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**Vivian L. Portis,**

*Secretary, Farm Credit Administration Board.*

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### Notice of Public Information Collections Being Reviewed by the Federal Communications Commission.

April 30, 1999.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal Communications Commissions, 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, 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 July 12, 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, 445 12th Street, S.W., Room 1-A804, 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) 418-0217 or via the Internet at lesmith@fcc.gov.

### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*OMB Control Number:* 3060-0848.

*Title:* Deployment of Wireline Services Offering Advanced Telecommunications Capability, CC Docket No. 98-147, FCC 99-48, First Report and Order and FNPRM.

*Form Number:* N/A.

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

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit entities.

*Number of Respondents:* 1,400 respondents.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion reporting requirements; Third party disclosures.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* 4.5 hours (avg.).

*Total Annual Burden:* 6,300 hours.

*Total Annual Cost:* \$0.

*Needs and Uses:* The rules adopted in the 1st R&O require incumbent LECs to make new collocation arrangements, including cageless and shared collocation, available to competing carriers. The Order also adopts certain spectrum compatibility and management rules prohibiting a LEC from denying a carrier's request to deploy technology that is presumed acceptable for deployment. Among other things, whenever an incumbent LEC objects to collocation of equipment by a requesting telecommunications carrier for the purposes within the scope of section 251(c)(6) of the Act, the incumbent LEC shall prove to the state commission that the equipment will not be actually used by the telecommunications carrier for the purpose of obtaining interconnection or access to unbundled network elements. An incumbent that denies collocation of a competitor's equipment, citing safety standards, must provide to the competitive LEC within 5 business days a list of all equipment that the incumbent LEC locates within the premises in question, together with an affidavit attesting that all of that equipment meets or exceeds the safety standard that the incumbent LEC contends the competitor's equipment fails to meet. Upon request, an incumbent LEC must submit to the requesting carrier within ten days of the submission of the request a report indicating the incumbent LEC's available collocation space in a particular LEC premises. All of the collections will be used by the Commission and by competitive carriers to facilitate the deployment of advanced data services and to implement section 706 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

*OMB Control Number:* 3060-0704.

*Title:* Policy and Rules Concerning the Interstate, Interexchange Marketplace: Implementation of Section 254(g) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, CC Docket No. 96-61.

*Form Number:* N/A.

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

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit entities.

*Number of Respondents:* 519 respondents.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* 146.2 hours per response (avg.).

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion reporting requirements; Third party disclosure.

*Total Annual Burden:* 75,895 hours.

*Total Annual Cost:* \$0.

*Needs and Uses:* In CC Docket No. 96-61, the Commission reinstates the public disclosure requirement and also requires that nondominant interexchange carriers that have Internet websites post this information on-line in a timely and easily accessible manner. The information collection requirements must be disclosed to the public to ensure that consumers have access to the information they need to select a telecommunications carrier and to bring to the Commission attention possible violations of the Communications Act without a specific public disclosure requirement.

Federal Communications Commission.

**Magalie Roman Salas,**

*Secretary.*

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### Notice of Public Information Collections Being Reviewed by the Federal Communications Commission for Extension Under Delegated Authority 5 CFR 1320 Authority, Comments Requested.

April 30, 1999.

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