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**CONSUMER AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS BUREAU Announces Comment Dates FOR the PSAP DO-Not-Call Registry Further notice of proposed Rulemaking**

**CG Docket No. 12-129, PS Docket No. 21-343**

**Comment Date: December 1, 2021**

**Reply Comment Date: December 16, 2021**

On October 1, 2021, the Commission released a Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking to reassess its approach to protect Public Safety Answering Points (PSAP) from unwanted autodialed calls.[[1]](#footnote-3) Specifically, the Commission proposed that voice service providers be required to block autodialed calls made to PSAP telephone numbers registered on the PSAP Do-Not-Call registry.[[2]](#footnote-4)

On November 1, 2021, a summary of the *PSAP DNC FNPRM* was published in the Federal Register.[[3]](#footnote-5) Accordingly, comments are due on or before **December 1, 2021**, and reply comments are due on or before **December 16, 2021**. Complete comment filing instructions are set forth in the *PSAP DNC FNPRM*.[[4]](#footnote-6)

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1. *See Implementation of the Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act of 2012, Establishment of a Public Safety Answering Point Do-Not-Call Registry, Enhancing Security of Public Safety Answering Point Communications*, CG Docket No. 12-129, PS Docket No. 21-343, Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 21-108 (Oct. 1, 2021) (*PSAP DNC FNPRM*). [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
2. *Id.* at para. 15. [↑](#footnote-ref-4)
3. Federal Communications Commission, Enhancing Security of Public Safety Answering Point Communications, Proposed Rule, 86 Fed. Reg. 60189 (Nov. 1, 2021). [↑](#footnote-ref-5)
4. *PSAP DNC FNPRM* at para. 49. [↑](#footnote-ref-6)