

D. Recipients of this Award agree to participate in programs, meetings, and/or other collaborative efforts with the Commission for the purpose of publicizing the award-winning program/effort, and agree to share information to assist other entities seeking to replicate the program/effort. Recipients agree to take part in Commission efforts to promote the "Freedom to Compete" Award and the principles of free and fair workplace competition that underlie the award.

#### *Nomination Submission Requirements*

This is an essay format (1,000 words or less) application. Programs/activities must have been in place for at least one year and have measurable and demonstrable results.

Essays should include the following:

- A profile of your organization—its mission, size, number of employees, nature of work, and, if a business, a description of its products/services, assets and annual revenues.
- A description of what led you to implement the program/practice.
- How you went about developing the program/practice. Describe who was involved, how it evolved, whether any major obstacles were encountered and how they were overcome, and how long the program/practice has been in place.
- A description of the program/practice. Explain the structure of the program/practice, how it is managed and measured, and who is accountable for results.
- Describe the level of executive involvement in, and commitment to, the program/practice during both development and implementation.
- A description of the tangible results. Explain what makes your program/practice effective, and how it has positively affected the lives of your workers. Address how the program/practice has helped to bring about free and fair competition in your workplace.
- A description of the joint activities your organization and the EEOC could undertake to share the program/effort with other entities and to promote the principles of free and fair workplace competition in partnership. Explain why others would find your program valuable.

*Timing and Acceptable Methods of Submission of Nominations:* Nomination packages must be submitted to \_\_\_\_, 1801 L Street, NW., Washington, DC 20507 by \_\_\_\_, 2003. Any application received or postmarked after \_\_\_\_ will not be considered. All applications will be acknowledged

*The Administrative Review Process:* Nominations will be evaluated by EEOC

staff, with final award determinations made by the EEOC Chair.

*Location:* The awards ceremony will generally be held during the month of \_\_\_\_ at a location to be determined by the EEOC Chair.

#### *Paperwork Reduction Act Notice (Public Law 104-13)*

Persons are not required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid Office of Management and Budget (OMB) control number. This collection of information is approved under OMB number \_\_\_\_ (Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_). The obligation to respond to this information collection is voluntary; however, only nomination that follow the nomination procedures outlined in this notice will receive consideration. The average time to respond to this information collection is estimated to be 10 hours per response; including time for reviewing instructions, researching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Submit comments regarding this estimate; including suggestions for reducing response time to the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, Office of the Chair, 1801 L Street, NW., Washington, DC 20507. Please reference to OMB Number \_\_\_\_.

We are very interested in your thoughts and suggestions about your experience in preparing and filing this nomination packet for the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission's Freedom to Compete Award. Your comments will be very useful to the Commission in making improvements in our solicitation for nominations for this award in subsequent years.

Dated: November 21, 2003.

For the Commission.

**Cari M. Dominguez,**  
*Chair.*

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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**

November 24, 2003.

**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 collection(s), as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Pub. L. No. 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:** Persons wishing to comment on this information collection should submit comments by February 2, 2004. 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 Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) comments to Judith B. Herman, Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, SW., Room 1-C804, Washington, DC 20554 or via the internet to [Judith-B.Herman@fcc.gov](mailto:Judith-B.Herman@fcc.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For additional information or copies of the information collections contact Judith B. Herman at (202) 418-0214 or via the internet at [Judith-B.Herman@fcc.gov](mailto:Judith-B.Herman@fcc.gov).

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*OMB Control No.:* 3060-0599.  
*Title:* Implementation of Section 3(n) and 332 of the Communications Act.

*Form No.:* N/A.  
*Type of Review:* Extension of a currently approved collection.

*Respondents:* Business or other for profit and state, local, or tribal government.

*Number of Respondents:* 45.  
*Estimated Time Per Response:* 1.66 hours.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion reporting requirement.

*Total Annual Burden:* 75 hours.  
*Annual Cost Burden:* N/A.

*Needs and Uses:* The information collected will create regulatory symmetry among similar mobile

services. The symmetrical regulatory structure will promote competition in the mobile services marketplace and will serve the interests of consumers while also benefiting the national economy.

*OMB Control No.:* 3060-0757.

*Title:* FCC Auctions Customer Survey.

*Form No.:* N/A.

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

*Respondents:* Individuals or households, business or other for-profit entities.

*Number of Respondents:* 2,000.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* .25 hours.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion reporting requirement.

*Total Annual Burden:* 500 hours.

*Annual Cost Burden:* N/A.

*Needs and Uses:* The information will be used by the Commission to evaluate the competitive bidding methodologies and other operational processes used to date and to improve these techniques for use in future auctions.

Federal Communications Commission.

**Marlene H. Dortch,**

*Secretary.*

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### Notice of Public Information Collection(s) Being Reviewed by the Federal Communications Commission

November 24, 2003.

**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 collection(s), as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Pub. L. No. 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 Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) comments should be submitted on or before January 2, 2004. 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 regarding this Paperwork Reduction Act submission to Judith B. Herman, Federal Communications Commission, Room 1-C804, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554 or via the Internet to *Judith-B.Herman@fcc.gov*.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** For additional information or copies of the information collection(s), contact Judith B. Herman at 202-418-0214 or via the Internet at *Judith-B.Herman@fcc.gov*.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*OMB Control No.:* 3060-0093.

*Title:* Application for Renewal of Radio Station License for Multipoint Distribution Service.

*Form No:* FCC Form 405.

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

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit.

*Number of Respondents:* 2,494.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* 2.25 hours.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion reporting requirement.

*Total Annual Burden:* 5,612 hours.

*Total Annual Cost:* \$1,048,000.

*Needs and Uses:* FCC Form 405 is now being used by Multipoint Distribution Service (MDS) to apply for renewal of radio station licenses at the FCC. As a result of the Schedule S rulemaking, earth stations will file the new FCC Form 312-R in lieu of the FCC Form 405 to request renewals of their licenses. The FCC Form 312-R contains all of the data elements of the currently approved FCC Form 405. However, the name was changed to identify that the form is filed by earth station licenses for license renewals only. Additionally, the FCC Form 312-R is filed on the International Bureau Filing System (IBFS). The FCC Form 405 is available on the electronic Broadcast Licensing System (BLS) utilized by licensees and/or by the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau staff.

*OMB Control No.:* 3060-0292.

*Title:* Part 69—Access Charges.

*Form No:* N/A.

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

*Respondents:* Business or other for-profit.

*Number of Respondents:* 1,458 respondents; 5,832 responses.

*Estimated Time Per Response:* .75-5 hours.

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion, monthly, annual, semi-annual, and biennial reporting requirements and third party disclosure requirement.

*Total Annual Burden:* 27,702 hours.

*Total Annual Cost:* N/A.

*Needs and Uses:* Part 69 of the Commission's rules and regulations establishes the rules for access charges for interstate or foreign access provided by telephone companies. Local telephone companies and states are required to submit information to the Commission and/or the National Exchange Carrier Association (NECA). The information is used to compute changes in tariffs for access service (or origination and termination) and to computer revenue pool distributions.

Federal Communications Commission.

**Marlene H. Dortch,**

*Secretary.*

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### Notice of Public Information Collection(s) Being Reviewed by the Federal Communications Commission

November 21, 2003.

**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 collection(s), as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Pub. L. No. 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