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MEDIA BUREAU ACTION

MEDIA BUREAU MODIFIES EX PARTE PROCEDURES AND ENABLES ELECTRONIC FILING FOR PLEADINGS IN RESPONSE TO THE COMPLAINT FILED BY ZOOM TELEPHONICS, INC.

MB Docket No. 10-263

Zoom Telephonics, Inc. (“Zoom”) has filed a complaint alleging that Comcast Cable Communications, LLC (“Comcast”) violated the regulations implementing Section 629 of the Communications Act¹ and the Commission’s Open Internet Principles. To facilitate access to the pleadings filed in response to Zoom’s complaint, all answers, comments, oppositions, reply comments, and *ex parte* memoranda will refer to MB Docket No. 10-263 and must be submitted in MB Docket No. 10-263.

This proceeding will be treated as “permit but disclose” for purposes of the Commission’s *ex parte* rules. See generally 47 C.F.R. §§ 1.1200-1.1216. As a result of the permit-but-disclose status of this proceeding, *ex parte* presentations will be governed by the procedures set forth in Section 1.1206 of the Commission’s rules applicable to non-restricted proceedings.²

The Commission will make electronic filing available for this proceeding. All filings must reference **MB Docket No. 10-263**. Filings sent via e-mail to the Commission will be considered informal and will not be part of the official record. Documents may be filed using: (1) the Commission’s Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS), (2) the Federal Government’s eRulemaking Portal, or (3) by filing paper copies.³

- Electronic Filers: Comments may be filed electronically using the Internet by accessing the ECFS: <http://www.fcc.gov/cgb/ecfs/> or the Federal eRulemaking Portal: <http://www.regulations.gov>. Filers should follow the instructions provided on the website for submitting comments.

¹ 47 U.S.C. § 549. See 47 C.F.R. §§ 76.1201-1203.

² 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206.

³ See *Electronic Filing of Documents in Rulemaking Proceedings*, GC Docket No. 97-113, *Report and Order*, 13 FCC Rcd 11322, 11326, ¶ 8 (1998).

- For ECFS filers, in completing the transmittal screen, filers should include their full name, U.S. Postal service mailing address, and the applicable docket number: **MB Docket No. 10-263**. Parties may also submit an electronic comment by Internet e-mail. To get filing instructions, filers should send an e-mail to ecfs@fcc.gov, and include the following words in the body of the message: “get form”. A sample form and instructions will be sent in response.
- Paper Filers: Parties who choose to file by paper must file an original and four copies of each filing. Filings can be sent by hand or messenger delivery, by commercial overnight courier, or by first-class or overnight U.S. Postal Service mail.
 - Effective December 28, 2009, all hand-delivered or messenger-delivered paper filings for the Commission’s Secretary must be delivered to FCC Headquarters at 445 12th St., SW, Room TW-A325, Washington, DC 20554. All hand deliveries must be held together with rubber bands or fasteners. Any envelopes must be disposed of before entering the building. The filing hours are 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
 - Commercial overnight mail (other than U.S. Postal Service Express Mail and Priority Mail) must be sent to 9300 East Hampton Drive, Capitol Heights, MD 20743.
 - U.S. Postal Service first-class, Express, and Priority mail must be addressed to 445 12th Street, SW, Washington DC 20554.

All filings must be addressed to the Commission’s Secretary, Marlene H. Dortch, Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20554. Parties should also send a copy of their filing to Brendan Murray, Media Bureau, Room 4-A737, 445 12th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20554 or Brendan.Murray@fcc.gov. Parties must also serve one copy with the Commission’s copy contractor, Best Copy and Printing, Inc. (BCPI), Portals II, 445 12th Street, S.W., Room CY-B402, Washington, D.C. 20554, (202) 488-5300, or via e-mail to fcc@bcpiweb.com.

Documents in **MB Docket No. 10-263** are available for public inspection and copying during regular business hours at the FCC Reference Information Center, Portals II, 445 12th St., S.W., Room CY-A257, Washington, DC 20554, telephone (202) 418-0270. They may also be purchased from the Commission’s copy contractor, Best Copy and Printing, Inc., telephone (202) 488-5300, facsimile (202) 488-5563, or via email at fcc@bcpiweb.com.

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