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Title: Wireless Entrance 911 Service, Fourth MO&O.

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Description: The Fourth Memorandum Opinion and Order is part of the Commission's proceeding to establish a nationwide wireless enhanced 911 emergency communications service. The burden inherent in this decision involves guidelines for filing successful requests for waiver of the E911 Phase II regulation.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**Policy Forum on Market Entry Barriers**

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Chairman William E. Kennard and Commissioner Gloria Tristani of the Federal Communications Commission will host a policy forum on market entry barriers faced by small, women- and minority-owned businesses in the

communications industry. The purpose of the forum is to present a series of studies that examine market entry barriers, followed by a roundtable designed to further explore and discuss the findings reached in the studies.

DATES: The meeting will be held on Tuesday, December 12, 2000, from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held in the FCC's Commission Meeting Room, TW-C305, 445 12th Street, SW, Washington, DC.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Cornell William Brooks, Sharon Bradford Franklin, or Steven C. Rangel, Office of General Counsel at (202) 418-1700. Anthony Bush, Office of Communications Business Opportunities at (202) 418-0990.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: 1. The Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") Chairman William Kennard and Commissioner Gloria Tristani will host a policy forum on market entry barriers faced by small, women- and minority-owned businesses in the communications industry on Tuesday, December 12, 2000, from 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. The Policy Forum will be held in the FCC's Commission Meeting Room, TW-C305, 445 12th Street, SW, Washington, DC.

2. The purpose of the forum is to present the findings of a series of studies which examine the extent, if any, to which small, women- and minority-owned firms in the communications industry experience market entry barriers. The studies were commenced pursuant to Section 257 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, 47 U.S.C. 257, which requires that the FCC identify and eliminate market entry barriers for entrepreneurs and other small telecommunications businesses, and Section 309(j) of the Act, which requires the FCC to further opportunities in the allocation of spectrum-based services for small businesses and businesses owned by women and minorities.

3. The forum will begin with presentations by the experts who conducted studies, and will be followed by a roundtable discussion with industry practitioners, civil rights experts, and the authors to further explore and discuss the findings reached in the reports.

4. The forum is open to the public, and seating will be available on a first come, first served basis. At the end of the roundtable, we will provide the audience with an opportunity for a short question-and-answer period. All interested persons are invited to attend. Individuals with disabilities may

arrange for accommodations by contacting Brian Millin at (202) 418-7426 (Voice), (202) 418-7365 (TTY), or by sending an email to access@fcc.gov.

Federal Communications Commission.

Shirley Suggs,

Chief, Publications Branch.

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FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

[FEMA-1348-DR]

Hawaii; Major Disaster and Related Determinations

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This is a notice of the Presidential declaration of a major disaster for the State of Hawaii (FEMA-1348-DR), dated November 9, 2000, and related determinations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 9, 2000.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Madge Dale, Response and Recovery Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-3772.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given that, in a letter dated November 9, 2000, the President declared a major disaster under the authority of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5121 *et seq.*), as follows:

I have determined that the damage in certain areas of the State of Hawaii, resulting from severe storms and flooding beginning on October 28, 2000 and continuing through November 2, 2000, is of sufficient severity and magnitude to warrant a major disaster declaration under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, 42 U.S.C. § 5121 *et seq.* (the Stafford Act), as amended by Pub. L. 106-390, October 30, 2000. I, therefore, declare that such a major disaster exists in the State of Hawaii.

In order to provide Federal assistance, you are hereby authorized to allocate from funds available for these purposes, such amounts as you find necessary for Federal disaster assistance and administrative expenses.

You are authorized to provide Individual Assistance, Public Assistance, and Hazard Mitigation in the designated areas. Consistent with the requirement that Federal assistance be supplemental, any Federal funds provided under the Stafford Act for Public Assistance or Hazard Mitigation will be limited to 75 percent of the total eligible costs.

Further, you are authorized to make changes to this declaration to the extent allowable under the Stafford Act.