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CONSUMER AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS BUREAU ANNOUNCES COMMENT DATES FOR SMALL BUSINESS EXEMPTION FROM OPEN INTERNET ENHANCED TRANSPARENCY REQUIREMENTS

GN Docket No. 14-28

Comment Date: August 5, 2015 Reply Comment Date: September 4, 2015

On June 22, 2015, the Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau released a Public Notice seeking comment on whether to maintain a temporary exemption for smaller providers from certain enhancements to the existing transparency rules that govern the content and format of disclosures made by providers of broadband Internet access service.¹ The Public Notice set deadlines for filing comments and reply comments at 30 and 60 days after publication in the Federal Register.

On July 6, 2015, a summary of the Public Notice was published in the Federal Register.² Accordingly, comments will be due on or before **August 5, 2015**, and reply comments will be due on or before **September 4, 2015**. Complete comment filing instructions are set forth in the Public Notice.

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¹ See Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau Seeks Comment on Small Business Exemption From Open Internet Enhanced Transparency Requirements, GN Docket No. 14-28, Public Notice, DA 15-731 (rel. June 22, 2015) (Public Notice).

² See 80 Fed. Reg. 38424 (July 6, 2015).