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Comment Cycle Established for Commission's Notice of Proposed Rulemaking Regarding an Interim Cap on High-Cost Universal Service Support for Competitive Eligible Telecommunications Carriers

WC Docket No. 05-337

CC Docket No. 96-45

On May 14, 2007, the Commission released a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, seeking comment on the Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service's recommendation that the Commission adopt an interim, emergency cap on high-cost universal service support for competitive eligible telecommunications carriers.¹ The Commission set the comment and reply comment deadlines as 14 and 21 days, respectively, after publication of the *Notice* in the Federal Register. On May 23, 2007, a summary of the *Notice* appeared in the Federal Register.² Accordingly, **comments will be due on June 6, 2007, and reply comments will be due on June 13, 2007.**

For comment filing requirements, please consult the *Notice*.³ For further information regarding this proceeding, contact Ted Burmeister, Wireline Competition Bureau, at 202-418-7389.

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¹ *Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service*, WC Docket No. 05-337, CC Docket No. 96-45, Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 07-88 (rel. May 14, 2007) (*Notice*); *Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service*, WC Docket No. 05-337, CC Docket No. 96-45, Recommended Decision, FCC 07J-1 (Fed.-State Jt. Bd., rel. May 1, 2007) (*Recommended Decision*).

² See 72 Fed. Reg. 28936.

³ See *Notice* at paras. 9-12.