

**(2) Commission**

The term “Commission” means the Federal Communications Commission.

**(3) Covered rural service area licensing proceeding**

The term “covered rural service area licensing proceeding” means the proceeding of the Commission for the grant of cellular radio-telephone licenses for rural service areas #492 (Minnesota 11), #370 (Florida 11), and #615 (Pennsylvania 4).

**(4) Tentative selectee**

The term “tentative selectee” means a party that has been selected by the Commission under a licensing proceeding for grant of a license, but has not yet been granted the license because the Commission has not yet determined whether the party is qualified under the Commission’s rules for grant of the license.

(Pub. L. 106-553, §1(a)(2) [title X, §1007], Dec. 21, 2000, 114 Stat. 2762, 2762A-138.)

## REFERENCES IN TEXT

This chapter, referred to subsec. (c), was in the original “this Act”, and was translated as reading “this title”. See References in Text note set out under section 1101 of this title.

**§ 1107. Sunset**

No loan guarantee may be approved under this chapter after December 31, 2006.

(Pub. L. 106-553, §1(a)(2) [title X, §1009], Dec. 21, 2000, 114 Stat. 2762, 2762A-140.)

## REFERENCES IN TEXT

This chapter, referred to in text, was in the original “this Act”, and was translated as reading “this title”. See References in Text note set out under section 1101 of this title.

**§ 1108. Definitions**

In this chapter:

**(1) Affiliate**

The term “affiliate”—

(A) means any person or entity that controls, or is controlled by, or is under common control with, another person or entity; and

(B) may include any individual who is a director or senior management officer of an affiliate, a shareholder controlling more than 25 percent of the voting securities of an affiliate, or more than 25 percent of the ownership interest in an affiliate not organized in stock form.

**(2) Nonserved area**

The term “nonserved area” means any area that—

(A) is outside the grade B contour (as determined using standards employed by the Federal Communications Commission) of the local television broadcast signals serving a particular designated market area; and

(B) does not have access to such signals by any commercial, for profit, multichannel video provider.

**(3) Underserved area**

The term “underserved area” means any area that—

(A) is outside the grade A contour (as determined using standards employed by the Federal Communications Commission) of the local television broadcast signals serving a particular designated market area; and

(B) has access to local television broadcast signals from not more than one commercial, for-profit multichannel video provider.

**(4) Common terms**

Except as provided in paragraphs (1) through (3), any term used in this chapter that is defined in the Communications Act of 1934 (47 U.S.C. 151 et seq.) has the meaning given that term in the Communications Act of 1934.

(Pub. L. 106-553, §1(a)(2) [title X, §1010], Dec. 21, 2000, 114 Stat. 2762, 2762A-140.)

## REFERENCES IN TEXT

This chapter, referred to in text, was in the original “this Act”, and was translated as reading “this title”. See References in Text note set out under section 1101 of this title.

The Communications Act of 1934, referred to in par. (4), is act June 19, 1934, ch. 652, 48 Stat. 1064, as amended, which is classified principally to chapter 5 (§151 et seq.) of this title. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see section 609 of this title and Tables.

**§ 1109. Authorizations of appropriations****(a) Cost of loan guarantees****(1) Authorization of appropriations**

For the cost of the loans guaranteed under this chapter, including the cost of modifying the loans, as defined in section 661a of title 2, there are authorized to be appropriated for fiscal years 2001 through 2006, such amounts as may be necessary.

**(2) Commodity Credit Corporation funds****(A) In general**

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, subject to subparagraph (B), in addition to amounts made available under paragraph (1), of the funds of the Commodity Credit Corporation, the Secretary of Agriculture shall make available for loan guarantees to carry out this chapter \$80,000,000 for the period beginning on May 13, 2002, and ending on December 31, 2006, to remain available until expended.

**(B) Broadband loans and loan guarantees****(i) In general**

Amounts made available under subparagraph (A) that are not obligated as of the release date described in clause (ii) shall be available to the Secretary to make loans and loan guarantees under section 950bb of title 7.

**(ii) Release date**

For purposes of clause (i), the release date is the date that is the earlier of—

(I) the date the Secretary determines that at least 75 percent of the designated market areas (as defined in section 122(j) of title 17) not in the top 40 designated