

Committee will discuss a draft of a consolidated version of those ideas.

Information on availability of meeting summaries from previous TDR meetings will be available on the TRI Home Page. The address of the TRI Home Page is <http://www.epa.gov/opptintr/tri>. This information can be found under the heading "TRI Stakeholder Dialogue." In addition, the agenda and an issue paper outlining topics for discussion at the May 27-28 Committee meeting will also be available at this same site prior to the meeting. Oral presentations or statements by interested parties will be limited to 5 minutes. Interested parties are encouraged to contact Cassandra Vail, to schedule presentations before the Committee.

## II. Public Record and Electronic Submissions

The official record for this action, as well as the public version, has been established for this action under docket control number "OPPTS-400129" (including comments and data submitted electronically as described below). A public version of this record, including printed, paper versions of electronic comments, which does not include any information claimed as CBI, is available for inspection from 12 noon to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding legal holidays. The official record is located in the TSCA Nonconfidential Information Center, Rm. NE-B607, 401 M St., SW., Washington, DC.

Electronic comments can be sent directly to EPA at:  
[oppt.ncic@epamail.epa.gov](mailto:oppt.ncic@epamail.epa.gov)

Electronic comments must be submitted as an ASCII file avoiding the use of special characters and any form of encryption. Comments and data will also be accepted on disks in WordPerfect 5.1/6.1 or ASCII file format. All comments and data in electronic form must be identified by the docket control number "OPPTS-400129." Electronic comments on this action may be filed online at many Federal Depository Libraries.

## List of Subjects

Environmental protection.

Dated: April 17, 1998.

**Cassandra Vail,**

*Designated Federal Official, Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics.*

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### Notice of Public Information Collection(s) Submitted to OMB for Review and Approval

April 20, 1998.

**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 of 1995, Public Law 104-13. An agency 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 valid control number. 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; and (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.

**DATES:** Written comments should be submitted on or before May 26, 1998. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below as soon as possible.

**ADDRESSES:** Direct all comments to Judy Boley, Federal Communications Commission, Room 234, 1919 M St., NW., Washington, DC 20554 or via internet to [jboley@fcc.gov](mailto:jboley@fcc.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For additional information or copies of the information collection(s), contact Judy Boley at 202-418-0214 or via internet at [jboley@fcc.gov](mailto:jboley@fcc.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**  
*OMB Control No.:* 3060-0756.

*Title:* Procedural Requirements and Policies for Commission Processing of Bell Operating Company Applications for the Provision of In-Region, InterLATA Services Under Section 271 of the Communications Act.

*Form No.:* N/A.

*Type of Review:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit; state, local or tribal governments.

*Number of Respondents:* 75.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* 250 hours average time per response.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion reporting requirement.

*Cost to Respondents:* N/A.

*Total Annual Burden:* 18,820 hours.

*Needs and Uses:* In a Public Notice released 9/19/97, the Commission revised various procedural requirements and policies relating to the Commission's processing of Bell Operating Company (BOC) applications to provide in-region, interLATA services pursuant to section 271 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. Section 271 provides for applications on a state-by-state basis. The Public Notice requires that applicants file an original and 11 copies of each application, together with one copy on a computer diskette. The applications each will consist of a stand-alone, principal document with supporting documentation such as records of state proceedings, interconnection agreements, affidavits, etc. Each application will also include written consultations from state regulatory commissions and the U.S. Department of Justice.

*OMB Control No.:* 3060-0355.

*Title:* Rate of Return Reports.

*Form No.:* FCC Forms 492, 492-A.

*Type of Review:* Revision of a currently approved collection.

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit.

*Number of Respondents:* 107.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* 8 hours average time per response.

*Frequency of Response:* Recordkeeping requirement; on occasion and annual reporting requirement.

*Cost to Respondents:* N/A.

*Total Annual Burden:* 856 hours.

*Needs and Uses:* Filing of FCC Form 492 and FCC Form 492-A is required by Section 65.600 of the FCC Rules. Filing of the FCC Form 492 on an annual basis is required from each local exchange carrier or group of affiliated carriers which is not subject to Sections 61.41 through 61.49 of the Commission's Rules and which has filed individual access tariffs during the enforcement period. Each local exchange carrier or group of affiliated carriers subject to the previously stated sections shall file the FCC Form 492-A report with the Commission for the calendar year. These carriers are also required to file within 15 months after the end of each calendar year a report reflecting any

corrections or modifications. The forms are necessary to enable the Commission to monitor the access tariffs and price cap earnings, and to enforce rate of return prescriptions. A copy of each report must be retained in the principal office of the respondent and shall be filed in such manner as to be readily available for reference and inspection. The Commission does not specify a retention period.

The data is used by staff members for enforcement purposes and by the public in analyzing the industry. The reports are also used by the Commission in the tariff review process and provide both the Commission and the carriers with an early warning system if rate adjustments are necessary to correct significant targeting errors.

Federal Communications Commission.

**William F. Caton,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### Public Information Collections Approved by Office of Management and Budget

April 20, 1998.

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has received Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for the following public information collection pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. An agency may not conduct or sponsor and a person is not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. For further information contact Shoko B. Hair, Federal Communications Commission, (202) 418-1379.

#### Federal Communications Commission.

*OMB Control No.:* 3060-0828.

*Expiration Date:* 10/31/98.

*Title:* State Forward-Looking Cost Studies for Federal Universal Service Support (Public Notice).

*Form No.:* N/A.

*Respondents:* State, Local or Tribal Government.

*Estimated Annual Burden:* 47 respondents; 19 hour per response (avg.); 893 total annual burden hours.

*Estimated Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Cost Burden:* \$0.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion.

*Description:* The Telecommunications Act of 1996 (1996 Act) directed the

Commission to initiate a rulemaking to reform our system of universal service so that universal service is preserved and advanced as markets move toward competition. On May 8, 1997, the Commission released the Report and Order on Universal Service (Universal Service Order) in CC Docket 96-45 that established new federal universal service support mechanisms consistent with the universal service provisions of Section 254. In the Universal Service Order, the Commission stated that it would use cost studies filed by state commissions to determine non-rural carriers' forward-looking cost of providing universal service if those studies met the criteria specified in the Universal Service Order. The Commission also stated that it would work together with the states and the Joint Board to develop a uniform cost study review plan that would standardize the format for presentation of cost studies in order to facilitate review by interested parties and the Commission. The Public Notice on State Forward-Looking Cost Studies presents this format. The Public Notice sets forth the information needed to evaluate whether a state's cost study complies with the criteria set forth in the Universal Service Order. To enable the Commission to make its determination in a timely fashion, we also set forth the manner in which this information should be presented. The format is to be used by all states submitting cost studies and should simplify and standardize the submission and review of state cost studies for the Commission, the states, and other interested parties. Obligation to respond: Voluntary. Public reporting burden for the collections of information is as noted above. Send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of the collections of information, including suggestions for reducing the burden to Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Washington, D.C. 20554.

Federal Communications Commission.

**William F. Caton,**

*Deputy Secretary.*

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## FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

### Sunshine Act Meeting; Notice of Agency Meeting

Pursuant to the provisions of the "Government in the Sunshine Act" (5 U.S.C. 552b), notice is hereby given that

the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation's Board of Directors will meet in open session at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, April 28, 1998, to consider the following matters:

#### Summary Agenda

No substantive discussion of the following items is anticipated. These matters will be resolved with a single vote unless a member of the Board of Directors requests that an item be moved to the discussion agenda.

Disposition of minutes of previous Board of Directors' meetings.

Reports of actions taken pursuant to authority delegated by the Board of Directors.

Memorandum re: Assessment Request of the Financing Corporation for the Second Half of 1998.

Memorandum re: First Quarter 1998 Corporate and National Liquidation Fund Investment Portfolios Status Report.

Memorandum and resolution re: Statement of Policy on Development and Review of FDIC Regulations and Policies.

#### Discussion Agenda

Memorandum and resolution re: Final Rule Regarding Deposit Insurance Simplification.

Memorandum re: BIF Assessment Rates for the Second Semiannual Assessment Period of 1998.

Memorandum re: SIAF Assessment Rates for the Second Semiannual Assessment Period of 1998.

Memorandum re: General Counsel Opinion Regarding Interest Charges by Interstate State Banks.

The meeting will be held in the Board Room on the sixth floor of the FDIC Building located at 550-17th Street, NW., Washington, DC.

The FDIC will provide attendees with auxiliary aids (e.g., sign language interpretation) required for this meeting. Those attendees needing such assistance should call (202) 416-2449 (Voice); (202) 416-2004 (TTY), to make necessary arrangements.

Requests for further information concerning the meeting may be directed to Mr. Robert E. Feldman, Executive Secretary of the Corporation, at (202) 898-6757.

Dated: April 21, 1998.

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

**Robert E. Feldman,**

*Executive Secretary.*

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