

limitations on the withdrawal of capital from SDs as part of the SD capital requirements.

In implementing the provisions of Section 4s(f) of the CEA, the Proposal includes recordkeeping, reporting and notification requirements for SDs and MSPs relative to their respective capital requirements. The Proposal would also allow foreign SDs to comply with comparable capital requirements in the home jurisdiction under a program of substituted compliance.

In addition to proposing minimum capital and financial reporting requirements for SDs and MSPs, the Proposal would also amend existing capital requirements for FCMs to establish specific capital requirements for FCMs that engage in swaps or security-based swaps that are not cleared by a clearing organization. The Proposal also includes certain technical amendments to several regulations as part of the proposed capital and financial recordkeeping and reporting requirements.

## II. Extension of Comment Period

The comment period for the Proposal is due to expire on March 16, 2017. By letters dated February 24, 2017 and March 2, 2017, respectively, the Securities Industry and Financial Markets Association (SIFMA) and The Futures Industry Association (FIA), membership organizations representing many firms that would be affected by the Proposal, requested a 60-day extension of the comment period. In support of their requests, SIFMA and FIA explained that firms have extensive work to do in order to calculate the effect on their activities of the different types of proposed capital requirements. SIFMA further explained that the initial comment period overlaps with firms' year-end accounting and reporting cycles as well as with the deadline for firms' compliance with the Commission's uncleared swaps margin rules, resulting in a significant drain on

their resources. SIFMA and FIA noted that given the complexity of the Proposal it will require significant time beyond the Commission's initial March 16 comment deadline to fully assess the potential impact of the Proposal on firms' operations.

In light of the foregoing, and in response to the SIFMA and FIA requests, by this **Federal Register** release the Commission is extending the comment period for the Proposal for 60 days, until May 15, 2017.

Issued in Washington, DC, on March 13, 2017, by the Commission.

**Robert N. Sidman,**

*Deputy Secretary of the Commission.*

**Note:** The following appendix will not appear in the Code of Federal Regulations.

### Appendix to Capital Requirements of Swap Dealers and Major Swap Participants—Commission Voting Summary

On this matter, Acting Chairman Giancarlo and Commissioner Bowen voted in the affirmative. No Commissioner voted in the negative.

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### 47 CFR Parts 6, 7, 14, 20, 64, and 67

[CG Docket No. 16-145 and GN Docket No. 15-178; DA 17-197]

### Petition for Clarification, or in the Alternative Reconsideration of Action in Rulemaking Proceeding

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Petition for clarification or reconsideration.

**SUMMARY:** A Petition for Clarification, or in the Alternative Reconsideration (Petition) has been filed in the

Commission's rulemaking proceeding by T-Mobile USA, Inc.

**DATES:** Comments to the Petition must be filed on or before March 31, 2017. Reply Comments must be filed on or before April 10, 2017.

**ADDRESSES:** Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street SW., Washington, DC 20554.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a summary of the Commission's document DA 17-197, released February 27, 2017. The full text of the Petition is available for viewing and copying at the FCC Reference Information Center, 445 12th Street SW., Room CY-A257, Washington, DC 20554 or may be accessed online via the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System at: [https://ecfsapi.fcc.gov/file/102231846629100/T-Mobile%20RTT%20Petition%20for%20Clarification%20\(2-22-17\)%20FINAL.pdf](https://ecfsapi.fcc.gov/file/102231846629100/T-Mobile%20RTT%20Petition%20for%20Clarification%20(2-22-17)%20FINAL.pdf). The Commission will not send a copy of this document pursuant to the Congressional Review Act, 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A), because this document does not have an impact on any rules of particular applicability.

*Subject:* Transition from TTY to Real-Time Text Technology, FCC 16-169, published at 82 FR 7699, January 23, 2017 in CG Docket No. 16-145 and GN Docket No. 15-178. This document is being published pursuant to 47 CFR 1.429(e). See also 47 CFR 1.4(b)(1) and 1.429(f), (g).

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