



PUBLIC NOTICE

News media information 202 / 418-0500
Fax-On-Demand 202 / 418-2830
TTY 202 / 418-2555
Internet: <http://www.fcc.gov>
<ftp.fcc.gov>

**Federal Communications Commission
445 12th St., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554**

**DA 02-530
March 6, 2002**

WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU ACTION

REGION 1 (ALABAMA) 700 MHz PUBLIC SAFETY PLANNING COMMITTEE ANNOUNCES SECOND MEETING

The Region 1 (Alabama) 700 MHz Public Safety Planning Committee announces that its second meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 24, 2002, at 1:00 p.m. at the Alabama Department of Emergency Management (ADEM) Building at 1400 Coliseum Blvd., Montgomery Alabama. The purpose of the meeting is to:

1. Establish the Region 1 700 MHz Regional Planning subcommittees, and
2. Continue the allocation planning process of the 700 MHz spectrum for public safety in Region 1.

The Region 1 700 MHz Public Safety Planning Committee meeting is open to the public. All eligible public safety providers in Alabama whose sole or principal purpose is to protect the safety of life, health, or property in Alabama may utilize these frequencies. It is essential that not only public safety, but all government, Native American Tribal, and non-governmental organizations eligible under Section 90.523 of the Commission's Rules be represented in order to ensure that each agency's future spectrum needs are considered in the allocation process. Administrators who are not oriented in the communications field should delegate someone with this knowledge to attend, participate and represent your agency's needs.

All interested parties wishing to participate in the planning for the use of new public safety spectrum in the 700 MHz band within Region 1 should plan to attend. For further information about the meeting, please contact:

John F. Wyckoff, Chairman
5800 Hanging Moss Court
Mobile, Alabama 36609
PH: 251-666-2682
FX: 251-666-2682

Email: wychoffj@apco911.org

– FCC –