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SIMINGTON APPLAUDS SPECTRUM PIPELINE BILL

WASHINGTON, D.C., MARCH 11, 2024— Today, Commissioner Nathan Simington released the following statement in support of the "Spectrum Pipeline Act of 2024" introduced by U.S. Senate Commerce Committee Ranking Member Ted Cruz (R-Texas) and Subcommittee on Communications, Media, and Broadband Ranking Member John Thune (R-S.D.):

"I applaud the Spectrum Pipeline Act of 2024. It is a commonsense approach to quickly identify and allocate spectrum for commercial use. It also recognizes and addresses the fact that the U.S. faces a shortage of licensed mid-band spectrum. The range of bands identified in this bill and the emphasis on licensed spectrum is crucial to allowing the U.S. to keep its competitive edge against China as the world's technology leader."

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