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**WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU SEEKS COMMENT ON ClearRF REQUEST FOR DETERMINATION OF EQUIVALENT PROTECTION**

**WT Docket No. 10-4**

**Comment Date: March 20, 2014**

**Reply Comment Date: March 27, 2014**

On February 26, 2014, ClearRF filed a request with the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau to make an “equivalent protection” showing pursuant to Section 20.21(e)(10) of the Commission’s rules.[[1]](#footnote-1) In the *Signal Booster Report and Order*, the Commission stated that any Consumer Signal Booster manufacturer which could not meet the technical parameters in Sections 20.21(e)(1)-(9) of its rules could still satisfy the Network Protection Standard in Section 20.21(e) if the manufacturer could demonstrate that the booster provided equivalent protections.[[2]](#footnote-2) ClearRF states that its wideband, direct connect consumer signal booster, ClearRF Model Number WRE2710, does not meet Sections 20.21(e)(8)(i)(B) and 20.21(e)(8)(i)(C)(2)(iii) of the Commission’s rules, but nonetheless provides equivalent protections to the Network Protection Standard. By this Public Notice, we invite interested parties to file comments on the above Request filed by ClearRF.

All publicly available information regarding ClearRF’s Request is attached to this Public Notice. Pursuant to sections 1.415 and 1.419 of the Commission’s rules, 47 CFR §§ 1.415, 1.419, interested parties may file comments and reply comments on or before the dates indicated above. All such filings should refer to **WT Docket No 10-4**. Comments may be filed using the Commission’s Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS). *See Electronic Filing of Documents in Rulemaking Proceedings*, 63 FR 24121 (1998).

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By the Chief, Mobility Division, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau

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1. 47 C.F.R. § 20.21(e)(10). [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. Amendment of Parts 1, 2, 22, 24, 27, 90 and 95 of the Commission’s Rules to Improve Wireless Coverage Through the Use of Signal Boosters, *Report and Order*, 28 FCC Rcd 1663, ¶¶ 75-76 (2013). [↑](#footnote-ref-2)