

1. Telecommunication Products: G/TBT/N/USA/1727/Rev.1/Add.2 dated 20 September 2023

Notifying Member	United States of America
Type of Notification	Addendum to Regular Notification
Economic relevance	Very High
Technical Relevance	Technical-New

Proposal in brief

- a. On May 19, 2023, the Commission released a Report and Order and
 - a. Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (in WT Docket No. 20–443) and
 - b. Notice of Proposed Rulemaking and Order (in GN Docket No. 22–352).
- b. In the Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (FNPRM) the Commission further investigates the potential to expand terrestrial fixed use or to permit unlicensed use in the 500 megahertz of mid-band spectrum at 12.2–12.7 GHz (12.2 GHz band).
- c. In the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM), to further its efforts to make spectrum available for terrestrial mobile service or other expanded use, the Commission proposes to repurpose some or all of the 12.7–13.25 GHz (12.7 GHz band) for mobile broadband or other expanded use.
- d. Comments in response to the FNPRM and the NPRM are due on August 9, 2023, while reply comments are due on September 8, 2023.
- e. There was a request for extending the time for filing comments beyond August 9, 2023. It was rejected.
- f. On 23 August, a request was made seeking extension for time for filing reply comments from 8 September 2023 to 10 October 2023. This request has now been rejected.

Analysis

- a. The time limit for filing comments and reply to comments have expired. Still, if the stakeholders have any technical comments on the original proposal that was circulated by USA in 2021, the same may be offered to MOC and if there is a need, MOC may examine and take up with USA appropriately.