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## FCC RELEASES DRAFT APPENDICES TO COMMUNICATIONS MARKETPLACE REPORT

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Today, the Commission releases a draft of the appendices to the Communications Marketplace Report. A draft version of the Communications Marketplace Report, scheduled for consideration at the Commission's December 12, 2018 Open Meeting, was released on November 21, 2018. The appendices released today include the data collected and analyzed by Commission staff in developing the draft Communications Marketplace Report.

The broadband deployment data in the appendices reflect updates to data received and processed after the release of the draft Communications Marketplace Report on November 21, 2018. The updated data will be used to prepare the final version of the Communications Marketplace Report. Accordingly, certain figures reported in the final version of the Communications Marketplace Report may differ from those in the publicly released draft. For example, some of the numbers reported in Figure D-3 of the publicly released draft will need to be amended by 0.1% to reflect amended data in Appendices C-1 and C-3.

Further, the mobile wireless market appendices released today include various static mobile wireless coverage maps. Similar to other mobile wireless coverage maps released in past years, dynamic versions of these coverage maps will be published online after adoption and release of the Communications Marketplace Report.<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> News Release, Federal Communications Commission, FCC Announces Tentative agenda for December Open Meeting (Nov. 21, 2018), <a href="https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/DOC-355210A1.pdf">https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/DOC-355210A1.pdf</a>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See Federal Communications Commission, Adopting the First Consolidated Communications Marketplace Report (Nov. 21, 2018), <a href="https://www.fcc.gov/document/adopting-first-consolidated-communications-marketplace-report">https://www.fcc.gov/document/adopting-first-consolidated-communications-marketplace-report</a>.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> *See, e.g.*, 20<sup>th</sup> Mobile Wireless Report Web Appendices, *available at* <a href="https://www.fcc.gov/20th-mobile-wireless-report-web-appendices">https://www.fcc.gov/20th-mobile-wireless-report-web-appendices</a>.