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STATEMENT OF COMMISSIONER MICHAEL O'RIELLY ON THE PUBLIC NOTICE SEEKING INFORMATION ON CURRENT TRENDS IN LTE-U AND LAA TECHNOLOGY

Today's public notice walks a fine line between reasonable oversight and inappropriate interference with the standards setting process. The decision to jump into this space rather casually causes me great concern. In particular, any step that could insert the Commission into the standards work for LTE-U comes with great risk. I will be vigilant in ensuring that the Commission's involvement does not result in taking sides with various stakeholders, hindering technological innovation, or having any say about what technologies should or should not be deployed.