

Commission issue a public notice soliciting comment on the PP Request.

In-Flight filed its PP Request in ET Docket No. 92-100 on October 30, 1992, seeking a preference in the 901-902 MHz and 940-941 MHz bands for a live ground-to-air audio news, information, and entertainment service for airline passengers. However, because the rules adopted in ET Docket No. 92-100 were not related to In-Flight's proposal, its PP Request was not acted upon by the Commission.

In May 1994, the Commission released a Notice of Inquiry (NOI) in ET Docket No. 94-32, seeking information on potential applications of 50 megahertz of transferred Federal Government spectrum; see 9 FCC Rcd 2175 and 59 FR 25589, May 17, 1994. In November 1994, a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking was released proposing the allocation of the spectrum; see 9 FCC Rcd 6779 and 59 FR 59393, November 17, 1994. A First Report and Order and Second Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (Second NPRM) was released in February 1995; see 10 FCC Rcd 4769 and 60 FR 13102, March 10, 1995. The Second NPRM proposes that the 4660-4685 MHz band be allocated for a General Wireless Communications Service (GWCS).

In its Petition, In-Flight argued that its PP Request should be considered in ET Docket No. 94-32 because the proposed service rules would allow it to apply for a license to provide its service in the 4660-4685 MHz band. In-Flight claimed that the service for which the preference is sought is identical in all relevant respects to the service it would provide as a GWCS licensee. In-Flight also requested that the Commission issue the recommended ruling well in advance of the August 10, 1995 statutory deadline for issuing final rules in ET Docket No. 94-32, so that the Commission would have sufficient time to decide whether to award a pioneer's preference to In-Flight.

In its Supplement, In-Flight notes that the Commission recently decided in ET Docket No. 93-266 that public notices would no longer be issued inviting comment on pioneer's preference requests—rather, such comment would be solicited in the notices of proposed rule making that propose to establish rules governing the services for which the preferences are sought; see Second Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rule Making, 10 FCC Rcd 4523 (1995) and 60 FR 13396, March 13, 1995. However, In-Flight states that because an NPRM has already been issued in Docket No. 94-32, the only way the Commission can give parties an

opportunity to comment on its PP Request is to issue a public notice.

We concur with In-Flight that due to the special circumstances surrounding its PP Request, issuance of a public notice is appropriate in this case. Accordingly, we are assigning file number PP-88 to the Request and invite comment on it and the Supplement. Comments must reference both PP-88 and ET Docket No. 94-32 on the cover page. Comments are due July 3, 1995, and reply comments are due July 13, 1995. We note that In-Flight's PP Request has been formally opposed. Accordingly, the PP Request constitutes a restricted Commission proceeding in which *ex parte* presentations are prohibited; see 47 CFR 1.1208(c).

In-Flight's PP Request, including the Supplement, is available for inspection in the FCC Reference Center, Room 239, 1919 M Street N.W., Washington, DC during regular business hours. This material may also be purchased from the Commission's duplication contractor, International Transcription Service, Inc., 2100 M Street, NW, Suite 140, Washington, DC 20036, (202) 857-3800. For further information, contact Thomas Derenge or Rodney Small in the Office of Engineering and Technology, (202) 739-0703 or (202) 776-1622, respectively.

Federal Communications Commission.

William F. Caton,
Acting Secretary.

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FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

[FEMA-1053-DR]

Illinois; Amendment to Notice of a Major Disaster Declaration

AGENCY: Federal Emergency
Management Agency (FEMA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice amends the notice of a major disaster for the State of Illinois (FEMA-1053-DR), dated May 30, 1995, and related determinations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 15, 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pauline C. Campbell, Response and Recovery Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-3606.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Notice is hereby given that the incident period for this disaster is closed effective June 15, 1995.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance No. 83.516, Disaster Assistance)

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Directorate.*

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[FEMA-1053-DR]

Illinois; Amendment to Notice of a Major Disaster Declaration

AGENCY: Federal Emergency
Management Agency (FEMA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice amends the notice of a major disaster for the State of Illinois, (FEMA-1053-DR), dated May 30, 1995, and related determinations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 16, 1995.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pauline C. Campbell, Response and Recovery Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-3606.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The notice of a major disaster for the State of Illinois dated May 30, 1995, is hereby amended to include Individual Assistance and Public Assistance in the following areas determined to have been adversely affected by the catastrophe declared a major disaster by the President in his declaration of May 30, 1995:

Madison and St. Clair for Public Assistance (already designated for Individual Assistance).

Alexander, Brown, Calhoun, Cass, Greene, Jackson, Jersey, Mason, Monroe, Morgan, Pike, Pulaski, Randolph, Schuyler, Scott, and Union for Public Assistance and Individual Assistance.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance No. 83.516, Disaster Assistance)

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Recovery Directorate.*

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[FEMA-1055-DR]

Kentucky; Major Disaster and Related Determinations

AGENCY: Federal Emergency
Management Agency (FEMA).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This is a notice of the Presidential declaration of a major disaster for the State of Kentucky (FEMA-1055-DR), dated June 13, 1995, and related determinations.

EFFECTIVE DATE: June 13, 1995.