NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:**  Federal Communications Commission (FCC) [2177]  **Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:**  Please submit comments to: USA WTO TBT Enquiry Point, Email: [usatbtep@nist.gov](mailto:usatbtep@nist.gov) |
| **3.** | **Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], 3.2 [ ], 7.2 [ ], other:** |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** Radio service operations in the 3550-3700 MHz Band; Radiocommunications (ICS code(s): 33.060); Satellite (ICS code(s): 33.070.40); Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) (ICS code(s): 33.100) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Promoting Investment in the 3550-3700 MHz Band; (14 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** Notice of proposed rulemaking - In this document the Federal Communications Commission (FCC or Commission) continues to shape development of the Citizens Broadband Radio Service operations in the 3.55-3.7 GHz band (3.5 GHz band). This Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) provides an overview of the federal protection regime implemented by the National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA), Department of Defense (DoD), and Commission staff and solicits input on proposals to update the technical and service rules. It also seeks commenters' ideas for further innovations and improvements to the 3.5 GHz band. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** National security requirements; Cost saving and productivity enhancement |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**  89 Federal Register (FR) 72780, 9 September 2024; [Title 47](https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-47) Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Parts [90](https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-47/chapter-I/subchapter-D/part-90) and [96](https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-47/chapter-I/subchapter-D/part-96):  <https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2024-09-06/html/2024-19846.htm>  <https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2024-09-06/pdf/2024-19846.pdf>  <https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/FCC-24-86A1.pdf>  This notice of proposed rulemaking is identified by [GN Docket No. 17-258](https://www.fcc.gov/edocs/search-results?t=quick&dockets=17-258); [FCC 24-86](https://www.fcc.gov/edocs/search-results?t=quick&fccdaNo=24-86). The full text of the proposed rule is available from the Commission's website at <https://docs.fcc.gov/public/attachments/FCC-24-86A1.pdf>. Documents are also accessible from the FCC's [Electronic Document Management System (EDOCS)](https://www.fcc.gov/edocs) by searching the Docket Number. Comments are due on or before [4pm](http://time-time.net/times/time-zones/usa-canada/current-eastern-time-est.php) [Eastern Time](https://24timezones.com/time-zone/et) 7 October 2024 and reply comments are due on or before [4pm](http://time-time.net/times/time-zones/usa-canada/current-eastern-time-est.php) [Eastern Time](https://24timezones.com/time-zone/et) on 5 November 2024. WTO Members and their stakeholders are asked to submit comments to the [USA TBT Enquiry Point](mailto:usatbtep@nist.gov) by or before [4pm](http://time-time.net/times/time-zones/usa-canada/current-eastern-time-est.php) [Eastern Time](https://24timezones.com/time-zone/et) on 5 November 2024. Comments received by the USA TBT Enquiry Point from WTO Members and their stakeholders will be shared with FCC and will also be submitted to the FCC's [Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS)](https://www.fcc.gov/ecfs/filings/standard) if received within the comment period. |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** To be determined  **Proposed date of entry into force:** To be determined |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** 5 November 2024; Interested parties may file comments on or before 7 October 2024; and reply comments on or before 5 November 2024. |
| **11.** | **Texts available from: National enquiry point [ ] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/TBT/USA/24_05914_00_e.pdf>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/TBT/USA/24_05914_01_e.pdf> |