

Environmental Technology,
University of Louisiana, Lafayette
4:30–5:00—Members Roundtable and
Participation Reports
5–5:15—“Where Do We Go From Here”
CAC Activities and Measures
Discussion
5:15–5:30—Participation and Plans for
Comprehensive Meeting
Meeting Calendar for remainder of
2002 and 2003
Adjourn

June 12, 2002

CAC Members Attend Comprehensive
Meeting of the Focus Teams
9:00–11:30—Plenary Session (Napoleon
Ballroom, Third Floor)
11:30–1—Break for lunch (free time)
1–5:00—All Focus Teams Meet
Public Health
Habitat
Invasive Species
Nutrient Enrichment

Thursday, June 13

8:30–3—All Focus Teams Meet (Lunch
11:30–12:30)
Public Health (with *Vibrio Vulnificus*
Education Sub-committee in a.m.)
Habitat
Invasive Species
Nutrient Enrichment
1–3—Citizens Advisory Committee
Wrap-up
• Discussion and Recommendations

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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

[FRL–7213–2]

Gulf of Mexico Program Comprehensive Meeting of the Focus Teams

AGENCY: Environmental Protection
Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: Under the Federal Advisory
Act, Public Law 92–463, EPA gives
notice of a Comprehensive Meeting of
the Gulf of Mexico Program (GMP)
Focus Teams (Public Health, Nutrient
Enrichment, Habitat, and Invasive
Species).

DATES: The Meeting will be held on
Wednesday, June 12, 2002, from 9 a.m.
to 11:30 a.m. (Plenary Session) and 1
p.m. to 5 p.m. (Focus Team Meetings),
and on Thursday, June 13, 2002, from 9
a.m. to 3 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at
the Hilton New Orleans Riverside Hotel,
Poydras at the Mississippi River, New
Orleans, Louisiana. (504–561–0500).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Gloria D. Car, Designated Federal
Officer, Gulf of Mexico Program Office,
Mail Code EPA/GMPO, Stennis Space
Center, MS 39529–P6000 at (228) 688–
2421.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Proposed
agenda is attached.

The meeting is open to the public.

Dated: May 13, 2002.

Gloria D. Car,
Designated Federal Officer.

Gulf of Mexico Program

*Comprehensive Meeting of the Focus
Teams, Hilton Riverside New Orleans,
June 12–13, 2002*

Draft Agenda

*Wednesday, June 12—Comprehensive
Meeting*

Data and Information Transfer Meeting,
8–9 Durham Board Room
Plenary Session, 9–11:30, Napoleon
Ballroom
Break for Lunch (free time), 11:30–1
Afternoon Sessions, 1–5
Public Health Focus Team—Melrose
Room
Habitat Focus Team—Jasperwood
Invasive Species—Rosedown
Nutrient Enrichment—Magnolia

Thursday, June 13—Final Day

NEP Directors Meeting, 8:30–12,
Durham Board Room
Public Health Focus Team Meeting,
Vibrio Vulnificus Subcommittee,
8:30–11:30, Rosedown Room
Invasive Species Transition Team
Meeting, 8:30–11:30 TBD
Citizens Advisory Committee, 1–3,
Rosedown Room
MMRC Meeting, 1–3, Durham Board
Room

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[CC Docket No. 96–45; DA 02–1005]

Wireline Competition Bureau Seeks Comment on Guam Cellular and Paging, Inc. d/b/a Saipancell Petition for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier on the Island of Saipan in the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands

AGENCY: Federal Communications
Commission.

ACTION: Notice; solicitation of
comments.

SUMMARY: This document seeks
comments on the Guam Cellular and

Paging, Inc. d/b/a Saipancell
(Saipancell) petition seeking
designation of eligibility to receive
federal universal service support for
service offered on the island of Saipan
in the Commonwealth of the Northern
Mariana Islands.

DATES: Comments are due on June 17,
2002. Reply comments are due on July
1, 2002.

ADDRESSES: See Supplementary
Information section for where and how
to file comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Mark G. Seifert, Deputy Chief,
Telecommunications Access Policy
Division, Wireline Competition Bureau,
(202) 418–7400, TTY: (202) 418–0484.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On
February 19, 2002, Guam Cellular and
Paging, Inc. d/b/a Saipancell
(Saipancell) filed with the Commission
a petition under section 214(e)(6)
seeking designation as an eligible
telecommunications carrier (ETC) to
receive federal universal service support
for service offered on the island of
Saipan in the Northern Mariana Islands.
The Commission issued a Public Notice,
67 FR 13332 (March 22, 2002), on
March 4, 2002 seeking comment on the
Saipancell Petition. Saipancell
subsequently filed an amendment to its
petition and at Saipancell's direction,
the Commission is tolling the filing of
the Saipancell Petition to April 15,
2002.

Saipancell contends that the CTC,
which has jurisdiction over
telecommunications in the Northern
Mariana Islands, has provided an
affirmative statement that it does not
regulate commercial mobile radio
service (CMRS) carriers, Saipancell
meets all the statutory and regulatory
prerequisites for ETC designation, and
designating Saipancell as an ETC will
serve the public interest.

Pursuant to § 54.207(c) of the
Commission's rules, Saipancell also
requests that the Commission redefine
the service area of the incumbent rural
local exchange carrier, Micronesian
Telephone Corporation (MTC). MTC
serves three islands in the Northern
Mariana Islands—Saipan, Tinian, and
Rota. Saipancell seeks redefinition of
the MTC service area to enable
Saipancell to be designated as an ETC
only for the island of Saipan. The
Wireline Competition Bureau seeks
comment on the Saipancell Petition,
including the requested service area
redefinition. Parties that have already
filed comments on the Saipancell
Petition may, but are not required to,
resubmit their comments.

The petitioner must provide copies of its petition to the CTC at the time of filing with the Commission. The Commission will also send a copy of this Public Notice to the CTC by overnight express mail to ensure that the CTC is notified of the notice and comment period.

Pursuant to §§ 1.415 and 1.419 of the Commission's rules, interested parties may file comments as follows: comments are due June 17, 2002, and reply comments are due July 1, 2002. Comments may be filed using the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS) or by filing paper copies. See *Electronic Filing of Documents in Rulemaking Proceedings*, 63 FR 24121 (May 1, 1998).

Comments filed through the ECFS can be sent as an electronic file via the Internet to <<http://www.fcc.gov/e-file/ecfs.html>>. Generally, only one copy of an electronic submission must be filed. If multiple docket or rulemaking numbers appear in the caption of this proceeding, however, commenters must transmit one electronic copy of the comments to each docket or rulemaking number referenced in the caption. In completing the transmittal screen, commenters should include their full name, U.S. Postal Service mailing address, and the applicable docket or rulemaking number. Parties may also submit an electronic comment by Internet e-mail. To get filing instructions for e-mail comments, commenters should send an e-mail to ecfs@fcc.gov, and should include the following words

in the body of the message, "get form <your e-mail address> ." A sample form and directions will be sent in reply. Parties who choose to file by paper must file an original and four copies of each filing. If more than one docket or rulemaking number appear in the caption of this proceeding, commenters must submit two additional copies for each additional docket or rulemaking number. Filings can be sent by hand or messenger delivery, by commercial overnight courier, or by first-class or overnight U.S. Postal Service mail (although we continue to experience delays in receiving U.S. Postal Service mail). The Commission's contractor, Vistrionix, Inc., will receive hand-delivered or messenger-delivered paper filings for the Commission's Secretary at 236 Massachusetts Avenue, NE., Suite 110, Washington, DC 20002. The filing hours at this location are 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. All hand deliveries must be held together with rubber bands or fasteners. Any envelopes must be disposed of before entering the building. Commercial overnight mail (other than U.S. Postal Service Express Mail and Priority Mail) must be sent to 9300 East Hampton Drive, Capitol Heights, MD 20743. U.S. Postal Service first-class mail, Express Mail, and Priority Mail should be addressed to 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554. All filings must be addressed to the Commission's Secretary, Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission.

Parties also must send three paper copies of their filing to Sheryl Todd,

Telecommunications Access Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, 445 Twelfth Street SW., Room 5-B540, Washington, DC 20554. In addition, commenters must send diskette copies to the Commission's copy contractor, Qualex International, Portals II, 445 Twelfth Street, SW., Room CY-B402, Washington, DC 20054.

Pursuant to 47 CFR 1.1206, this proceeding will be conducted as a permit-but-disclose proceeding in which *ex parte* communications are permitted subject to disclosure.

Federal Communications Commission.

Mark G. Seifert,

Deputy Chief, Telecommunications Access Policy.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

May 9, 2002.

Open Commission Meeting; Thursday, May 16, 2002

The Federal Communications Commission will hold an Open Meeting on the subjects listed below on Thursday, May 16, 2002 which is scheduled to commence at 9:30 a.m. in Room TW-C305, at 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC.

Item No.	Bureau	Subject
1	Wireline Competition	<i>Title:</i> Section 272(f)(1) Sunset of the BOC Separate Affiliate and Related Requirements. <i>Summary:</i> The Commission will consider a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking concerning section 272.
2	Media	<i>Title:</i> Amendment of Eligibility Requirements in Part 78 Regarding 12 GHz Cable Television Relay Service (CS Docket No. 99-250; RM-9257). <i>Summary:</i> The Commission will consider a Report and Order allowing private cable operators to use frequencies in the 12 GHz band of the Cable Television Relay Service (CARS).
3	Media	<i>Title:</i> Requests for Extension of the October 5, 2001, Digital Television Construction Deadline. <i>Summary:</i> The Commission will consider an Order concerning extension of the October 5, 2001, digital television construction deadline filed by certain network-affiliated television stations located in the top thirty television markets and a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking on remedial steps for failure to comply with the DTV construction schedule.
4	Office of Engineering and Technology.	<i>Title:</i> Amendment of Part 15 of the Commission's Rules Regarding Spread Spectrum Devices (ET Docket No. 99-231). <i>Summary:</i> The Commission will consider a Second Report and Order concerning regulations for spread spectrum systems.
5	Wireless Tele-Communications	<i>Title:</i> Amendments to Parts 1, 2, 27 and 90 of the Commission's Rules to License Services in the 216-220 MHz, 1390-1395 MHz, 1427-1429 MHz, 1429-1432 MHz, 1432-1435 MHz, 1670-1675 MHz, and 2385-2390 MHz Government Transfer Bands (WT Docket No. 02-8; RM-9267, RM-9692, RM-9797, RM-9854, RM-9882).