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WIRELINE COMPETITION BUREAU ANNOUNCES OMB APPROVAL OF THE REVISED 2007 FCC FORMS 499-A, 499-Q, AND ACCOMPANYING INSTRUCTIONS

On August 8, 2007, the Commission sought approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) of the information collection for the revised FCC Form 499-A, FCC Form 499-Q, and accompanying instructions. The revised forms and instructions incorporate changes required (1) by the decision of the U.S. Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia Circuit in *Vonage Holdings Corp. v. FCC*, and (2) a Commission order requiring interconnected voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) providers to contribute to the Telecommunications Relay Service (TRS) fund. On September 11, 2007, the Commission received OMB approval.

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¹ Vonage Holdings Corp. v. FCC, 489 F.3d 1232 (D.C. Cir. 2007) (Vonage Holdings) (affirming in part and vacating in part Universal Service Contribution Methodology, Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, et al., CC Docket Nos. 96-45, 98-171, 90-571, 92-237, 99-200, 95-116, 98-170, WC Docket Nos. 06-122, 04-36, Report and Order and Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 21 FCC Rcd 7518 (2006)); IP-Enabled Services, et al., WC Docket No. 04-36, WT Docket No. 96-198, CG Docket No. 03-123, CC Docket No. 92-105, Report and Order, FCC 07-110, para. 36 (rel. June 15, 2007).