

Section 106 of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) in meeting the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (NEPA). Pursuant to 36 CFR 800.8(c), the NRC intends to use its process and documentation for the preparation of the EIS on the proposed action to comply with Section 106 of the NHPA in lieu of the procedures set forth at 36 CFR 800.3 through 800.6.

This notice advises the public that the NRC intends to gather the information necessary to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for construction and operation of the proposed SHINE radioisotope production facility. Possible alternatives to the proposed action (construction and operation of the proposed SHINE facility) include no action, alternative sites, and alternative technologies to produce radioisotopes. This notice is being published in accordance with NEPA and the NRC's regulations found at 10 CFR part 51.

The NRC will first conduct a scoping process for the EIS and, as soon as practicable thereafter, will prepare a draft EIS for public comment. Participation in the scoping process by members of the public and local, State, Tribal, and Federal government agencies is encouraged. The scoping process for the EIS will be used to accomplish the following:

- a. Define the proposed action, which is to be the subject of the EIS;
- b. Determine the scope of the EIS and identify the significant issues to be analyzed in depth;
- c. Identify and eliminate from detailed study those issues that are peripheral or that are not significant;
- d. Identify any environmental assessments and other EISs that are being or will be prepared that are related to, but are not part of, the scope of the EIS being considered;
- e. Identify other environmental review and consultation requirements related to the proposed action;
- f. Indicate the relationship between the timing of the preparation of the environmental analyses and the Commission's tentative planning and decision-making schedule;
- g. Identify any cooperating agencies and, as appropriate, allocate assignments for preparation, and schedules for completing the EIS to the NRC and any cooperating agencies; and
- h. Describe how the EIS will be prepared and include any contractor assistance to be used.

The NRC invites the following entities to participate in scoping:

- a. The applicant, SHINE;

- b. Any Federal agency that has jurisdiction by law or special expertise with respect to any environmental impact involved or that is authorized to develop and enforce relevant environmental standards;

- c. Affected State and local government agencies, including those authorized to develop and enforce relevant environmental standards;

- d. Any affected Indian tribe;

- e. Any person who requests or has requested an opportunity to participate in the scoping process; and

- f. Any person who has petitioned or intends to petition for leave to intervene.

In accordance with 10 CFR 51.26, the scoping process for an EIS may include a public scoping meeting to help identify significant issues related to a proposed activity and to determine the scope of issues to be addressed in an EIS. The NRC has decided to hold public meetings for the SHINE environmental review on July 17, 2013. The first meeting will begin with an open house from 12:30 p.m. until 1:30 p.m., followed by an NRC presentation and opportunity to hear public comments from 1:30 p.m. until 3:30 p.m., as necessary. The second meeting will begin with an open house from 6:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m., followed by a repeat of NRC's earlier presentation and opportunity to hear public comments from 7:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m., as necessary. Both sessions will be held at the Rotary Botanical Gardens, 1455 Palmer Dr., Janesville, Wisconsin 53545.

Both meetings will be transcribed and will include: (1) An overview by the NRC staff of the NEPA environmental review process, the proposed scope of the EIS, and the proposed review schedule; and (2) the opportunity for interested government agencies, organizations, and individuals to submit comments or suggestions on the environmental issues or the proposed scope of the EIS. Additionally, the NRC staff will host informal discussions during the open house one hour prior to the start of each session at the same location. No formal comments on the proposed scope of the EIS will be accepted during the informal discussions. To be considered, comments must be provided either at the transcribed public meetings or in writing, as discussed in the **ADDRESSES** section of this notice.

Persons may register to attend or present oral comments at the meetings on the scope of the NEPA review by contacting the NRC Environmental Project Manager, Michelle Moser, by telephone at 800-368-5642, ext. 6509, or by email at [Michelle.Moser@nrc.gov](mailto:Michelle.Moser@nrc.gov),

no later than July 3, 2013. Members of the public may also register to speak at the meeting within 15 minutes of the start of each session. Individual oral comments may be limited by the time available, depending on the number of persons who register. Members of the public who have not registered may also have an opportunity to speak if time permits. Public comments will be considered in the scoping process for the EIS. Michelle Moser will need to be contacted no later than July 10, 2013, if special equipment or accommodations are needed to attend or present information at the public meeting so that the NRC staff can determine whether the request can be accommodated.

Participation in the scoping process for the EIS does not entitle participants to become parties to the proceeding to which the EIS relates. Matters related to participation in any hearing are outside the scope of matters to be discussed at this public meeting. The notice of acceptance for docketing of the application and a description of the hearing process will be published separately in the **Federal Register**.

Dated at Rockville, Maryland, this 24th day of June, 2013.

For the Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

**Melanie Wong,**

*Chief, Environmental Guidance and Review Branch, Division of License Renewal, Office of Nuclear Reactor Regulation.*

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## POSTAL SERVICE

### Product Change—Priority Mail Negotiated Service Agreement

**AGENCY:** Postal Service™.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Postal Service gives notice of filing a request with the Postal Regulatory Commission to add a domestic shipping services contract to the list of Negotiated Service Agreements in the Mail Classification Schedule's Competitive Products List.

**DATES:** *Effective date:* July 1, 2013.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Elizabeth A. Reed, 202-268-3179.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The United States Postal Service® hereby gives notice that, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 3642 and 3632(b)(3), on June 25, 2013, it filed with the Postal Regulatory Commission a *Request of the United States Postal Service to Add Priority Mail Contract 60 to Competitive Product List*. Documents are available at

www.prc.gov, Docket Nos. MC2013–54, CP2013–70.

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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

[Investment Company Act Release No. 30567; File No. 812–14066]

### ACS Wireless, Inc.; Notice of Application

**AGENCY:** Securities and Exchange Commission (“Commission”).

**ACTION:** Notice of application under section 3(b)(2) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 (“Act”).

*Summary of Application:* ACS Wireless, Inc. (“ACS Wireless”) seeks an order under section 3(b)(2) of the Act declaring it to be primarily engaged in a business other than that of investing, reinvesting, owning, holding or trading in securities. ACS Wireless is primarily engaged in providing wireless communications services.

*Applicant:* ACS Wireless, Inc.

**DATES:** *Filing Dates:* The application was filed on August 3, 2012, and amended on January 30, 2013, and June 24, 2013.

*Hearing or Notification of Hearing:* An order granting the application will be issued unless the Commission orders a hearing. Interested persons may request a hearing by writing to the Commission’s Secretary and serving applicant with a copy of the request, personally or by mail. Hearing requests should be received by the Commission by 5:30 p.m. on July 18, 2013, and should be accompanied by proof of service on applicant, in the form of an affidavit or, for lawyers, a certificate of service. Hearing requests should state the nature of the writer’s interest, the reason for the request, and the issues contested. Persons who wish to be notified of a hearing may request notification by writing to the Commission’s Secretary.

**ADDRESSES:** Elizabeth M. Murphy, Secretary, U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission, 100 F Street, NE., Washington, DC 20549–1090; Applicant: 600 Telephone Avenue, Anchorage, AK 99503–6091.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Deepak T. Pai, Senior Counsel, at (202) 551–6876, or Mary Kay Frech, Branch Chief, at (202) 551–6821 (Division of Investment Management, Exemptive Applications Office).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The following is a summary of the application. The complete application may be obtained via the Commission’s Web site by searching for the file number, or an applicant using the Company name box, at <http://www.sec.gov/search/search.htm> or by calling (202) 551–8090.

#### *Applicant’s Representations:*

1. ACS Wireless, an Alaska corporation, was incorporated on July 31, 1995 under the name MACTEL INC. Alaska Communications Systems Group, Inc. (“ACS Group”), an Anchorage, Alaska-based telecommunications company listed on the NASDAQ Stock Market, purchased MACTEL INC. in May 1999 and renamed it ACS Wireless, Inc. ACS Wireless has since operated as a wholly-owned subsidiary of ACS Group, held through ACS Group’s wholly-owned subsidiary Alaska Communications Systems Holdings, Inc. (“ACS Holdings”). ACS Wireless states that it is an Alaska-based telecommunications company that is primarily engaged in providing wireless communications services and is not presently an investment company as defined in section 3(a) of the Act.

2. On June 4, 2012, ACS Group, ACS Wireless, and General Communications, Inc. (“GCI”) and GCI Wireless Holdings, LLC (“GCI Wireless”) agreed to form a joint venture in which each would contribute substantially all the assets used in its wireless businesses (other than its retail wireless business) and certain related telecommunications transport assets to a newly formed limited liability company, The Alaska Wireless Network, LLC (“AWN”) (the “Transaction”). ACS Wireless will sell or license certain assets used primarily in ACS Group’s wireless activities and its related data transport business to GCI for \$100 million in cash. ACS Wireless will transfer to AWN all remaining tangible and intangible assets owned, leased or held by ACS Wireless or any of its affiliates used primarily in connection with the conduct of ACS Group’s wireless activities (other than its retail wireless business) and its related data transport business. Upon completion of the Transaction, ACS Wireless will become a member of AWN, and AWN will be owned 66⅔% by GCI Wireless and 33⅓% by ACS Wireless. Under the terms of the Transaction, AWN will be primarily engaged in providing wholesale wireless communications services to its members. The Transaction agreements contemplate that the Transaction will close no later than the third quarter of 2013.

3. Applicant submits that the Transaction will not change the fundamental nature of its business, which is providing wireless telecommunications services to consumers and businesses in Alaska. Under section 2(a)(9) of the Act, ACS Wireless will presumptively “control” AWN because it will own more than 25% of the company’s voting securities and will exercise a controlling influence over the management or policies of AWN through ACS Group’s position on the board of directors and through certain contractual rights that prevent AWN from taking significant actions without the approval of ACS Wireless.<sup>1</sup>

#### *Applicant’s Legal Analysis:*

1. Under section 3(a)(1)(C) of the Act, an issuer is an investment company if it is engaged or proposes to engage in the business of investing, reinvesting, owning, holding or trading in securities, and owns or proposes to acquire investment securities having a value in excess of 40% of the value of the issuer’s total assets (exclusive of Government securities and cash items) on an unconsolidated basis. Section 3(a)(2) of the Act defines investment securities to include all securities except Government securities, securities issued by employees’ securities companies, and securities issued by majority-owned subsidiaries of the owner which are not investment companies and which are not excepted from the definition of investment company in section 3(c)(1) or 3(c)(7) of the Act.

2. At present, ACS Wireless is not an investment company as defined in section 3(a) of the Act because none of its total assets (other than U.S. government securities and cash items) on an unconsolidated basis, as of December 31, 2012, consist of investment securities. ACS Wireless states that as a result of the Transaction, however, it will in effect have converted the majority of its existing assets into assets that may constitute an investment security in a controlled, but not primarily controlled, entity. The book value of ACS Wireless’ interest in AWN is anticipated to constitute substantially more than 50% of its total unconsolidated assets, with the remaining portion consisting of its retail-related wireless assets as well as certain directly-owned assets. Applicant states that the assets to be contributed by ACS Wireless to AWN will cause the

<sup>1</sup> Section 2(a)(9) of the Act defines “control” as the power to exercise a controlling influence over the management or policies of a company, and creates a presumption that an owner of more than 25% of the outstanding voting securities of a company controls the company.