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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Control No.: 3060-0743.

Title: Implementation of the Pay Telephone Reclassification and Compensation Provisions of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, CC Docket No. 96-128.

Form No: N/A.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit.

Number of Respondents: 5,145 respondents, 6,345 responses.

Estimated Time Per Response: 29 hours (average).

Frequency of Response:

Recordkeeping requirement, third party disclosure requirements, and on occasion, quarterly, annually, and other reporting requirements.

Total Annual Burden: 152,801 hours.

Total Annual Cost: N/A.

Needs and Uses: The Commission promulgated rules and requirements implementing Section 276 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. Among other things, the rules: (1) Established fair compensation for every completed intrastate and interstate payphone cell; (2) discontinued intrastate and interstate access charge payphone service elements and payments, and intrastate and interstate payphone subsidies from basic exchange services; and (3) adopted guidelines for use by the states in establishing public interest payphones to be located where there would otherwise not be a payphone.

OMB Control No.: 3060-0951.

Title: Service of Petitions for Preemption, 47 CFR Sections 1.1204(b) Note, and 1.1206(a) Note 1.

Form No: N/A.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit, individuals or household, not-for-profit institutions and State, Local and Tribal Government.

Number of Respondents: 125.

Estimated Time Per Response: .25 hours (15 minutes).

Frequency of Response: On occasion reporting and third party disclosure requirements.

Total Annual Burden: 30 hours.

Total Annual Cost: N/A.

Needs and Uses: These provisions supplement the procedures for filing petitions seeking Commission preemption of state and local

government regulation of telecommunications services. They require that such petitions, whether in the form of a petition for rulemaking or a petition for declaratory ruling, be served on all state and local governments the actions for which are cited as the basis for requesting preemption. Thus, in accordance with these provisions, persons seeking preemption must serve their petitions not only on the state or local government whose authority would be preempted, but also on other state or local governments whose actions are cited in the petition.

Federal Communications Commission.

Marlene H. Dortch,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[DA 03-3391]

NYNEX Waiver of Access Charges

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice; termination of proceeding.

SUMMARY: This document provides notice of the termination of a proceeding seeking reconsideration of a 1995 Commission order granting NYNEX a waiver of certain parts of the access charge rules. NYNEX (now Verizon) no longer charges the specific access charges at issue in this proceeding, therefore the substantive issues in this proceeding are moot.

DATES: This proceeding will be terminated effective December 5, 2003, unless the Wireline Competition Bureau receives an opposition to the termination prior to that date.

ADDRESSES: Oppositions to the proceeding termination should be mailed to the Commission's Secretary through the Commission's contractor, Natek, Inc., at 236 Massachusetts Avenue, NE., Suite 110, Washington, DC 20002.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jennifer McKee, Wireline Competition Bureau, Pricing Policy Division, (202) 418-1530.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On May 4, 1995, the Commission released an order in the above-referenced proceeding granting NYNEX a waiver to deaverage the transport interconnection charge (TIC) and recover the carrier common line (CCL) charge on a per-line, rather

than a per-minute, basis. AT&T and Teleport filed petitions for reconsideration of this order on June 5, 1995. On October 16, 2003, AT&T filed a request to withdraw both its reconsideration petition and that of Teleport, which is now owned by AT&T. Based on its request to withdraw, AT&T's reconsideration petitions are dismissed without prejudice. 47 CFR 1.748. It appears that there are no pending petitions for reconsideration or applications for review in this proceeding. At this time, Verizon (formerly NYNEX) no longer charges the TIC or the CCL charge at issue in the proceeding, thus the substantive issues in this proceeding are moot. Therefore, the proceeding will be terminated effective December 5, 2003, unless the Wireline Competition Bureau receives an opposition to the termination before that date.

Parties filing oppositions to the termination of this proceeding must file an original and four copies of each filing. The filings should reference the DA number of this Public Notice, DA 03-3391. Filings can be sent by hand or messenger delivery, by commercial overnight courier, or by first-class or overnight U.S. Postal Service mail (although we continue to experience delays in receiving U.S. Postal Service mail). The Commission's contractor, Natek, Inc., will receive hand-delivered or messenger-delivered paper filings for the Commission's Secretary at 236 Massachusetts Avenue, NE., Suite 110, Washington, DC 20002.

- The filing hours at this location are 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.
- All hand deliveries must be held together with rubber bands or fasteners.
- Any envelopes must be disposed of before entering the building.
- Commercial overnight mail (other than U.S. Postal Service Express Mail and Priority Mail) must be sent to 9300 East Hampton Drive, Capitol Heights, MD 20743.
- U.S. Postal Service first-class mail, Express Mail, and Priority Mail should be addressed to 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554.
- All filings must be addressed to the Commission's Secretary, Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission. Parties are also requested to send a courtesy copy of their oppositions to Jennifer McKee, Pricing Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau, Federal Communications Commission. Courtesy copies may also be sent via e-mail to jennifer.mckee@fcc.gov.

Authority: 47 U.S.C. 152, 153, 154, 155, 303, 307, 308, 309, 315, 317; 44 FR 18501, 67 FR 13223, 47 CFR 0.291, 1.749.