

In the Matter of:

Amendment of Part 97 of the)
Commission's Rules to Facilitate Use in)
the Amateur Radio Service of Single) RM-11625
Slot Time Division Multiple Access)
Telephony and Data Emissions)

To: The Commission

I support the Petition For Rulemaking filed by the ARRL to facilitate the use of single-slot TDMA under Part 97 of the Commission's rules.

I urge the Commission adopt this proposal for the following reasons:

- The proposed changes remove an ambiguity in Part 97 concerning the use of single-slot TDMA technology in the Amateur Radio Service.
- The proposed changes move in the direction of enabling the flexible use of new technology and experimentation in the Amateur Radio Service.
- The proposed changes enable and encourage the adoption of spectrally-efficient narrowband technology.
- The proposed changes are, by design, narrow in scope and have little or no risk of producing any negative effect on the Amateur Radio Service.

Respectfully submitted,

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