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WIRELINE COMPETITION BUREAU AND OFFICE OF ECONOMICS AND ANALYTICS REVISE PUBLIC RELEASE VERSION OF TECHNICAL APPENDICES FOR INCARCERATED PEOPLE'S COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES DRAFT REPORT AND ORDER, ORDER ON RECONSIDERATION, CLARIFICATION AND WAIVER AND FURTHER NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING

WC Docket Nos. 23-62 and 12-375

By this Public Notice, the Wireline Competition Bureau and Office of Economics and Analytics announce the availability of revised public release versions of the technical appendices in connection with the draft circulated Report and Order, Order on Reconsideration, Clarification and Waiver, and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking. The circulated draft was released to the public on June 27, 2024 and is scheduled for consideration by the Commission at its July open meeting scheduled for Thursday, July 18, 2024. The revised technical appendices remove redaction of certain information deemed non-confidential subsequent to public release.

The revised technical appendices may be accessed at the following link: https://www.fcc.gov/document/bringing-common-sense-fairness-correctional-facility-phone-rates.

The Protective Order issued in these proceedings permits parties to designate certain material as confidential.³ Interested parties may access this confidential information pursuant to the procedures set forth in the 2023 IPCS Protective Order, including, among other things, by signing and dating the acknowledgement set forth in the appendix to the 2023 IPCS Protective Order agreeing to be bound by its terms.⁴ For more information on how to access confidential information, please see the 2023 IPCS Protective Order.⁵

¹ See Incarcerated People's Communications Services; Implementation of the Martha Wright-Reed Act; Rates for Interstate Inmate Calling Services, WC Docket Nos. 23-62 and 12-375, Report and Order, Order on Reconsideration, Clarification and Waiver, and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC-CIRC2407-01 (June 27, 2024) (Draft Order); Press Release, FCC Announces Tentative Agenda for July Open Meeting (June 27, 2024), https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/DOC-403537A1.pdf.

² The fact that some information is redacted in the revised technical appendices does not represent a decision by the Commission that the information is entitled to confidential treatment under our rules and may not be revealed publicly. *See* 47 CFR § 0.459.

³ See generally Incarcerated People's Communications Services; Implementation of the Martha Wright-Reed Act; Rates for Interstate Inmate Calling Services, WC Docket Nos. 23-62 and 12-375, Protective Order, 38 FCC Rcd 2498 (2023) (2023 IPCS Protective Order).

⁴ 2023 IPCS Protective Order, 38 FCC Rcd at 2500, para. 6.

⁵ See id.

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