

constructed of fibrous reinforced plastic, the steelweight of the work performed on the portion of the vessel constructed of a material other than steel or aluminum will be determined, to the maximum extent practicable, and aggregated with the work performed on the portion of the vessel constructed of steel or aluminum. The numerical parameters described in paragraph (b) of this section will then be applied to the aggregate of the work performed on the vessel compared to the vessel's steelweight, calculated as if the vessel was wholly constructed of steel or aluminum, to determine whether the vessel has been rebuilt.

(e) The owner of a vessel currently entitled to coastwise, Great Lakes, or fisheries endorsements which is altered outside the United States and the work performed is determined to constitute or be comparable to more than 5 percent of the vessel's steelweight, or which has a major component of the hull or superstructure not built in the United States added, must file the following information with the Commandant within 30 days following the earlier of completion of the work or redelivery of the vessel to the owner or owner's representative:

(1) A written statement applying for a rebuilt determination, outlining in detail the work performed and naming the place(s) where the work was performed;

(2) Calculations showing the actual or comparable steelweight of the work performed on the vessel, the actual or comparable steelweight of the vessel, and comparing the actual or comparable steelweight of the work performed to the actual or comparable steelweight of the vessel;

(3) Accurate sketches or blueprints describing the work performed; and
(4) Any further submissions requested by the Commandant.

(f) Regardless of the extent of actual work performed, the owner of a vessel currently entitled to coastwise, Great Lakes, or fisheries endorsements may, as an alternative to filing the items listed in paragraph (e) of this section, submit a written statement to the Commandant declaring the vessel rebuilt outside the United States. The vessel will then be deemed to have been rebuilt outside the United States with loss of trading privileges.

(g) A vessel owner may apply for a preliminary rebuilt determination by submitting:

(1) A written statement applying for a preliminary rebuilt determination, outlining in detail the work planned and naming the place(s) where the work is to be performed;

(2) Calculations showing the actual or comparable steelweight of work to be performed on the vessel, the actual or comparable steelweight of the vessel, and comparing the actual or comparable steelweight of the planned work to the actual or comparable steelweight of the vessel;

(3) Accurate sketches or blueprints describing the planned work; and

(4) Any further submissions requested by the Commandant.

Note: A statement submitted in accordance with paragraph (f) of this section does not constitute an application for a rebuilt determination and does not require payment of a fee.

Dated: October 21, 1994.

J. C. Card,

Rear Admiral, U.S. Coast Guard, Chief, Office of Marine Safety, Security and Environmental Protection.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 1

[GC Docket No. 95-21; DA 95-490]

Ex Parte Presentations in Commission Proceedings

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Proposed rule; extension of comment period.

SUMMARY: The Commission previously adopted a notice of proposed rulemaking proposing to amend its regulations concerning ex parte presentations in Commission proceedings. (See 60 FR 8995, Feb. 16, 1995.) By order of the General Counsel the comment and reply dates have been extended four weeks. The intended effect of this action is to give members of the public additional time to comment on the Commission's proposal.

DATES: Comments must be filed on or before April 13, 1995; reply comments must be filed on or before April 28, 1995.

ADDRESSES: Federal Communications Commission, 1919 M Street NW., Washington DC. 20554.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David S. Senzel, Office of General Counsel (202) 418-1760.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Order

Adopted: March 13, 1995; Released: March 15, 1995.

1. Under consideration by the Commission is a Motion to Extend Time in Which to File Comments and Replies filed March 8, 1995 by the Federal Communications Bar Association (FCBA).

2. The FCBA requests that the time for filing comments and reply comments in this proceeding be extended until June 14, and June 29, 1995, respectively. It asserts that this additional time is required to afford it an opportunity to ascertain the thinking of its members and prepare effective comments following both an April 25, 1995 seminar, to be held in conjunction with the FCBA's Continuing Legal Education Committee, which will address the issues raised in this proceeding, and consideration of the views expressed there by the FCBA's Executive Committee at its regularly scheduled meeting on May 23, 1995. It appears that immediate action on this Motion is warranted, pursuant to 47 CFR 1.45(e), so that all interested parties will have prompt notice of the pertinent filing deadlines.

3. After careful consideration of the Motion, we have determined that the FCBA has not made a showing that would warrant extending the time to the full extent requested. Given the fact that the primary purpose of this proceeding is to proceed without undue delay to improve the public's ability to communicate with the Commission in a manner that comports with fundamental principles of fairness, the public interest will be best served by a four week extension of time for the filing of comments and reply comments.

4. Accordingly, *it is ordered*, Pursuant to the authority delegated under 47 CFR 0.251(b) that the Motion to Extend Time in Which to File Comments and Replies filed March 8, 1995 by the Federal Communications Bar Association is granted in part and is denied in part and that the time for filing comments and reply comments is extended to April 13, 1995 and April 28, 1995.

Federal Communications Commission.

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General Counsel.

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