TECHNICAL APPENDIX 2—NTIA Coupon-Eligible Converter Box (CECB): Permitted and Disqualifying Features—Continued

Feature	Permitted Feature	Disqualifying Feature
Outputs (Audio)	Equipment may process associated audio services described in Section 6.6 of A/54. RF output may provide monaural audio for the selected audio channel.	
	RF output may provide BTSC stereo for the selected audio channels.	
Automatic Software Repair/Upgrade	Equipment is able to receive and process software pursuant to ATSC A-97.	
Program Information	Equipment may contain software and hardware modifications necessary to display other program information as determined by the manufacturer.	
Remote Control	Manufacturers may include a programmable universal remote control to operate the equipment and other existing video and audio equipment. Remote control may have dedicated keys to provide direct access to closed captioning and descriptive video functions.	
Other Features	Equipment may be operated on battery power as well as external AC/DC power. Manufacturer may supply additional cables, such as a cable with 3 female RCA connectors for composite video (yellow connector) and stereo left and right audio (white and red connectors).	
Energy Standards	Equipment may display on the television receiver additional signal quality information as determined by the manufacturer. Equipment may comply with standards established by the EPA Energy Star program or state regulatory authorities.	

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Digital-to-Analog Converter Box Coupon Program Public Meeting

AGENCY: National Telecommunications and Information Administration, Commerce.

ACTION: Public meeting.

SUMMARY: Summary: NTIA will hold a public meeting on March 19, 2007 in connection with its Digital-to-Analog

Converter Box Coupon Program described in the Final Rule that was recently adopted by NTIA.

DATES: The meeting will be held on March 19, 2007 at 10 a.m., Eastern Standard Time.

ADDRESSES: The meeting will be held at the U.S. Department of Commerce Auditorium, 1401 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For further information regarding the meeting, contact Sandra Stewart at (202) 482–2246.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: NTIA will host a public meeting to discuss its Final Rule establishing the Digital-to-Analog Converter Box Coupon Program. A copy of the Final Rule is available on NTIA's website at http://www.ntia.doc.gov. The public meeting will be limited to those issues addressed in the Final Rule. NTIA will not entertain questions related to the Request for Information published by

NTIA on July 31, 2006, or other procurement related issues. All procurement-related questions should be directed to Diane Trice at (301) 713–0838 ext. 102 or diane.trice@noaa.gov.

Public attendance at the meeting is limited to space available. The meeting will be physically accessible to people with disabilities. Individuals requiring special services, such as sign language interpretation or other ancillary aids, are asked to indicate this to Sandra Stewart at least two (2) days prior to the meeting. Members of the public will have an opportunity to ask questions at the meeting. Individuals who would like to submit written questions should e-mail their questions to Francine Jefferson at fjefferson@ntia.doc.gov.

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