Deadline Established for Submission of Supplemental Information for April 1 Auction of Satellite Digital Audio Radio Service

Supplemental Information to be filed by 5:30 p.m., ET, March 18, 1997

Report No. AUC 97-02, Auction No. 15

By a Public Notice released on March 6, 1997, the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau ("Bureau") announced the April 1, 1997 auction of two nationwide licenses in the satellite Digital Audio Radio Service ("DARS"). See Public Notice, FCC Announces Auction of Satellite Digital Audio Radio Service, DA 97-477 (Rel. March 6, 1997). This Public Notice indicated that in order for bidders to be eligible to bid, they must, among other requirements, submit Supplemental Information in accordance with the Commission's rules and instructions contained in the Public Notice. The Bureau indicated that the Supplemental Information must be submitted by the fifth day from publication of the DARS rules in the Federal Register.

The DARS rules were published in the Federal Register on March 11, 1997. See Report and Order, Memorandum Opinion and Order, and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 62 Federal Register 11083 (March 11, 1997). Thus, the deadline for submission of the Supplemental Information is 5:30 p.m., ET, March 18, 1997. Auction applicants must file their Supplemental Information in hard copy. Whether the Supplemental Information is mailed, hand delivered or sent by private courier, it must be sent to:

Office of the Secretary
Attn: Auction 15 Supplemental Information Processing
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M. Street, N.W., Room 222
Washington, D.C. 20554
Failure to sign Supplemental Information will result in dismissal of the application and inability to participate in the auction. Only original signatures will be accepted.

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