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

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### 47 CFR Part 73

[DA 00-1836, MM Docket No. 00-141, RM-9930]

#### Radio Broadcasting Services; Pentwater, MI

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by Garry Zack seeking the allotment of Channel 280A to Pentwater, MI, as the community's third local FM service. Channel 280A can be allotted to Pentwater in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements without the imposition of a site restriction, at coordinates 43-46-30 NL; 86-26-24 WL. Canadian concurrence in the allotment must be obtained since Pentwater is located within 320 kilometers (200 miles) of the U.S.-Canadian border.

**DATES:** Comments must be filed on or before October 2, 2000, and reply comments on or before October 17, 2000.

**ADDRESSES:** Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street, S.W., 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: Robert L. Olender, Koerner & Olender, P.C., 5809 Nicholson Lane, Suite 124, North Bethesda, MD 20852 (Counsel to petitioner).

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Leslie K. Shapiro, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### 47 CFR Part 73

[DA 00-1837, MM Docket No. 00-143, RM-9931]

#### Radio Broadcasting Services; Ludington, MI

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by Garry Zack seeking the allotment of Channel 242A to Ludington, MI, as the community's third local aural and second local commercial FM service. Channel 242A can be allotted to Ludington in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 5.5 kilometers (3.4 miles) south, at coordinates 43-54-30 NL; 86-26-10 WL, to avoid a short-spacing to Station WLXT, Channel 242C1, Petosky, Michigan. Canadian concurrence in the allotment must be obtained since Ludington is located within 320 kilometers (200 miles) of the U.S.-Canadian border.

**DATES:** Comments must be filed on or before October 2, 2000, and reply comments on or before October 17, 2000.

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