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ELECTRONIC COMMENT FILING SYSTEM IS SHUTDOWN UNTIL JUNE 18, 2001

On June 13, 2001, the Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS) experienced major hardware failure, which has rendered the system unavailable for receiving and viewing of submissions in docketed and rulemaking proceedings. We are currently working to resolve the technical problems. However, due to the serious nature of the technical problems, ECFS will not be available until Monday, June 18, 2001.

We regret any inconvenience this problem may cause you. Please remember that you may still submit your filings in paper format with the FCC's Office of the Secretary. The filing deadline for submitting comments and other related documents in paper format with the FCC Office of the Secretary is 7:00 PM. The Office of the Secretary is located at 445 12th Street, SW, TW-A325, Washington, DC 20554.

Current daily docketed and rulemaking material is available during regular business hours at the FCC Reference Information Center, 445 12th Street, SW, Room CY-A257, Washington DC 20554. Requests for historical docketed and rulemaking material will be addressed on a case-by-case basis. In addition, requests for copies of docketed and rulemaking material may be directed to the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Service, Inc., 1231 20th Street, N.W., Washington DC 20037 or by telephone at (202) 857-3800.

We thank you for your patience and understanding.

For further information you may contact Patricia Rawlings, Reference Information Center, Consumer Information Bureau, at (202) 418-0294.

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