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| **Purpose/Objective:** To provide an informative U.S. summary to the FCC’s SCS R&O |
| **Abstract:** This R&O establishes a domestic regulatory frameworkto enable collaborations between satellite operators and terrestrial service providers to offer ubiquitous connectivity, directly to consumer handsets using spectrum previously allocated only to terrestrial service. SCS would enable expanded coverage to a terrestrial licensee’s subscribers, especially in remote, unserved, and underserved areas, and would increase the availability of emergency communications. |