

Steps Taken To Minimize Significant Economic Impact on Small Entities, and Significant Alternatives Considered

12. One objective of this proceeding is to adopt reporting requirements for UNEs that will not increase the existing regulatory burdens on small carriers.

Ordering Clauses

13. Pursuant to Sections 1, 2, 4, 201, 202, 205, 206, 207, 209, 272, 303(r) and 503(b) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. 151, 152, 154, 201, 202, 205, 206, 207, 209, 272, 303(r), and 503(b) a NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING IS ADOPTED.

14. CC Docket No. 00–51 IS HEREBY TERMINATED.

15. The Commission's Consumer Information Bureau, Reference Information Center, SHALL SEND a copy of this NPRM, including the Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis, to the Chief Counsel for Advocacy of the Small Business Administration.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 73

[DA 01–2785, MM Docket No. 00–124, RM–9893]

Digital Television Broadcast Service; Bryan, TX

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission requests comments on a request filed by KWTX/KBTX License Corporation, requesting the substitution of DTV channel 50 for DTV channel 59 at Bryan, Texas. DTV Channel 50 can be allotted to Bryan, Texas, in compliance with the principle community coverage requirements of Section 73.625(a) at reference coordinates (30–33–16 N. and 96–01–51 W.). As requested, we propose to allot DTV Channel 50 to Bryan with a power of 1000 and a height above average terrain (HAAT) of 477 meters.

DATES: Comments must be filed on or before January 28, 2002, and reply comments on or before February 12, 2002.

ADDRESSES: Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, SW., Room TW-A325, Washington, DC

20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, or its counsel or consultant, as follows: Vincent A. Pepper, Pepper & Corazzini, LLP, 1776 K Street, NW., Suite 200, Washington, DC 20006–2334 (Counsel for KWTX/KBTX License Corporation).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pam Blumenthal, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418–1600.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's Further Notice of Proposed Rule Making, MM Docket No. 00–124, adopted December 4, 2001, and released December 5, 2001. The full text of this document is available for public inspection and copying during regular business hours in the FCC Reference Information Center, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-A257, Washington, DC, 20554. This document may also be purchased from the Commission's duplicating contractor, Qualex International, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-B402, Washington, DC, 20554, telephone 202–863–2893, facsimile 202–863–2898, or via e-mail qualexint@aol.com.

Provisions of the Regulatory Flexibility Act of 1980 do not apply to this proceeding.

Members of the public should note that from the time a Notice of Proposed Rule Making is issued until the matter is no longer subject to Commission consideration or court review, all *ex parte* contacts are prohibited in Commission proceedings, such as this one, which involve channel allotments. See 47 CFR 1.1204(b) for rules governing permissible *ex parte* contacts.

For information regarding proper filing procedures for comments, see 47 CFR 1.415 and 1.420.

List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Television, Digital television broadcasting.

For the reasons discussed in the preamble, the Federal Communications Commission proposes to amend 47 CFR part 73 as follows:

PART 73—TELEVISION BROADCAST SERVICES

1. The authority citation for part 73 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 47 U.S.C. 154, 303, 334, and 336.

§ 73.622 [Amended]

2. Section 73.622(b), the Table of Digital Television Allotments under Texas is amended by removing DTV Channel 59 and adding DTV Channel 50 at Bryan.

Federal Communications Commission.

Barbara A. Kreisman,

Chief, Video Services Division, Mass Media Bureau.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 73

[DA 01–2682; MM Docket No. 99–196; RM–9619, RM–9874]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Bethel Springs, Martin, Tiptonville, Trenton, South Fulton, TN

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Proposed rule; dismissal.

SUMMARY: The Allocations Branch dismisses the petition for rule making filed by Sherry A. Brown proposing the allotment of Channel 249A at Bethel Springs, Tennessee, as being procedurally defective for failure to properly file comments in compliance with sections 1.415(b) and 1.420(e) of the Commission's Rules. See 64 FR 29979, June 4, 1999. In addition, the counterproposal filed by Thunderbolt Broadcasting Company, proposing two options for the substitution of Channel 267C3 for Channel 269A at Martin, and the reallocation of Channel 267C3 to South Fulton, Tennessee (described more fully in the *Report and Order*) is disposed of as follows: Option I is denied because it required the downgrade of vacant Channel 267C3 at Tiptonville, Tennessee, and there are expressions of interest for the Class C3 channel. Option II is dismissed for failure to be “technically correct” and “substantially complete” as required at the time it is filed.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's Report and Order, MM Docket No. 99–196, adopted November 7, 2001, and released November 16, 2001. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Information Center (Room CY-A257), 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractors, Qualex International, Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-B402, Washington, DC 20554.