

Part 90 Refarming (Narrowbanding) Updated 579009 Publication

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579009 Update

- Recent FCC OET consultation with FCC Wireless Bureau staff confirmed that the Jan. 1, 2015 expiration date of DA-13-431 waiver is in effect
- All applications and devices must conform with refarming narrowbanding rules 90.203(j)(2) through 90.203(j)(10)
- DA-13-431 waiver expired:
 - 90.203(j)(4)(iii)-(iv) and (j)(5) equipment operating on 25 kHz channels be capable of operating with the equivalent of four voice channels
 - 90.203(j)(4)(ii) equipment operating on 12.5 kHz channels be capable of operating on 6.25 kHz channels



579009 D03 Publication

- 579009 D03 new attachment
 - Updates and replaces the preceding 579009 D02 (Apr. 2013)
 - Updates and replaces the html text of the preceding version
- 579009 D03 key features / scope
 - Sections I to IV are the former html policies and procedures, updated mostly editorially
 - Sections V to VII are from former 579009 D02, with minor editorial updates
 - Table 1 is a new format summary of the channel bandwidths per VHF and UHF sub-bands



Rule and Freq. Grant Listings

- TCBs are reminded please to ensure to apply KDB Pubs. 634817 and 149672
 - KDB Pub. 634817 (frequencies on grants)
 - For clarifying the scope of a grant, frequencies available for licensed operations must be identified and supported by filing contents
 - KDB Pub. 149672 (rule parts on grants)
 - Grants listing multiple rule parts per line entry must provide explicit/direct compliance demonstrations for each rule part