

order to be included on the Agenda. Dr. Kooyoomjian can be reached at: Science Advisory Board (1400), U.S. EPA, Washington, DC 20460, fax (202) 260-7118; or via E-Mail at:

kooyoomjian.jack@epa.gov. Public comments at teleconferences will be normally limited to three minutes per speaker or organization. The request should identify the name of the individual who will make the presentation, the organization (if any) they will represent, and at least 35 copies of an outline of the issues to be addressed or the presentation itself. For technical information pertaining to the teleconference meeting please contact Dr. Kooyoomjian at (202) 260-2560.

For questions pertaining to the advisory, as well as background documents provided to the SAB's RAC, or to discuss any other aspects of this review or any supporting or background information please contact Dr. Mary E. Clark, ORIA, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (6601J), 401 M Street, SW, Washington, DC 20460, tel. (202) 564-9348; fax (202) 565-2043; or E-mail: clark.marye@epa.gov.

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The Science Advisory Board expects that public statements presented at its meetings will not be repetitive of previously submitted oral or written statements. In general, each individual or group making an oral presentation will be limited to a total time of ten minutes. For teleconference meetings, opportunities for oral comment will usually be limited to no more than three minutes per speaker and no more than fifteen minutes total. Written comments (at least 35 copies) received in the SAB Staff Office sufficiently prior to a meeting date (usually one week before the meeting), may be mailed to the relevant SAB committee or subcommittee; comments received too close to the meeting date will normally be provided to the committee at its meeting, or mailed soon after receipt by the Agency. Written comments may be provided to the relevant committee or subcommittee up until the time of the meeting.

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DFO at least five business days prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Dated: November 25, 1998.

John R. Fowle, III,

Acting Staff Director, Science Advisory Board.

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EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

DATE AND TIME: Wednesday, December 9, 1998, at 2:00 P.M. (Eastern Time).

PLACE: Conference Room on the Ninth Floor of the EEOC Office Building, 1801 L Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20507.

STATUS: The meeting will be open to the public.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

1. Announcement of Notation Votes, and
2. Panel on Small Business and the EEOC.

Note: Any matters not discussed or concluded may be carried over to a later meeting. (In addition to published notices on EEOC Commission meetings in the **Federal Register**, the Commission also provides a recorded announcement a full week in advance on future Commission meetings). Please telephone (202) 663-7100 (voice) and (202) 663-4074 (TDD) at any time for information on these meetings.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Frances M. Hart, Executive Officer on (202) 663-4070.

Date: November 25, 1998.

Frances M. Hart,

Executive Officer, Executive Secretariat.

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EXPORT-IMPORT BANK OF THE UNITED STATES

Notice of Open Special Meeting of the Advisory Committee of the Export-Import Bank of the United States (Export-Import Bank)

SUMMARY: The Advisory Committee was established by Pub. L. 98-181, November 30, 1983, to advise the Export-Import Bank on its programs and to provide comments for inclusion in the reports of the Export-Import Bank of the United States to Congress.

TIME AND PLACE: Tuesday, December 15, 1998, at 9:30 a.m. The meeting will be held at the Export-Import Bank in room 1143, 811 Vermont Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20571.

AGENDA: This meeting (the last meeting of the year) will include a discussion summarizing the year at Ex-Im Bank and will additionally focus on next year's agenda, Small Business outreach.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: The meeting will be open to public participation, and the last 10 minutes will be set aside for oral questions or comments. Members of the public may also file written statement(s) before or after the meeting. If any person wishes auxiliary aids (such as a sign language interpreter) or other special accommodations, please contact, prior to December 8, 1998, Megan Becher, room 1215, Vermont Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20571, voice: (202) 565-3507 or TDD (202) 565-3377.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information, contact Megan Becher, room 1215, 811 Vermont Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20571, (202) 565-3507.

Kenneth Hansen,

General Counsel.

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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 5 CFR 1320 Authority, Comments Requested

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 collections, 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, 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 information techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Written comments should be submitted on or before February 1, 1999. 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 Les Smith, Federal Communications Commission, Room 234, 1919 M St., N.W., Washington, DC 20554 or via the Internet to lesmith@fcc.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For additional information or copies of the information collections contact Les Smith at 202-418-0127 or via the Internet at lesmith@fcc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Control Number: 3060-0567.

Title: Section 76.962, Implementation and Certification of Compliance.

Form Number: N/A.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents: Businesses or other for-profit entities.

Number of Respondents: 500.

Estimated Time per Response: .5 hours (30 minutes).

Frequency of Response: Once.

Total Annual Burden: 250 hours.

Total Annual Costs: \$1,000 (photocopying and stationary).

Needs and Uses: Section 76.962 requires any cable operator that has been deemed subject to remedial requirements to certify to the Commission its compliance with the Commission order requiring prospective rate reductions, refunds, or other remedial relief to subscribers. The certification must be filed with the Commission within 90 days from the date the Commission released the order mandating a remedy. These certifications are used by the Commission to monitor a cable operator's compliance with Commission rate orders.

OMB Control Number: 3060-0638.

Title: Section 76.934(g), Alternative Rate Regulation Agreements.

Form Number: N/A.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit entities.

Number of Respondents: 100.

Estimated Time Per Response: 0.5 hours (30 minutes).

Frequency of Response: Once.

Total Annual Burden: 50 hours.

Total Annual Costs: \$300 (postage and photocopying).

Needs and Uses: Section 76.934(g) states that certified local franchising authorities and small systems owned by small cable companies may enter into alternative rate regulation agreements affecting the basic service tier and the cable programming service tier. Small systems must file with the Commission a copy of the operative alternative rate agreement within 30 days after its effective date. Alternative rate regulation agreements are filed with the Commission so that verification can be made such that agreements have been entered into and executed pursuant to Commission rules.

OMB Control Number: 3060-0644.

Title: Establishing Maximum Permitted Rates for Regulated Cable Services on Small Cable Systems.

Form Number: FCC 1230.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents: Business and other for-profit entities; State, local and tribal governments.

Number of Respondents: 350 (250 cable systems and 100 local franchise authorities).

Estimated Time Per Response: 2.0 to 2.25 hours.

Frequency of Response: On occasion reporting requirements.

Total Annual Burden: 763 hours.

Total Annual Costs: \$500.

Needs and Uses: On May 5, 1995, the Commission adopted rules that allow a small cable system owned by a small cable company to use a simplified cost-of-service procedure to set its maximum permitted rate. Pursuant to these rules, a cable system is eligible to set its maximum permitted rate with FCC form 1230 if it is a system with 15,000 or fewer subscribers, and it is not owned by a cable company with more than 400,000 subscribers. The data collected are used by the Commission and local franchise authorities to determine whether cable rates for basic service, cable programming service, and associated equipment are reasonable under Commission regulations.

OMB Control Number: 3060-0673.

Title: Section 76.956, Cable Operator Response.

Form Number: N/A.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit entities.

Number of Respondents: 50.

Estimated Time Per Response: 4 hours.

Frequency of Response: On occasion reporting requirements.

Total Annual Burden: 200 hours.

Total Annual Costs: \$250.

Needs and Uses: Section 76.956 states that unless the Commission notifies a cable operator to the contrary, the cable operator must file with the Commission a response to a rate complaint, filed on the applicable form, within 30 days of the date of service of the complaint. In addition to responding to the merits of a complaint, the cable operator may also move for dismissal of the complaint for failure to meet the minimum showing requirement. Any such motion for dismissal must state with particularity the reasons the cable operator believes the complaint is defective and shall not relieve the cable operator of its obligation to respond to the merits of the complaint. The Commission has clearance for use of its cable rate regulation forms under each form's respective OMB control number. This collection, OMB 3060-0673, is designed to account for the burden to respondents when filing motions for dismissal of rate complaints. The Commission sponsors this information collection requirement in order to ensure a process for cable operators to file a motion to dismiss a rate complaint filed against them if they feel that the complaint fails to meet the minimum showing.

OMB Control Number: 3060-0668.

Title: 76.936, Written Decisions.

Form Number: N/A.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents: State, local or tribal governments.

Number of Respondents: 1,200.

Estimated Time Per Response: 1 hour.

Frequency of Response: On occasion reporting requirements.

Total Annual Burden: 1,200 hours

Total Annual Costs: \$12,000.

Needs and Uses: Section 76.936 states a franchising authority must issue a written decision in a rate-making proceeding whenever it disapproves an initial rate for the basic service tier or associated equipment in whole or in part, disapproves a request for a rate increase in whole or in part, or approves a request for an increase in whole or in part over the objections of interested parties. Public notice must be given of any written decision required in this section, including releasing the text of any written decision to the public. Franchising authorities are required to issue a written decision in rate-making proceedings pursuant to Section 76.936 so that cable operators and the public are made aware of the results of the proceeding.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[CC Docket No. 92-237; DA 98-2395]

North American Numbering Council; Meeting

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: On November 24, 1998, the Commission released a public notice announcing the December 16 and December 17, 1998, meeting and agenda of the North American Numbering Council (NANC). The intended effect of this action is to make the public aware of the NANC's next meeting and its agenda.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Linda Simms, Administrative Assistant of the NANC, at (202) 418-2330 or via the Internet at lsimms@fcc.gov or Jeannie Grimes at (202) 418-2313 or jgrimes@fcc.gov. The address is: Network Services Division, Common Carrier Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, 2000 M Street, NW, Suite 235, Washington, DC 20554. The fax number is: (202) 418-7314. The TTY number is: (202) 418-0484.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

The next meeting of the North American Numbering Council (NANC) will be held on Wednesday, December 16, from 8:30 a.m., until 5:00 p.m., and on Thursday, December 17, from 8:30 a.m., until 12 noon. The meeting will be held at the Federal Communications Commission, 1919 M Street, N.W., Room 856, Washington, D.C., on December 16th. The December 17th meeting will be held at the Sheraton City Centre Hotel, 1143 New Hampshire Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC.

This meeting will be open to members of the general public. The FCC will attempt to accommodate as many people as possible. Admittance, however will be limited to the seating available. The public may submit written statements to the NANC, which must be received two business days before the meeting. In addition, oral statements at the meeting by parties or entities not represented on the NANC will be permitted to the extent time permits. Such statements will be limited to five minutes in length by any one

party or entity, and requests to make an oral statement must be received two business days before each meeting. Requests to make an oral statement or provide written comments to the NANC should be sent to Jeannie Grimes at the address under **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**, stated above.

Proposed Agenda—Wednesday, December 16, 1998

1. Approval of meeting minutes.
2. Local Number Portability Administration (LNPA) Working Group Report. Update on Wireline Wireless Integration Subcommittee report regarding its further report on integration issues due to NANC by December 31, 1998.

3. Industry Numbering Committee (INC) Report. Presentation of INC work plan regarding issues relating to number portability for 500 and 900 numbers, pursuant to paragraph 41 of CC Docket 95-116, In the Matter of Telephone Number Portability, *Second Memorandum Opinion and Order on Reconsideration* (rel. Oct. 20, 1998).

4. Numbering Resource Optimization (NRO) Working Group Report. Presentation of NRO work plan for development of a recommendation regarding a successor model to the current Central Office Code Utilization Survey (COCUS).

5. Definition of Reserved Telephone Numbers. Discussion of new contributions regarding characterization of a "legally enforceable written agreement." NANC decision on a single definition of reserved telephone numbers.

6. North American Numbering Plan Billing and Collection Agent (NBANC) Report. Discussion of carrier-specific interest credits.

Thursday, December 17, 1998

7. North American Numbering Plan Administration (NANPA) Oversight Working Group Report. Discussion of Chairman Hasselwander's proposal on how to proceed regarding NANPA responsibilities and the assumption of duties of the incumbent code administrators under the FCC order; the Requirements Document and industry guidelines. Discussion of Lockheed Martin anticipated FCC filing regarding divestiture of its CIS unit to a neutral third party. Review and discussion regarding 11/30/98 draft number pooling administrator (PA) Requirements Document. NANC will provide guidance pertaining to the appropriate bid pricing to be inserted in the PA Requirements Document.

8. Steering Group (SG) Report. Discussion of proposed SG revisions to

the July 23, 1998, version of the NANC Working Group Operating Principles. Discussion of other matters discussed at the SG meetings of November 18 and December 16, including efficient utilization of meeting time, working group mentors and audits of code holders.

9. Discussion of potential further action regarding System Beta.

10. Other Business.

Federal Communications Commission.

Blaise A. Scinto,

Deputy Chief, Network Services Division, Common Carrier Bureau.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[DA 98-2318; Report No. AUC-98-23-A (Auction No. 22)]

C Block PCS Spectrum Auction Scheduled for March 23, 1999 Comment Sought on Auction Procedural Issues

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice; seeking comment.

SUMMARY: This Public Notice announces the auction of C block broadband personal communications services ("PCS") licenses set to begin on March 23, 1999, and seeks comment on procedural issues relating to the C block broadband PCS auction.

DATES: Comments are due on or before November 30, 1998. Reply comments are due on or before December 7, 1998.

ADDRESSES: To file formally, parties must submit an original and four copies to the Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, 445 Twelfth Street, S.W., TW-A325, Washington, D.C. 20554. In addition, parties must submit one copy to Amy Zoslov, Chief, Auctions and Industry Analysis Division, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, Room 5202, 2025 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20554. Comments and reply comments will be available for public inspection during regular business hours in the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau Reference Center, Room 5608, 2025 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20554.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Audrey Bashkin, Bob Reagle, or Jeff Garretson, Auctions and Industry Analysis Division, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, at (202) 418-0660.