

**Federal Communications Commission**

**§ 69.731**

(b) Notwithstanding paragraph (a) of this section, a price cap LEC must demonstrate satisfaction of the triggers in §69.711(b) to be granted pricing flexibility for any new service that falls within the definition of a "channel termination between a LEC end office and a customer premises" as specified in §69.703(a)(2).

**§69.731 Low-end adjustment mechanism.**

(a) Any price cap LEC obtaining Phase I or Phase II pricing flexibility for any service in any MSA in its serv-

ice region, or for the non-MSA portion of any study area in its service region, shall be prohibited from making any low-end adjustment pursuant to §61.45(d)(1)(vii) of this chapter in all or part of its service region.

(b) Any affiliate of any price cap LEC obtaining Phase I or Phase II pricing flexibility for any service in any MSA in its service region shall be prohibited from making any low-end adjustment pursuant to §61.45(d)(1)(vii) of this chapter in all or part of its service region.