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DEADLINE FOR FINAL *EX PARTE* AND OTHER PRESENTATIONS RESPONDING TO ISSUES RAISED IN FURTHER NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING IN WT DOCKET NO. 97–82 EXTENDED TO JULY 17, 2000

Final Ex Parte and Other Presentations: Due July 17, 2000

On June 7, 2000, the Commission released a *Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking* ("*Further Notice*") in the above-referenced proceeding. The *Further Notice* seeks comment on proposed revisions to portions of the broadband Personal Communications Services ("PCS") C and F block rules. The *Further Notice* established comment and reply comment deadlines for June 22, 2000 and June 30, 2000, respectively. The *Further Notice* also established 7 p.m., July 12, 2000 as the time and date after which *ex parte* and other presentations would be prohibited.

In order to provide interested parties additional time to make *ex parte* presentations, the period for final *ex parte* and other presentations on issues raised in the *Further Notice* is extended until 7 p.m. on July 17, 2000.

Pursuant to Section 1.1200(a) of the Commission's Rules, presentations on issues in the *Further Not*ice will be prohibited after 7 p.m., July 17, 2000. 47 C.F.R. § 1.1200(a). In all other respects, parties are required to follow the procedures previously outlined in the *Further Notice*.

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¹ See Amendment of the Commission's Rules Regarding Installment Payment Financing for Personal Communications Services (PCS) Licenses, WT Docket No. 97-82, Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 00-197 (rel. June 7, 2000).