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WIRELESS TELECOM ACTION

TEXAS PUBLIC SAFETY PLANNING COMMITTEE (REGION 51) ANNOUNCES FIRST MEETING

In accordance with provisions contained in The Development of Operational, Technical and Spectrum Requirements For Meeting Federal, State and Local Public Safety Agency Communications Requirements For Priority Access Service, *First Report and Order* and *Third Notice of Proposed Rulemaking*, WT Docket No. 96-86, 14 FCC Rcd 152, 190 ¶ 77, the FCC has adopted a regional planning approach to spectrum management for specific channels though-out the 700 MHz band.

By this notice, the Region 51 (Texas - Houston) 700 MHz Public Safety Planning Committee announces that its first meeting will be held on November 8, 2000 at 9:00 a.m., C.S.T., at the George R. Brown Convention Center General Assembly Room C, 1001 Avenida de las Americas, Houston, Texas. The purpose of the meeting is to begin the formation of a coordinated regional plan for Region 51, Texas – Houston, including the counties of Shelby, Nacogdoches, San Augustine, Sabine, Houston, Trinity, Angelina, Walker, San Jacinto, Polk, Tyler, Jasper, Newton, Montgomery, Liberty, Hardin, Orange, Waller, Harris, Chambers, Jefferson, Galveston, Brazoria, Fort Bend, Austin, Colorado, Wharton and Matagorda.

All parties having Public Safety interests within Region 51 are encouraged to attend. For further information, please contact:

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Additional information about 700 MHz National/Regional Planning and related matters can be found on the Public Safety web site located at: http://www.fcc.gov/wtb/publicsafety/700MHz/.

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