gov/ecfs>, or the Federal eRulemaking Portal: <http://www.regulations.gov>. Filers should follow the instructions provided on the Web site for submitting comments.

- For ECFS filers, in completing the transmittal screen, filers should include their full name, U.S. Postal Service mailing address, and the applicable docket number, which in this instance is [CG Docket No. 02-278]. Parties may

also submit an electronic comment by Internet e-mail. To get filing instructions, filers should send an e-mail to ecfs@fcc.gov, and include the following words in the body of the message, "get form <your e-mail address>." A sample form and directions will be sent in response.

- *Paper Filers:* Parties who choose to file by paper must file an original and four copies of each filing. Filings can be sent by hand or messenger delivery, by commercial overnight courier, or by first-class or overnight U.S. Postal Service mail (although the FCC continues to experience delays in receiving U.S. Postal Service mail). All filings must be addressed to the Commission's Secretary, Marlene H. Dortch, Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission.

- All hand-delivered or messenger-delivered paper filings for the Commission's Secretary must be delivered to FCC Headquarters at 445 12th St., SW., Room TW-A325, Washington, DC 20554. The filing hours 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, Express, and Priority mail should be addressed to 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Karen Johnson, Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau, Policy Division, at (202) 418-7706 (voice), or e-mail Karen.Johnson@fcc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On March 4, 2010, Global Tel*Link Corporation (Global Tel) filed a Petition for Expedited Clarification and Declaratory Ruling regarding applicability of the Telephone Consumer Protection Act (TCPA) and Federal Communications Commission (FCC or Commission) rules to its calling practices.

See Petition for Expedited Clarification and Declaratory Ruling, filed by Global Tel*Link Corporation on March 4, 2010 (*Petition*). The TCPA, Public Law 102-243, 105 Stat. 2394 (1991), is codified at 47 U.S.C. 227.

This is a summary of the Commission's Public Notice DA 10-997, which seeks comment on Global Tel's petition. Pursuant to 47 CFR 1.415 and 1.419 of the Commission's rules, interested parties may file comments and reply comments on or before the dates indicated above. This proceeding

shall be treated as a permit-but-disclose proceeding under the *ex parte* rules, which are codified at 47 CFR 1.1200(a) and 1.1206. Therefore, *ex parte* presentations will be allowed but must be disclosed in accordance with the requirements of § 1.1206(b) of the Commission's Rules, 47 CFR 1.1206(b). 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).

The full text of document DA 10-997 and any subsequently filed documents in this matter will be 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, (202) 418-0270. Document DA 10-997 and any subsequently filed documents in this matter may also be purchased from the Commission's duplicating contractor at the contractor's Web site, www.bcpweb.com, or by calling (800) 378-3160. Furthermore, document DA 10-997 and any subsequently filed documents in this matter may be found by searching ECFS at <http://fjallfoss.fcc.gov/ecfs> (insert [CG Docket No. 02-278] into the Proceeding block).

To request materials in accessible formats for people with disabilities (Braille, large print, electronic files, audio format), send an e-mail to fcc504@fcc.gov or call the Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau at (202) 418-0530 (voice), (202) 418-0432 (TTY). Document DA 10-997 can also be downloaded in Word or Portable Document Format (PDF) at: <http://www.fcc.gov/cgb/policy/>.

Synopsis

On March 4, 2010, Global Tel*Link Corporation (Global Tel) filed a Petition for Expedited Clarification and Declaratory Ruling regarding applicability of the Telephone Consumer Protection Act (TCPA) and Federal Communications Commission (FCC or Commission) rules to its calling practices. Specifically, Global Tel asks the Commission to declare that the TCPA and associated FCC rules are inapplicable to Global Tel's use of automatic notifications before