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To:
Federal Communications Commission
Authorization & Evaluation Division
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There is a conflict in the spectrum allocation that reduces the options available to government agencies when purchasing commercial equipment which meets the requirements and specifications for the Department of Interiors Digital Radio Contract.

Government agencies complying with the NTIA instead of the FCC must purchase their equipment from private industry manufacturers who are governed under FCC rules.

Comprod is aware of the technical requirements of Part 90 of the UHF spectrum for the frequency range of 406-512 MHz. We would like the FCC to use the same test requirements for the 380-406 and 406.1-445 MHz spectrum including the part 90 extended frequencies. This would increase the abilities of the agencies under the NTIA spectrum.

Part 90 "extended" frequencies
380-401MHz part 25
401-402MHz part 95
420-450MHz part 97

Comprod would like to see the Part 90 requirements to be used for all these other frequency bands and also the small frequency bands that are not included within this list. Therefore commercial equipment can comply with FCC requirements for the 380-406 and 406.1-445 MHz spectrums.

Please take our letter into account on this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Fernando Apolinario".

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