On April 21, 2017, the Commission released an Order on Reconsideration in MB Docket Nos. 07–294, 10–103, and MD Docket No. 10–234 (323 and 323–E Order). The 323 and 323–E Order refines the collection of data reported on FCC Form 323, Ownership Report for Commercial Broadcast Stations, and FCC Form 323–E, Ownership Report for Noncommercial Broadcast Stations. Specifically, the 323 and 323–E Order implements a Restricted Use FRN (RUFRN) within the Commission’s Registration System (CORES) that individuals may use solely for the purpose of broadcast ownership report filings; eliminates the availability of the Special Use FRN (SUFRN) for broadcast station ownership reports, except in very limited circumstances; prescribes revisions to Form 323–E that conform the reporting requirements for noncommercial educational (NCE) broadcast stations more closely to those for commercial stations; and makes a number of significant changes to the Commission’s reporting requirements that reduce the filing burdens on broadcasters, streamline the process, and improve data quality.

On April 21, 2017, the Commission released an Order on Reconsideration in MB Docket No. 07–294 and MD Docket No. 10–23 (323–E Reconsideration Order). The 323–E Reconsideration Order expands the option to use SUFRNs on Form 323–E. This action addresses several petitions for reconsideration of the 323 and 323–E Order and properly balances the Commission’s need to improve the integrity and usability of its broadcast ownership data with the concerns raised in the petitions for reconsideration.

Licensees of noncommercial educational AM, FM, and television broadcast stations must file FCC Form 323–E every two years. Pursuant to the new filing procedures adopted in the 323 and 323–E Order, Form 323–E shall be filed by December 1 in all odd-numbered years. Form 323 shall be filed by December 1 in all odd-numbered years. On September 1, 2017, the Commission’s Media Bureau released an Order in MB Docket No. 07–294, DA 17–813, postponing the opening of the 2017 biennial filing window for the submission of broadcast ownership reports on FCC Forms 323 and 323–E and extending the 2017 filing deadline. Biennial Ownership Reports shall provide information accurate as of October 1 of the year in which the Report is filed.

In addition, Licensees and Permittees of noncommercial educational AM, FM, and television stations must file Form 323–E following the consummation of a transfer of control or an assignment of a noncommercial educational AM, FM, or television station license or construction permit; a Permittee of a new noncommercial educational AM, FM, or television station must file Form 323–E within 30 days after the grant of the construction permit; and a Permittee of a new noncommercial educational AM, FM, or television station must file Form 323–E to update the initial report or to certify the continuing accuracy and completeness of the previously filed report on the date that the Permittee applies for a license to cover the construction permit.

In the case of organizational structures that include holding companies or other forms of indirect ownership, a separate Form 323–E must be filed for each entity in the organizational structure that has an attributable interest in the Licensee or Permittee.

Memorandum, M–03–22 (September 22, 2003).

Needs Uses: On January 20, 2016, the Commission released a Report and Order, Second Report and Order, and Order on Reconsideration in MB Docket Nos. 07–294, 10–103, and MD Docket No. 10–234 (323 and 323–E Order). The 323 and 323–E Order refines the collection of data reported on FCC Form 323, Ownership Report for Commercial Broadcast Stations, and FCC Form 323–E, Ownership Report for Noncommercial Broadcast Stations. Specifically, the 323 and 323–E Order implements a Restricted Use FRN (RUFRN) within the Commission’s Registration System (CORES) that individuals may use solely for the purpose of broadcast ownership report filings; eliminates the availability of the Special Use FRN (SUFRN) for broadcast station ownership reports, except in very limited circumstances; prescribes revisions to Form 323–E that conform the reporting requirements for noncommercial educational (NCE) broadcast stations more closely to those for commercial stations; and makes a number of significant changes to the Commission’s reporting requirements that reduce the filing burdens on broadcasters, streamline the process, and improve data quality.

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| 1       | CONSUMER & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS. | Title: Advanced Methods to Target and Eliminate Unlawful Robocalls (CG Docket No. 17–57)). Summary: The Commission will consider a Report and Order that would express the Commission’s need to improve the integrity and usability of its broadcast ownership data with the concerns raised in the petitions for reconsideration.

2 | OFFICE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY, INTERNATIONAL AND WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS. | Title: Use of Spectrum Bands Above 24 GHz For Mobile Radio Services (GN Docket No. 14–177); Establishing a More Flexible Framework to Facilitate Satellite Operations in the 27.5–28.35 GHz and 37.5–40 GHz Bands (IB Docket No. 15–256); Amendment of Parts 1, 22, 24, 27, 74, 80, 90, 95, and 101 To Establish Uniform License Renewal, Discontinuance of Operation, and Geographic Partitioning and Spectrum Disaggregation Rules and Policies for Certain Wireless Radio Services (WT Docket No. 10–112); Allocation and Designation of Spectrum for Fixed-Satellite Services in the 37.5–38.5 GHz, 40.5–41.5 GHz and 48.2–50.2 GHz Frequency Bands; Allocation of Spectrum to Upgrade Fixed and Mobile Allocations in the 40.5–42.5 GHz Frequency Band; Allocations of Spectrum in the 49.0–50.0 GHz Frequency Band for Wireless Services; and Allocation of Spectrum in the 37.0–38.0 and 40.0–40.5 GHz for Government Operations (IB Docket No 97–95). Summary: The Commission will consider a Report and Order. Second Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, Order on Reconsideration, and Memorandum Opinion and Order that would make available 1,700 MHz of additional high-frequency spectrum for flexible terrestrial wireless use; provide 4 gigahertz for satellite use; and adopt, refine, or affirm a number of service rules to promote robust deployment in these bands, and a Second Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking seeking comment on certain related earth station, buildout, and licensing issues.

3 | WIRELINE TELECOMMUNICATIONS. | Title: Accelerating Wireless Broadband Deployment by Removing Barriers to Infrastructure Investment (WT Docket No. 17–79).
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Information Collections Being Reviewed by the Federal Communications Commission Under Delegated Authority

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: As part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burdens, and as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA), the Federal Communications Commission (FCC or Commission) invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following information collections. Comments are requested concerning: Whether the proposed collection of