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Petitions for Rule Making Filed

Five additional petitions for rule making that request opening the 930-931 MHz paging reserve band for narrowband data or paging services were released for public comment today. These requests were filed by: 1) Dial Page, Inc. (Dial Page) on October 11, 1991; 2) Mobile Telecommunication Technologies Corp. (Mtel) on November 12, 1991; 3) PacTel Paging [advanced architecture paging] (PacTel-AAP) on August 2, 1991; PacTel Paging [ground-to-air paging] (PacTel-GAP) on October 15, 1991; and 5) PageMart, Inc. (PageMart) on February 28, 1992. These petitions for rule making are consolidated into ET Docket No. 92-100.

Dial Page proposes a one-way "acknowledgment paging service" that would complement conventional one-way paging. Mtel proposes a two-way "nationwide wireless network service" that would permit high speed messaging and data communications. PacTel proposes a one-way "advanced architecture paging service" that would feature messaging and data communications and a "ground-to-air paging service" that would complement air-to-ground radiotelephone services. PageMart proposes a two-way "personal information messaging service" that would enable messaging and data communications.

The petitions have been assigned the following rule making numbers: Dial Page -- RM-7977; Mtel -- RM-7978; PacTel-AAP -- RM-7979; PacTel-GAP -- RM-7860; and PageMart -- RM-7980. Parties desiring to file statements opposing or supporting these petitions must reference both the rule making number and Docket 92-100 on the cover page of their statements. Statements must be submitted by June 1, 1992. Reply statements must be submitted by June 16, 1992.

These petitions are available for inspection in the ET Docket No. 92-100 file at the FCC public reference room (Room 239), 1919 M Street N.W., Washington, DC 20554. Copies of these petitions also may be obtained from Downtown Copy Center, (202) 452-1422. For further information, contact Carl Huie, Office of Engineering and Technology, (202) 653-8112.