

stipulated notice of dismissal from persons who are not named as parties to the litigation in question. If so requested, EPA will also consider holding a public hearing on whether to agree to the proposed joint stipulation and stipulated notice of dismissal. EPA or the Department of Justice may withdraw or withhold consent to the proposed joint stipulation or proposed stipulated notice of dismissal if the comments disclose facts or considerations that indicate that such consent is inappropriate, improper, inadequate, or inconsistent with the requirements of the ESA or FIFRA. Unless EPA or the Department of Justice determines that consent should be withdrawn, the terms of the proposed stipulation and stipulated notice of dismissal will be affirmed.

II. Additional Information About Commenting on the Proposed Stipulation and Stipulated Notice of Dismissal

A. How can I get a copy of the proposed stipulated order of partial dismissal?

The official public docket for this action (identified by EPA–HQ–OGC–2018–0745) contains a copy of the proposed stipulation and proposed order of dismissal. The official public docket is available for public viewing at the Office of Environmental Information (OEI) Docket in the EPA Docket Center, EPA West, Room 3334, 1301 Constitution Ave. NW, Washington, DC. The EPA Docket Center Public Reading Room is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The telephone number for the Public Reading Room is (202) 566–1744, and the telephone number for the OEI Docket is (202) 566–1752.

An electronic version of the public docket is available on EPA’s website at <https://www.epa.gov/ogc/proposed-consent-decrees-and-draft-settlement-agreements> and through www.regulations.gov. You may use www.regulations.gov to submit or view public comments, access the index listing of the contents of the official public docket, and access those documents in the public docket that are available electronically. Once in the system, key in the appropriate docket

identification number then select “search.” It is important to note that EPA’s policy is that public comments, whether submitted electronically or in paper, will be made available for public viewing online at www.regulations.gov without change, unless the comment contains copyrighted material, CBI, or other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute. Information claimed as CBI and other information whose disclosure is restricted by statute is not included in the official public docket or in the electronic public docket.

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B. How and to whom do I submit comments?

You may submit comments as provided in the ADDRESSES section. Please ensure that your comments are submitted within the specified comment period.

If you submit an electronic comment, EPA recommends that you include your name, mailing address, and an email address or other contact information in the body of your comment and with any disk or CD–ROM you submit. This ensures that you can be identified as the submitter of the comment and allows EPA to contact you in case EPA cannot read your comment due to technical difficulties or needs further information on the substance of your comment. Any identifying or contact information provided in the body of a comment will be included as part of the comment that is placed in the official public docket, and made available in EPA’s electronic public docket. If EPA cannot read your comment due to technical difficulties and cannot contact you for clarification, EPA may not be able to consider your comment.

Use of the www.regulations.gov website to submit comments to EPA

electronically is EPA’s preferred method for receiving comments. The electronic public docket system is an “anonymous access” system, which means EPA will not know your identity, email address, or other contact information unless you provide it in the body of your comment. In contrast to EPA’s electronic public docket, EPA’s electronic mail (email) system is not an “anonymous access” system. If you send an email comment directly to the Docket without going through www.regulations.gov, your email address is automatically captured and included as part of the comment that is placed in the official public docket, and made available in EPA’s electronic public docket.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Open Commission Meeting, Wednesday, December 12, 2018

December 4, 2018.

The Federal Communications Commission will hold an Open Meeting on the subjects listed below on Wednesday, December 12, 2018 which is scheduled to commence at 10:30 a.m. in Room TW–C305, at 445 12th Street SW, Washington, DC.

Because of the closure of the federal government for a National Day of Mourning for President George H.W. Bush on Wednesday, December 5, the Commission has determined that it is in the public interest to delay the onset of the sunshine period prohibition contained in Section 1.1203 of the Commission’s rules, 47 CFR 1.1203. Accordingly, consistent with Section 1.1200(a) of the Commission’s rules, 47 CFR 1.1200(a), the Commission has modified its rules so that the sunshine period prohibition will begin at 11:59 p.m. on Thursday, December 6, rather than at 11:59 p.m. on Wednesday, December 5.

Item No.	Bureau	Subject
1	WIRELESS TELE-COMMUNICATIONS ..	<p><i>Title:</i> Use of Spectrum Bands Above 24 GHz For Mobile Radio Services (GN Docket No. 14–177).</p> <p><i>Summary:</i> The Commission will consider a Report and Order that would adopt service rule changes for the Upper 37 GHz (37.6–38.6 GHz), 39 GHz (38.6–40 GHz), and 47 GHz (47.2–48.2 GHz) bands, and would provide for an incentive auction mechanism that would offer contiguous blocks of spectrum in the Upper 37 GHz and 39 GHz bands and additional spectrum in the 47 GHz band.</p>

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2	WIRELINE COMPETITION	<p><i>Title:</i> Connect America Fund (WC Docket No. 10–90); ETC Annual Reports and Certifications (WC Docket No. 14–58); Establishing Just and Reasonable Rates for Local Exchange Carriers (WC Docket No. 07–135); Developing a Unified Intercarrier Compensation Regime (CC Docket No. 01–92).</p> <p><i>Summary:</i> The Commission will consider a Report and Order, Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, and Order on Reconsideration. The Report and Order would offer additional funding to carriers that currently receive model-based universal service support in exchange for deploying broadband at increased speeds, provide an opportunity for legacy carriers to transition to model-based support, and authorize additional support for carriers remaining on the legacy rate-of-return support mechanism in exchange for targeting higher broadband speeds. The FNPRM would seek comment on implementing an auction mechanism for support in legacy areas that are overlapped or almost entirely overlapped by an unsubsidized competitor, and on addressing budgetary impacts as carriers transition to broadband-only lines. The Order on Reconsideration would deny three petitions for reconsideration.</p>
3	CONSUMER & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.	<p><i>Title:</i> Advanced Methods to Target and Eliminate Unlawful Robocalls (CG Docket No. 17–59).</p> <p><i>Summary:</i> The Commission will consider a Second Report and Order that would create a comprehensive database to enable callers to verify whether a telephone number has been permanently disconnected, and is therefore eligible for reassignment, before calling that number, thereby helping to protect consumers with reassigned numbers from receiving unwanted robocalls.</p>
4	WIRELESS TELE-COMMUNICATIONS ..	<p><i>Title:</i> Petitions for Declaratory Ruling on Regulatory Status of Wireless Messaging Service (WT Docket No. 08–7).</p> <p><i>Summary:</i> The Commission will consider a Declaratory Ruling that would classify two forms of wireless messaging, Short Message Service (SMS) and Multimedia Messaging Service (MMS), as information services under the Communications Act, and help prevent consumers from receiving spam robotexts.</p>
5	MEDIA	<p><i>Title:</i> 2018 Quadrennial Regulatory Review—Review of the Commission’s Broadcast Ownership Rules and Other Rules Adopted Pursuant to Section 202 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 (MB Docket No. 18–349).</p> <p><i>Summary:</i> The Commission will consider a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking that would initiate the 2018 Quadrennial Review of certain broadcast ownership rules.</p>
6	MEDIA	<p><i>Title:</i> Amendment of Parts 0, 1, 5, 73, and 74 of the Commission’s Rules Regarding Posting of Station Licenses and Related Information (MB Docket No. 18–121); Modernization of Media Regulation Initiative (MB Docket No. 17–105).</p> <p><i>Summary:</i> The Commission will consider a Report and Order that would eliminate certain rules which require local posting and maintenance of broadcast licenses and related information in specific locations.</p>
7	WIRELINE COMPETITION	<p><i>Title:</i> Enforcement Bureau Action Communications Marketplace Report (GN Docket No. 18–231); The State of Mobile Wireless Competition (WT Docket No. 18–203); Status of Competition in the Market for the Delivery of Video Programming (MB Docket No. 17–214); Status of Competition in the Marketplace for Delivery of Audio Programming (MB 18–227); Satellite Communications Services for the Communications Marketplace Report (IB Docket No. 18–251).</p> <p><i>Summary:</i> The Commission will consider a Report that would consolidate several previously separate Commission reports into a single report on the state of the broader communications market in the United States. It would assess the state of all forms of competition in the communications marketplace and the state of deployment of communications capabilities, describe the actions taken by the Commission in the previous two years to address challenges and opportunities in the communications marketplace, and discuss the Commission’s agenda for continuing to address those challenges and opportunities over the next two years.</p>

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will be accepted, but may be impossible to fill. Send an email to: fcc504@fcc.gov or call the Consumer & Governmental Affairs Bureau at 202–418–0530 (voice), 202–418–0432 (TTY).

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