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COMMENT AND REPLY COMMENT DATES SET FOR BROADCAST INTERNET NPRM

MB Docket No. 20-145

Comment Date: August 17, 2020
Reply Comment Date: August 31, 2020

On June 9, 2020, the Commission adopted a Declaratory Ruling and Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (*NPRM*) seeking comment on whether and, if so, how to clarify or modify existing broadcast rules in order to expand the potential for broadcast spectrum capacity to support new services beyond traditional over-the-air video in ways that will complement the nation's burgeoning 5G network—services we refer to as Broadcast Internet services—as part of the transition to ATSC 3.0.¹ The *NPRM* set deadlines for filing comments and reply comments at 30 and 45 days, respectively, after publication of the *NPRM* in the Federal Register.²

By this *Public Notice*, the Media Bureau announces that the *NPRM* was published in the Federal Register on July 16, 2020.³ Accordingly, comments must be submitted no later than August 17, 2020. Reply Comments must be submitted no later than August 31, 2020. Commenters should follow the filing instructions provided in paragraph 42 of the *NPRM*.⁴

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¹ *Promoting Broadcast Internet Innovation through ATSC 3.0*, MB Docket No. 20-145, Declaratory Ruling and Notice of Proposed, FCC 20-73 (rel. Jun. 9, 2020) (*NRPM*). The *NPRM* is available on the Commission's website. See <https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/FCC-20-73A1.pdf>.

² *Id.* at 1.

³ *Promoting Broadcast Internet Innovation through ATSC 3.0*, 85 Fed. Reg. 43195 (July 16, 2020).

⁴ See *NPRM* at 20, para. 42.