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**June 7, 2018**

**Media Bureau Announces Notice of Proposed Rulemaking *In the Matter of Amendment of Part 74 of the Commission’s Rules Regarding FM Translator Interference* Published in Federal Register**

**Comment Date: July 6, 2018**

**Reply Comment Date: August 6, 2018**

On May 10, 2018, the Commission adopted and released a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking *In the Matter of Amendment of Part 74 of the Commission’s Rules Regarding FM Translator Interference*.[[1]](#footnote-3) The Commission sought comment on a number of proposals designed to streamline the rules relating to interference caused by FM translators and to expedite the translator complaint resolution process. The *FM Translator Interference NPRM* set deadlines for filing comments and reply comments at 30 and 60 days, respectively, after publication of the *FM Translator Interference NPRM* in the Federal Register.

By this *Public Notice*, the Media Bureau announces that the *FM Translator Interference NPRM* was published in the Federal Register on June 6, 2018.[[2]](#footnote-4) Comments must be submitted no later than Friday, July 6, 2018. Reply Comments must be submitted no later than Monday, August 6, 2018. Commenters should follow the filing instructions provided in paragraphs 35 to 37 of the *FM Translator Interference NPRM*.[[3]](#footnote-5) The *FM Translator Interference NPRM* is also available on the Commission’s website.[[4]](#footnote-6)

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1. *Amendment of Part 74 of the Commission’s Rules Regarding FM Translator Interference,* Notice of Proposed Rule Making, MB Docket No. 18-119, FCC 18-60 (rel. May 10, 2018) (*FM Translator Interference NPRM*). [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
2. *FM Translator Interference NPRM*, 83 Fed. Reg. 26229 (June 6, 2018). [↑](#footnote-ref-4)
3. *FM Translator Interference NPRM* at paras. 35-37. [↑](#footnote-ref-5)
4. *See* <https://www.fcc.gov/document/fcc-proposes-rules-streamline-fm-translator-interference-complaint>. [↑](#footnote-ref-6)