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MEDIA BUREAU ACTION

MEDIA BUREAU SEEKS COMMENT ON PETITION FOR DECLARATORY RULING THAT AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, PENNSYLVANIA IS PREEMPTED BY THE COMMISSION'S OVER-THE-AIR RECEPTION DEVICES RULE

CSR-8541-O

Responses due: December 22, 2011

Replies due: January 6, 2012

The Satellite Broadcasting & Communications Association (“Petitioner”) has filed a Petition for Declaratory Ruling asking the Commission to determine whether an antenna installation ordinance of the City of Philadelphia (“City”) is preempted by Section 1.4000 of the Commission’s rules (“Over-the-Air Reception Devices Rule”). The City’s ordinance seeks to limit installation of antennas between the building façade and the street. This Public Notice announces the pleading cycle for this Petition, during which responses and replies may be filed.

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.¹

Parties may file responses to the Petition on or before **December 22, 2011** and replies on or before **January 6, 2012**. Please place the case identifier, **CSR-8541-O**, on all filings. One copy of responses, replies, or other communications must be served on all participants in the case.

Parties must file an original and two 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. All filings must be addressed to the Commission’s Secretary, Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission.

- 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

¹ 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206.

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.
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One copy of each pleading must be sent to Kenneth Lewis, Media Bureau, Room 4-A833, 445 12th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20554.

Copies of the Petition and any subsequently filed documents in this matter are also available for inspection in the Commission's Reference Information Center:

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