

CHAPTER 2350
CABLE COMMUNICATIONS BOARD
DEREGULATED CABLE SYSTEMS

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2350.0200 SCOPE.

A system which serves more than 50 but fewer than 1,000 subscribers and which has been removed from the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, chapter 238 under Minnesota Statutes, section 238.02, subdivision 3, is subject to the requirements in parts 2350.0300 to 2350.0500.

Statutory Authority: *MS s 238.02 subd 3; 238.05 subd 18; 238.06*

2350.0300 REPORTS TO BOARD.

The system operator shall provide to the board information and documentation in the form and at the times the board requires.

Statutory Authority: *MS s 238.05 subd 18; 238.06 subd 6*

2350.0400 ACCESS FOR EDUCATIONAL AND GOVERNMENTAL PROGRAMMING.

The system operator shall provide reception on at least one specially designated access channel to each subscriber who receives some or all of the services offered on the system. Franchisees providing only alarm services or only data transmission services for computer-operated functions do not need to provide access channel reception to alarm and data service subscribers. The specially designated access channel may be used by local educational authorities and local government on a first-come, first-served, nondiscriminatory basis. The franchisee may use this specially designated access channel for other purposes during those hours when the channel is not in use by local educational authorities or local government. The VHF spectrum must be used for the specially designated access channel.

Statutory Authority: *MS s 238.05 subd 18; 238.06 subd 6*

2350.0500 OPERATING RULES.

The system operator shall establish rules for the administration of the specially designated access channel and shall file the rules with the board within 90 days after the channel is put into use.

Statutory Authority: *MS s 238.05; 238.06 subd 6*