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## WIRELINE COMPETITION BUREAU ANNOUNCES COMMENT DATES FOR NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING REGARDING SIM SWAPPING AND PORTING FRAUD

WC Docket No. 21-341

**Comment Date: November 15, 2021**  
**Reply Comment Date: December 14, 2021**

By this Public Notice, the Wireline Competition Bureau announces that comments in response to the *Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM)* regarding SIM swapping and port-out fraud are due no later than November 15, 2021, and reply comments are due no later than December 14, 2021.<sup>1</sup>

The *NPRM* set deadlines for filing comments and reply comments at 30 and 60 days, respectively, after a summary of the item is published in the Federal Register.<sup>2</sup> The Federal Register published that summary on October 15, 2021.<sup>3</sup> Complete filing instructions are contained in the *NPRM* and the *Federal Register Notice*.<sup>4</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> *Protecting Consumers from SIM Swap and Port-Out Fraud*, WC Docket No. 21-341, Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 21-102 (rel. Sept. 30, 2021) (*NPRM*).

<sup>2</sup> *Id.*

<sup>3</sup> *Protecting Consumers from SIM Swap and Port-Out Fraud*, Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 86 Fed. Reg. 57390 (Oct. 15, 2021) (*Federal Register Notice*).

<sup>4</sup> See *NPRM*, FCC 21-102, at para. 76; *Federal Register Notice*, 86 Fed. Reg. at 57391.