

1.2 Publication Update & Administrative Notes

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Presentation Overview

- Publications since Oct Workshop
- Administrative Notes
 - TCB Audit Request
 - Category Selection
 - PAG vs MPAG
 - HAC Update
 - New Inquiry Categories (Forthcoming)



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Publications Since Oct Workshop

- 447498 RF Exposure, note added to Pub. Session 4.2 to follow.
- 680106 Wireless Power Transfer (WPT), note added to Pub. Session 4.1 to follow.
- 986446 Covered Eq. V01/V02 FCC 22-84. Session 5.3 to follow.
- 987594 6 GHz Draft DR02-45002. Session 3.6.1 & 2 to follow.
- 996369 Module Draft DR09. Session 3.8 to follow.
- 971168 Lic. Xmt. Session 3.3 to follow.
- 285076 HAC Update. DA 23-327 extended requiring C63.19-2019 from June 5, 2023, to December 5, 2023.

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TCB Audit Request

- Requesting audit mode not initiated by the FCC:
 - ✓ Why is it vital for demonstrating FCC compliance?
 - \checkmark Identify the reason for what is to be changed.
 - \checkmark Identify what and where the item is to change.
- Category Selection
 - Reminder use the correct Categories.
- PAG vs MPAG
 - Do not submit separate PAGs when multiple PAG process is applicable.

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Equipment Compliance Review (ECR)

- A new KDB "first category" named Equipment Compliance Review (ECR) will be introduced.
- This category includes all the inquiries that need to be submitted because FCC policy, as stated in various KDB Publications.
- ECR inquiries are not meant for general questions originating from inquirers, but only for providing specific information as requested by FCC policies in relation to some compliance aspect of equipment seeking authorization.

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Equipment Compliance Review (ECR)

- The ECR first category will have several sub-categories (or second category).
- Presently the following second categories under ECR are being considered:
 - Persistent Inquiry Approval→ Acceptance: for new 6 GHZ policy (Session 3.6).
 - Wireless Power Transfer: as requested in the forthcoming KDB Publication 680106, both for SDoC and certification.
 - Mobile/Portable Minimum Distance: per forthcoming KDB 447498v07.
 - Data referencing: per forthcoming KDB Publication 484596 D01 v02.

New Application Guidance (NAG)

Another new first category named "New Application Guidance" (NAG) is for covering the requests for obtaining FCC concurrence for a product design that that requires a "PAG" and that will later be submitted for certification by a TCB.

- The NAG inquiry provides a level of confidence that an eventual PAG may be approved by FCC staff when submitted by the TCB.
- The NAG inquiry shall contain the same detail as would be required by the actual PAG item submitted by the TCB.

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New Application Guidance (NAG)

- The NAG first category will have several second categories.
- The applications that require PAG may only refer to NAG inquiry that received positive FCC reply.
- References to other "general" KDB replies will not be considered valid, except for those filed as NAG category before June 1, 2023.
- Any procedure, technical changes or changes to the conditions to the original acceptance will require a new NAG Inquiry.
- At the FCC discretion, the applicant may be requested to re-file an older inquiry under the new NAG category for the purpose of easier administration process.



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