

*Cellular Radiotelephone Service.* A radio service in which common carriers are authorized to offer and provide cellular service for hire to the general public. This service was formerly titled Domestic Public.

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*Channel.* The portion of the electromagnetic spectrum assigned by the FCC for one emission. In certain circumstances, however, more than one emission may be transmitted on a channel.

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*Communications channel.* In the Cellular Radiotelephone and Air-Ground Radiotelephone Services, a channel used to carry subscriber communications.

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*Control channel.* In the Cellular Radiotelephone Service and the Air-Ground Radiotelephone Service, a channel used to transmit information necessary to establish or maintain communications. In the other Public Mobile Services, a channel that may be assigned to a control transmitter.

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*Ground station.* In the Air-Ground Radiotelephone Service, a stationary transmitter that provides service to airborne mobile stations.

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*Offshore Radiotelephone Service.* A radio service in which common carriers are authorized to offer and provide radio telecommunication services for hire to subscribers on structures in the offshore coastal waters of the Gulf of Mexico.

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*Public Mobile Services.* Radio services in which common carriers are authorized to offer and provide mobile and related fixed radio telecommunication services for hire to the public.

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*Rural Radiotelephone Service.* A radio service in which licensee are authorized to offer and provide radio telecommunication services for hire to subscribers in areas where it is not feasible to provide communication services by wire or other means.

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13. Section 22.143 is amended by revising paragraph (d)(4) to read as follows:

**§ 22.143 Construction prior to grant of application.**

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(d) \* \* \*

(4) For any construction or alteration that would exceed the requirements of § 17.7 of this chapter, the licensee has

notified the appropriate Regional Office of the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA Form 7460–1), filed a request for antenna height clearance and obstruction marking and lighting specifications (FCC Form 854) with the FCC at WTB, Database Management Division, Analysis and Development Branch, 1120 Fairfield Road, Gettysburg, PA 17325 or electronically via the FCC Antenna Structure Registration homepage, <http://wireless.fcc.gov/antenna/>;

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**§ 22.157 [Removed]**

14. Remove § 22.157.

**§ 22.159 [Removed]**

15. Remove § 22.159.

**§ 22.161 [Removed]**

16. Remove § 22.161.

17. Section 22.351 is revised to read as follows:

**§ 22.351 Channel assignment policy.**

The channels allocated for use in the Public Mobile Services are listed in the applicable subparts of this part. Channels and channel blocks are assigned in such a manner as to facilitate the rendition of service on an interference-free basis in each service area. Except as otherwise provided in this part, each channel or channel block is assigned exclusively to one licensee in each service area. All applicants for, and licensees of, stations in the Public Mobile Services shall cooperate in the selection and use of channels in order to minimize interference and obtain the most efficient use of the allocated spectrum.

18. Section 22.352 is amended by revising the undesignated paragraph and paragraph (c)(7) to read as follows:

**§ 22.352 Protection from interference.**

Public Mobile Service stations operating in accordance with applicable FCC rules and the terms and conditions of their authorizations are normally considered to be non-interfering.

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(c) \* \* \*

(7) *In-building radiation systems.* No protection is provided against interference to the service of in-building radiation systems.

**§ 22.361 [Removed]**

19. Section 22.361 is removed.

**§ 22.363 [Removed]**

20. Section 22.363 is removed.

**§ 22.373 [Removed]**

21. Section 22.373 is removed.

**§ 22.379 [Removed]**

22. Section 22.379 is removed.

**§ 22.381 [Removed]**

23. Section 22.381 is removed.

**§ 22.383 [Removed]**

24. Section 22.383 is removed.

**§ 22.415 [Removed]**

25. Section 22.415 is removed.

26. Section 22.503 is amended by adding paragraph (g)(4) to read as follows:

**§ 22.503 Paging geographic area authorizations.**

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(g) \* \* \*

(4) The application is for a minor modification of license to expand a licensee's composite interference contour over water on a secondary, non-interference basis under § 1.929(c)(1) of this chapter.

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**§ 22.539 [Removed]**

27. Section 22.539 is removed.

28. Section 22.563 is revised to read as follows:

**§ 22.563 Provision of rural radiotelephone service.**

Channels in the frequency ranges 152.03–152.81, 157.77–158.67, 454.025–454.650 and 459.025–459.650 MHz, inclusive, are also allocated for assignment in the Rural Radiotelephone Service.

**§ 22.569 [Removed]**

29. Section 22.569 is removed.

**§ 22.591 [Amended]**

30. Section 22.591 is amended by removing the table entitled "Microwave channels," and by removing and reserving paragraph (b).

31. Section 22.593 is revised to read as follows:

**§ 22.593 Effective radiated power limits.**

The effective radiated power of fixed stations operating on the channels listed in § 22.591 must not exceed 150 Watts.

32. Section 22.601 is amended by revising the undesignated paragraph to read as follows:

**§ 22.601 Assignment of microwave channels.**

Assignment of the 2110–2130 and 2160–2180 MHz channels (formerly listed in § 22.591) is subject to the transition rules in § 22.602. No new systems will be authorized under this part.

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