

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Notice of Public Information Collection(s) Being Submitted to OMB for Review and Approval

June 29, 1999.

SUMMARY: The Federal Communications Commissions, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burden invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. An agency may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. No person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) that does not display a valid control number. Comments are requested concerning (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Commission's burden estimate; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Written comments should be submitted on or before August 6, 1999. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below as soon as possible.

ADDRESSES: Direct all comments to Les Smith, Federal Communications Commission, Room 1-A804, 445 12th Street, SW, Washington, DC 20554 or via the Internet to lesmith@fcc.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For additional information or copies of the information collections contact Les Smith at (202) 418-0217 or via the Internet at lesmith@fcc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Control Number: 3060-0532.
Title: Scanning Receiver Compliance Exhibit (Sections 2.1033(b)(11)) and 15.121).

Form Number: N/A.

Type of Review: Revision of currently approved collection.

Respondents: Individuals or households, Not-for-profit institutions;

Business or other for-profit entities; and State, Local or Tribal Government.

Number of Respondents: 40.

Estimated time per response: 1 hour (avg.).

Frequency of Response: On occasion reporting requirement; Third party disclosure.

Total Annual Burden: 40.

Total Annual Cost: \$2,000.

Needs and Uses: The collection of information contained in Part 2 are made necessary by revision of Section 2.1033(b)(11) of the Commission Rules governing regulations for scanning receivers. The Commission will require manufacturers of scanning receivers to design their equipment so that: it has 38 dB of image rejection for Cellular Service frequencies, tuning, control and filtering circuitry are inaccessible, and any attempt to modify the scanning receiver to receive Cellular Service transmissions will likely render the scanning receiver inoperable. In addition, the Commission will require that the manufacturer submit information with any application for certification that: describes the testing method used to determine compliance with the 38 dB image rejection ratio, contains a statement assessing the vulnerability of the scanning receiver to modification, describes the design features that prevent modification of the scanning receiver to receive Cellular Service transmissions, and describes the design steps taken to make tuning, control and filtering circuitry inaccessible. Moreover, the Commission will require that a label be affixed to the scanning receiver, similar to the following:

WARNING: MODIFICATION OF THIS DEVICE TO RECEIVE CELLULAR RADIOTELEPHONE SERVICE SIGNALS IS PROHIBITED UNDER FCC RULES AND FEDERAL LAW.

OMB Control Number: 3060-0878.

Title: Wireless E911 Rule Waivers For Handset-Based Approaches to Phase II Automatic Location Identification (ALI) Requirements.

Form Number: N/A.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit entities; Individuals or households; and State, Local, or Tribal Government.

Number of Respondents: 50.

Estimated Time per Response: 40 hours.

Frequency of Response: On occasion reporting requirement.

Total Annual Burden: 2,000 hours.

Total Annual Cost: None.

Needs and Uses: The information filed as part of a petition for waiver will

be used to ensure timely compliance with the Commission's E911 regulations, provide the Commission with current information on the status of ALI technology, and thus ensure the dependability and responsiveness of critical E911 services.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,

Secretary.

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Federal Advisory Committee

June 28, 1999.

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Technological Advisory Council (TAC) was established to provide technical advice to the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and to make recommendations on the issues and questions presented to it by the FCC. In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, Public Law 92-463, as amended, this notice advises interested persons that the charter for the Technological Advisory Council (TAC) has been amended to reflect minor changes in phrasing and a minor change in the original charter filing date from November 30, 1998 to December 11, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Stagg Newman, Designated Federal Officer of the Technological Advisory Council, 445 12th St. S.W., Room 7-A325, Washington, D.C. 20554; telephone (202) 418-2046. Press Contact, Audrey Spivak, Office of Public Affairs, 202-418-0512, aspivak@fcc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Technological Advisory Council Charter

A. The Committee's Official Designation

The official designation of this federal advisory committee is the "Technological Advisory Council" ("TAC").

B. The Committee's Objective and Scope of its Activity

Rapid advances in technology have resulted in innovations in how telecommunications services are provided to, and are accessed by, users of those services. Many of these advances are increasing the rate of