

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

List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio, Radio broadcasting.

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

PART 73—RADIO BROADCAST SERVICES

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

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

§ 73.202 [Amended]

2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under Texas, is amended by adding Channel 265C3 at Iowa Park and by removing Quanah, Channel 265C3.

Federal Communications Commission.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 73

[DA 04-1078; MB Docket No. 04-161; RM-10961]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Mount Sterling and Wilmington, OH

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: This document requests comments on a petition for rule making filed by Vernon R. Baldwin, Inc., licensee of Station WKLN(FM), Channel 272A, Wilmington, Ohio. The petition proposes to reallocate Channel 272A, Station WKLN(FM), from Wilmington to Mount Sterling, Ohio, thus providing Mount Sterling with its first local aural transmission service. The coordinates for requested Channel 272A at Mount Sterling, Ohio, are 39-35-16 NL and 83-13-26 WL, with a site restriction of 15 kilometers (9.4 miles) south of Mount Sterling.

Petitioner's reallocation proposal complies with the provisions of Section 1.420(i) of the Commission's Rules, and therefore, the Commission will not accept competing expressions of interest in the use of Channel 272A at Mount Sterling, Ohio, or require the petitioner to demonstrate the availability of an additional equivalent class channel.

DATES: Comments must be filed on or before June 18, 2004, and reply comments on or before July 5, 2004.

ADDRESSES: Secretary, 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's counsel, as follows: Dennis F. Begley, Esq., Reddy, Begley & McCormick, LLP; 1156 15th Street, NW., Suite 610; Washington, DC 20005-1770.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: R. Barthen Gorman, Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's Notice of Proposed Rule Making, MB Docket No. 04-161, adopted April 22, 2004, and released April 27, 2004. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during regular business hours in the FCC's Reference Information Center at Portals II, 445 12th Street, SW., CY-A257, Washington, DC, 20554. This document may also be purchased from the Commission's duplicating contractors, 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.

The 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.

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Federal Communications Commission.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 73

[DA 04-1079; MM Docket No. 01-115; RM-10129; 10325]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Alpena, Au Gres, Beaverton, Cheboygan, Frankfort, and Standish, MI

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Proposed rule; dismissal.

SUMMARY: At the request of Au Gres Broadcasting Company, we dismiss its petition for rule making proposing the allotment of Channel 295A at Au Gres, Michigan, as the community's first local aural transmission service (RM-10129). *See* 66 FR 31597, June 12, 2001. As requested, we also dismiss the counterproposal of Fort Bend Broadcasting Company proposing the upgrade from Channel 257C2 to Channel 257C1 at Frankfort, Michigan, and the required channel substitutions to accommodate the upgrade (RM-10325). A showing of continuing interest is required before a channel will be allotted. It is the Commission's policy to refrain from making an allotment to a community absent an expression of interest.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sharon P. McDonald, Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's Report and Order, MM Docket No. 01-115, adopted April 22, 2004, and released April 27, 2004. 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. This document is not subject to the Congressional Review Act.