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1670-1675 MHz BAND PRE-AUCTION SEMINAR Tuesday, March 18, 2003

A free seminar for the 1670-1675 MHz Band Auction (**Auction No. 46**) is scheduled for Tuesday, March 18, 2003. Interested parties must pre-register using the attached form or by calling the FCC's Auctions Hotline at (888)-225-5322, and select option #2, or (717) 338-2888. The seminar will be held in Room 3-B516 at the Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street S.W., Washington, D.C. Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m. and the program will end by 2:00 p.m.

Potential bidders in the auction are strongly encouraged to attend. This seminar provides an opportunity for hands-on demonstrations of the FCC filing and bidding system and access to the FCC staff responsible for the 1670-1675 MHz band licensing and auction conduct procedures. It is strongly advised that all potential bidders review the public notices released for this auction prior to the seminar.

The following is a timeline of the important events prior to the auction start date:

<i>Deadline to register for Pre-Auction Seminar:</i>	<i>March 14, 2003, 5:30 p.m. ET</i>
<i>Seminar Date:</i>	<i>March 18, 2003</i>
<i>Short Form (FCC Form 175) Filing Window Opens:</i>	<i>March 18, 2003</i>
<i>Short Form (FCC Form 175) Application Deadline:</i>	<i>March 25, 2003, 6:00 p.m. ET</i>
<i>Upfront Payment Deadline</i>	<i>April 11, 2003, 6:00 p.m. ET</i>
<i>Mock Auction:</i>	<i>April 25, 2003</i>
<i>Auction Start Date:</i>	<i>April 30, 2003</i>

For further information, please contact Lisa Stover of the Auctions Operations Branch at (717) 338-2888, or for Press Inquiries, Lauren Kravetz at (202) 418-7944.

FCC AUCTION SEMINAR REGISTRATION FORM

Auction No. 46

The FCC will sponsor a one-day seminar for the 1670-1675 MHz Band auction applicants. The seminar is free of charge and will provide information about pre-auction procedures, service and auction rules, conduct of the auction, and the FCC Automated Auction System. The seminar will be held:

Tuesday, March 18, 2003
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street S.W., Room 3-B516
Washington, DC 20554
Registration 9:30 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.
Seminar 10:00 a.m. - 2 p.m.

If hotel accommodations are needed
Please contact 1-888-225-5322 (option #2) for a list of hotels in the area

To register, complete the form below and
return by fax or mail to be received no later than

Friday, March 14, 2003

FCC Auction No. 46
Auctions Operations Branch
1270 Fairfield Road
Gettysburg, PA 17325-7245

FAX: 717-338-2850
Phone: 717-338-2888

I/We will attend the Auction No. 46 Seminar, scheduled for **Tuesday, March 18, 2003.**

Name of attendee: _____

Name of attendee: _____

Company name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____