

would require notification of the Office of Management and Budget.

The authority to propose the elimination of these regulations is 42 U.S.C. 2003 and 25 U.S.C. 13.

List of Subjects in 42 CFR Part 36

American Indians, Alaska Natives, Government property, Health care, Indians—business and finance.

Dated: December 15, 1999.

Michael H. Trujillo,

Assistant Surgeon General Director, Indian Health Service.

Approved: January 20, 2000.

Donna E. Shalala,

Secretary of Health and Human Services.

For the reasons set out in the preamble, and under the authority of 42 U.S.C. 2003 and 25 U.S.C. 13, the Department proposes to remove subpart I of 42 CFR Part 36.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 73

[DA 00-66, MM Docket No. 00-6, RM-9791]

Radio Broadcasting Services; McCook, NE

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by McCook Radio Group, LLC, requesting the allotment of Channel 271C1 to McCook, NE, as the community's fifth local FM service. Channel 271C1 can be allotted to McCook in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 19.6 kilometers (12.2 miles) west, at coordinates 40-12-00 NL; 100-51-25 WL, to avoid a short-spacing to Station KKQY, Channel 270C1, Hill City, KS, and the pending application of Station KRNY, Channel 272C1, Kearney, NE. The Commission also proposes to editorially amend the FM Table of Allotments by substituting Channel 253C1 for Channel 253C2 at McCook to reflect the action taken pursuant to the one-step application (BMPH-19990301IC) of McCook Media Association specifying the higher class channel.

DATES: Comments must be filed on or before March 6, 2000, and reply comments on or before March 21, 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: David M. Stout, President, McCook Radio Group, LLC, 1811 West "O" Street, McCook, NE 69001 (Petitioner).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Leslie K. Shapiro, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's Notice of Proposed Rule Making, MM Docket No. 00-6, adopted January 5, 2000, and released January 14, 2000. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Center, 445 12th Street, SW, Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Services, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 1231 20th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20036.

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

Radio broadcasting.

Federal Communications Commission.

John A. Karousos,

Chief, Allocations Branch, Policy and Rules Division, Mass Media Bureau.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 73

[DA 00-65, MM Docket No. 00-5, RM-9752]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Las Vegas and Pecos, NM

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by BK

Radio seeking the substitution of Channel 268C3 for Channel 268A at Las Vegas, NM, the reallocation of Channel 268C3 to Pecos, NM, as the community's first local aural service, and the modification of its construction permit to specify operation on the higher class channel and Pecos as its community of license. Channel 268C3 can be allotted to Pecos in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 9.1 kilometers (5.7 miles) east, at coordinates 35-32-54 North Latitude; 105-35-18 West Longitude, to accommodate petitioner's desired transmitter site.

DATES: Comments must be filed on or before March 6, 2000, and reply comments on or before March 21, 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: Lee J. Peltzman, Shainis & Peltzman, Chartered, Suite 290, 1901 L Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036 (Counsel to petitioner).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Leslie K. Shapiro, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's Notice of Proposed Rule Making, MM Docket No. 00-5, adopted January 5, 2000, and released January 14, 2000. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Center, 445 12th Street, SW, Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Services, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 1231 20th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20036.

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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 broadcasting.

Federal Communications Commission.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 73

[DA 00-25; MM Docket No. 93-28; RM-8172, RM-8299]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Colonial Heights, TN

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Proposed rule, denial.

SUMMARY: The Commission denied a petition for reconsideration of the *Memorandum Opinion and Order* on reconsideration, 62 FR 664, published January 6, 1997, filed by Newport Publishing Co., licensee of Station WMXX(FM), Channel 240A (95.9 MHz), Morristown, Tennessee. The Commission rejected Newport's claim that the uncertainty as to when it should change the frequency of WMXX(FM) to accommodate the upgrade of Station WRZK(FM), Channel 290A (105.9 MHz), Colonial Heights, Tennessee, was unduly burdensome and, therefore, contrary to Commission policy.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: J. Bertron Withers, Jr., Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a summary of the *Memorandum Opinion and Order*, MM Docket 93-28, adopted

January 6, 2000, and released January 7, 2000. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the Commission's Reference Center (room CY-A257) at its headquarters, 445 12th Street, S.W., Washington, DC 20554. The complete text of this decision may be also purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Service, (202) 857-3800, 1231 20th Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20036.

List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

Federal Communications Commission.

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