

## Federal Communications Commission

## § 22.503

### § 22.379 RF exposure.

Licensees and manufacturers shall ensure compliance with the Commission's radio frequency exposure requirements in §§1.1307(b), 2.1091, and 2.1093 of this chapter, as appropriate. Applications for equipment authorization of mobile or portable devices operating under this section must contain a statement confirming compliance with these requirements. Technical information showing the basis for this statement must be submitted to the Commission upon request.

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### § 22.383 In-building radiation systems.

Licensees may install and operate in-building radiation systems without applying for authorization or notifying the FCC, provided that the locations of the in-building radiation systems are within the protected service area of the licensee's authorized transmitter(s) on the same channel or channel block.

## Subpart D [Reserved]

## Subpart E—Paging and Radiotelephone Service

### § 22.501 Scope.

The rules in this subpart govern the licensing and operation of public mobile paging and radiotelephone stations. The licensing and operation of these stations are also subject to rules elsewhere in this part that apply generally to the Public Mobile Services. However, in case of conflict, the rules in this subpart govern.

### § 22.503 Paging geographic area authorizations.

The FCC considers applications for and issues paging geographic area authorizations in the Paging and Radiotelephone Service in accordance with the rules in this section. Each paging geographic area authorization contains conditions requiring compliance with paragraphs (h) and (i) of this section.

(a) *Channels*. The FCC may issue a paging geographic area authorization for any channel listed in § 22.531 of this part or for any channel pair listed in § 22.561 of this part.

(b) *Paging geographic areas*. The paging geographic areas are as follows:

(1) The Nationwide paging geographic area comprises the District of Columbia and all States, Territories and possessions of the United States of America.

(2) Major Economic Areas (MEAs) and Economic Areas (EAs) are defined below. EAs are defined by the Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis. *See* Final Redefinition of the MEA Economic Areas, 60 FR 13114 (March 10, 1995). MEAs are based on EAs. In addition to the Department of Commerce's 172 EAs, the FCC shall separately license Guam and the Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico and the United States Virgin Islands, and American Samoa, which have been assigned FCC-created EA numbers 173–175, respectively, and MEA numbers 49–51, respectively.

(3) The 51 MEAs are composed of one or more EAs as defined in the following table:

MEAs	EAs
1 (Boston) .....	1–3.
2 (New York City) .....	4–7, 10.
3 (Buffalo) .....	8.
4 (Philadelphia) .....	11–12.
5 (Washington) .....	13–14.
6 (Richmond) .....	15–17, 20.
7 (Charlotte-Greensboro-Greenville-Raleigh) .....	18–19, 21–26, 41–42, 46.
8 (Atlanta) .....	27–28, 37–40, 43.
9 (Jacksonville) .....	29, 35.
10 (Tampa-St. Petersburg-Orlando) .....	30, 33–34.
11 (Miami) .....	31–32.
12 (Pittsburgh) .....	9, 52–53.
13 (Cincinnati-Dayton) .....	48–50.
14 (Columbus) .....	51.
15 (Cleveland) .....	54–55.
16 (Detroit) .....	56–58, 61–62.
17 (Milwaukee) .....	59–60, 63, 104–105, 108.
18 (Chicago) .....	64–66, 68, 97, 101.
19 (Indianapolis) .....	67.
20 (Minneapolis-St. Paul) .....	106–107, 109–114, 116.
21 (Des Moines-Quad Cities) .....	100, 102–103, 117.
22 (Knoxville) .....	44–45.
23 (Louisville-Lexington-Evansville) .....	47, 69–70, 72.
24 (Birmingham) .....	36, 74, 78–79.
25 (Nashville) .....	71.
26 (Memphis-Jackson) .....	73, 75–77.
27 (New Orleans-Baton Rouge) .....	80–85.
28 (Little Rock) .....	90–92, 95.
29 (Kansas City) .....	93, 99, 123.
30 (St. Louis) .....	94, 96, 98.
31 (Houston) .....	86–87, 131.
32 (Dallas-Fort Worth) .....	88–89, 127–130, 135, 137–138.
33 (Denver) .....	115, 140–143.
34 (Omaha) .....	118–121.
35 (Wichita) .....	122.