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## COMMENT CYCLE ESTABLISHED FOR BUREAU'S PUBLIC NOTICE REGARDING CONNECT AMERICA PHASE II

WC Docket No. 10-90

**Comment Date: February 19, 2013**  
**Reply Comment Date: March 4, 2013**

On December 27, 2012, the Commission released a public notice regarding Connect America Phase II, specifically addressing and seeking comment on what areas should be eligible for Phase II and what procedures should govern making a statewide commitment in Phase II.<sup>1</sup>

The Commission set the comment and reply comment deadlines for the *Connect America Phase II PN* as 30 and 45 days, respectively, after publication of the summary of the further notice in the Federal Register.<sup>2</sup> On January 18, 2013, a summary of the *Connect America Phase II PN* appeared in the Federal Register.<sup>3</sup> Accordingly, **comments will be due on February 19, 2013, and reply comments will be due on March 4, 2013.**

For comment filing requirements, please consult the *Connect America Phase II PN*.<sup>4</sup> For further information regarding this proceeding, contact Ryan Yates, Wireline Competition Bureau, Telecommunications Access Policy Division, [ryan.yates@fcc.gov](mailto:ryan.yates@fcc.gov), 202-418-0886.

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<sup>1</sup> *Wireline Competition Bureau Seeks Comment on Procedures Relating to Areas Eligible for Funding and Election to Make a Statewide Commitment in Phase II of the Connect America Fund*, WC Docket No. 10-90, Public Notice, DA 12-2075 (Wireline Comp. Bur. Dec. 27, 2012) (*Connect America Phase II PN*).

<sup>2</sup> *Id.*

<sup>3</sup> See *Connect America Phase II Public Notice*, 78 Fed. Reg. 4,100 (Jan. 18, 2013).

<sup>4</sup> See *Connect America Phase II PN* at paras. 28-33.