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Wireless Telecommunications Bureau Reminds Filers of Effective Date for Mandatory Electronic Filing of FCC Form 602

In July 2002, the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau (Bureau) released a public notice that announced electronic filing of FCC Form 602, FCC Ownership Disclosure Information for the Wireless Telecommunications Services (Form 602) would be available beginning September 10, 2002.¹ In the July 2002 public notice the Bureau indicated there would be a three-month transition period from the date electronic filing of Form 602 became available until electronic filing of Form 602 became mandatory.²

On September 10, 2002, the Bureau released a subsequent public notice that announced electronic filing of Form 602 was available and that beginning December 10, 2002, electronic filing of Form 602 becomes mandatory.³ Both the July 2002 public notice and the September 2002 public notice indicated the Bureau would release a public notice approximately 30 days prior to the date (*i.e.*, December 10, 2002) mandatory electronic filing of Form 602 takes affect in order to remind filers of the ensuing date.⁴

This public notice reminds filers that beginning December 10, 2002, Form 602 must be filed electronically pursuant to section 1.913 of the Commission's rules.⁵ Forms filed manually and received at the Commission on or after December 10, 2002 will not be accepted. The Bureau encourages filers to consult the July 2002 and September 2002 public notices regarding additional issues related to electronic filing of Form 602.

⁵ 47 C.F.R. § 1.913.

¹ See "Wireless Telecommunications Bureau Announces Plans for Electronic Filing of FCC Form 602," *Public Notice*, DA 02-1644 (rel. July 11, 2002) (July 2002 public notice).

 $^{^{2}}$ Id.

³ See "Wireless Telecommunications Bureau Announces Availability of Electronic Filing of FCC Form 602," *Public Notice*, DA 02-2211 (rel. September 10, 2002) (September 2002 public notice).

⁴ See July 2002 public notice and September 2002 public notice.

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