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**IT&E Overseas, Inc. files Application for Review of Bureau's
MO&O of its Final Rate Integration Plan
in CC Docket No. 96-61**

Pleading Cycle Established

CCB/CPD 97-50

COMMENTS: October 28, 1997

REPLY COMMENTS: November 11, 1997

On August 29, 1997, IT&E Overseas, Inc. (IT&E) filed an Application for Review with the Commission to review the MO&O¹, by the Deputy Chief of the Common Carrier Bureau (Bureau). The MO&O responds to IT&E's final rate integration plan, filed June 2, 1997, and is said by IT&E to impose certain additional obligations on interexchange carriers serving Guam and the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands to comply with the Commission's rate integration rule. IT&E further states that the Bureau also denied IT&E its asserted right to offer temporary promotions and private line services on different terms and conditions based on a subscriber's geographic location.

IT&E asserts that the Bureau's action conflicts with the express statutory language and legislative purpose of Section 254(g) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended (the Act), 47 U.S.C. § 254(g), as well as with the Commission's own rules and policies, including the Report and Order, CC Docket No. 96-61, released August 7, 1996.

Interested parties may file comments on the IT&E Application for Review no later than October 28, 1997. Replies must be filed by November 11, 1997. When filing comments and/or replies, please reference the internal file number: CCB/CPD 97-50.

An original and four copies of all comments and replies must be filed in accordance with Section 1.51(c) of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.15(c). In addition, one copy of each pleading must be filed with International Transcription Services (ITS), the Commission's duplicating contractor, at its office at 1231 - 20th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036 and one copy with the Chief, Competitive Pricing Division, Room 518, 1919 M Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20554.

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¹ See Memorandum Opinion and Order (MO&O), CC Docket No. 96-61 (Com.Car.Bur., rel. Jul. 30, 1997).