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COMMENT DATES ON PROPOSAL TO EXPAND THE TRS FUND CONTRIBUTION BASE FOR SUPPORT OF VRS AND IP RELAY

CG Docket Nos. 03-123, 10-51, and 12-38

Comment Date: April 19, 2021

Reply Comment Date: May 3, 2021

On November 20, 2020, the Federal Communications Commission (Commission) released a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) proposing to expand the telecommunications relay service (TRS) Fund contribution base for support of video relay service (VRS) and Internet Protocol (IP) Relay to include intrastate, in addition to interstate, end-user revenues from providers of telecommunications and Voice over IP (VoIP) services.¹ Comments on the NPRM are due 30 days after publication in the Federal Register, and reply comments are due 45 days after such publication.²

On March 19, 2021, a summary of the NPRM was published in the Federal Register.³ Accordingly, comments on the NPRM must be filed by April 19, 2021, and reply comments must be filed by May 3, 2021.

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¹ *Telecommunications Relay Services and Speech-to-Speech Services for Individuals with Hearing and Speech Disabilities; Structure and Practices of the Video Relay Service Program; Misuse of Internet Protocol Relay Service*, CG Docket Nos. 03-123, 10-51, and 12-38, Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 35 FCC Red 13370 (2020).

² *Id.* at 13378, para. 25.

³ FCC, TRS Fund Contributions, 86 Fed. Reg. 14862 (Mar. 19, 2021).