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## PUBLIC SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY BUREAU FURTHER EXTENDS THE COMMENT DATES ON REQUEST FOR WAIVER FILED BY THE STATE OF WYOMING TO MODIFY ITS PUBLIC SAFETY STATEWIDE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

File No. 0003764744

**Revised Comment Date: August 30, 2010**  
**Revised Reply Comment Date: September 14, 2010**

On June 9, 2010, the Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau (the Bureau) released a Public Notice (*Wyoming Public Notice*),<sup>1</sup> seeking comment on the above-captioned modification application and waiver request, filed by the State of Wyoming (Wyoming) on March 9, 2009, and amended May 22, 2009, to add three repeater sites to its statewide narrowband digital trunked radio communications system authorized under call sign WQJA236.<sup>2</sup> The Bureau set June 30, 2010, as the comment date and July 12, 2010, as the reply comment date for the *Wyoming Public Notice*.

On June 15, 2010, the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau (WTB) commenced the bidding for the auction of paging licenses (Auction 87), which include the same Channel Blocks and BEAs occupied by Wyoming.<sup>3</sup> On June 22, 2010, with regard to the *Wyoming Public Notice*, the Bureau extended the comment date to July 30, 2010, and the reply comment date to August 11, 2010, to provide interested parties participating in Auction 87 additional time to file comments following the completion of the Auction.<sup>4</sup>

Because the bidding in Auction 87 continues, on our own motion,<sup>5</sup> we find that an additional extension of the comment and reply comment dates for the *Wyoming Public Notice* is appropriate to

<sup>1</sup> See Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau Seeks Comment on Request for Waiver Filed by the State of Wyoming to Modify Its Public Safety Statewide Communications System, File No. 0003764744, *Public Notice*, DA 10-1051 (rel. June 9, 2010) (*Wyoming Public Notice*).

<sup>2</sup> See State of Wyoming, *Order*, 23 FCC Rcd 9572, 9574 ¶ 5 (PSHSB 2008) (granting a waiver authorizing use of eleven Part 22 public mobile service VHF frequency pairs at twelve repeater sites (and associated mobile units) in Basic Economic Area (BEA) Nos. 143, 144, and 152).

<sup>3</sup> See Auction of Lower and Upper Paging Bands Licenses Rescheduled for June 15, 2010; Status of Short-Form Applications to Participate in Auction 87, AU Docket No. 09-205, *Public Notice*, 25 FCC Rcd 3522 (WTB 2010).

<sup>4</sup> See Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau Extends the Comment Dates on Request for Waiver Filed by the State of Wyoming to Modify Its Public Safety Statewide Communications System, File No. 0003764744, *Public Notice*, DA 10-1109 (rel. June 22, 2010).

<sup>5</sup> See 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.191(f), 0.392, 1.1, and 1.925(c)(i).

provide interested parties that are participating in the Auction more time to file comments following the completion of the Auction. Accordingly, we extend the comment and reply comment dates by 30 days to August 30, 2010, and September 14, 2010, respectively, for the *Wyoming Public Notice*.

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By the Chief, Policy Division, Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau.

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