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NETWORK RELIABILITY AND INTEROPERABILITY COUNCIL TO HOLD ITS THIRD MEETING UNDER ITS RENEWED CHARTER

The FCC's Network Reliability and Interoperability Council ("Council") will hold a meeting on Monday, December 6, 2004, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the Commission Meeting Room, TW-C305 at 445 12th Street, S.W., Washington, D.C.

The Council was established by the Federal Communications Commission to bring together leaders of the telecommunications industry and telecommunications experts from academic, consumer, and other organizations to explore and recommend measures that will enhance network security and reliability.

At this third meeting under the Council's new charter, the Council will discuss the progress of working groups. The agenda is attached.

Members of the general public may attend the meeting. The Federal Communications Commission will attempt to accommodate as many people as possible. Admittance, however, will be limited to the seating available. Unless so requested by the Council's Chair, there will be no public oral participation, but the public may submit written comments to Jeffery Goldthorp, the Federal Communications Commission's Designated Federal Officer for the Network Reliability and Interoperability Council, before the meeting. Mr. Goldthorp's U.S. Postal Service mail address is Jeffery Goldthorp, Chief, Network Technology Division, Office of Engineering and Technology, Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, SW., Room 7-A325, Washington, DC 20554. Mr. Goldthorp's e-mail address is Jeffery@Goldthorp@fcc.gov.

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NETWORK RELIABILITY AND INTEROPERABILITY COUNCIL (NRIC) VII
Monday, December 6, 2004
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street Southwest, Washington D.C.
Commission Meeting Room (12th Street entrance)
10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Call to order…………………………………………..Tim Donahue

Opening……………………………………………….Jeff Goldthorp

Opening Remarks…………………………………….Tim Donahue

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Approval of Minutes…………………………………Tim Donahue

Presentations, Overview……………………………..Nancy Carlsen

Focus Group 4, Broadband..Mary Retka

Focus Group 3A, Wireless Network Best Practices…….Karl Rauscher & John Quigley

Focus Group 3B, Public Data Network Best Practices….Karl Rauscher & David Frigeri

Focus Group 2B, Homeland Security/Cyber-Security….Dr. Bill Hancock
    Best Practices

Focus Group 1D, Future E9-1-1 Architecture…………..RoxAnn Brown

Focus Group 1A, Accuracy Testing……………………Mary Boyd

Closing Comments……………………………………Tim Donahue

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Adjourn………………………………………………Jeff Goldthorp