

**Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of)	
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Media Bureau and Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau Seek Comment on Second VPAAC Report: Video Description and Access to Emergency Information)	MB Docket No. 12-107
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Media Bureau and Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau Seek Comment on Second VPAAC Report: User Interfaces, and Video Programming Guides and Menus)	MB Docket No. 12-108
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ORDER

Adopted: April 30, 2012

Released: April 30, 2012

Comment Date: June 4, 2012

Reply Comment Date: June 19, 2012

By the Chief, Media Bureau and Acting Chief, Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau:

1. This Order extends the deadlines for filing comments and reply comments for the above captioned proceedings. Comments are now due on June 4, 2012, and reply comments are due on June 19, 2012.

2. On April 24, 2012, the Media and Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureaus released two Public Notices seeking comment on the Video Programming Accessibility Advisory Committee's ("VPAAC") Second Report on the Twenty-First Century Communications and Video Accessibility Act of 2010. One Public Notice sought comment on the portions of the report that address Video Description and Access to Emergency Information,¹ and the other Public Notice sought comment on the portion of the report that addresses User Interfaces, and Video Programming Guides and Menus.² Each Public Notice provided that comments would be due on May 24, 2012, and reply comments would be due on June 8, 2012.

3. It has come to our attention that the National Cable and Telecommunications Association, the national trade association representing the cable industry, will hold its annual Cable Show from May 21-23, 2012, and many interested parties will attend that show during the week leading up to our original comment deadline. Consequently, we understand that it will be difficult for interested parties to submit their views on the Second VPAAC Report by the original comment date. In this case we believe that an

¹ *Media Bureau and Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau Seek Comment on Second VPAAC Report: Video Description and Access to Emergency Information*, DA 12-636 (PN rel. April 24, 2012).

² *Media Bureau and Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau Seek Comment on Second VPAAC Report: User Interfaces, and Video Programming Guides and Menus*, DA 12-635 (PN rel. April 24, 2012).

extension is necessary to afford all interested parties an opportunity to comment on a topic that will affect them. Therefore, we extend the deadline for all comments and reply comments to June 4, and June 19, 2012, respectively.

4. This action is taken under delegated authority pursuant to Sections 0.61, 0.141, 0.283, and 0.361 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.61, 0.141, 0.283, 0.361.

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