Form Number: None.

Type of Review: Extension of currently approved collection.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit, not-for-profit institutions, state, local or tribal government.

Number of Respondents: 500.

Estimated time per response: 10 hours (1 hours respondent/9 hours consulting engineer).

Frequency of response: Reporting, on occasion.

Total annual burden: 500.

Total annual costs: $675,000.

Needs and Uses: The terrain shielding policy requires respondents to submit either a detailed terrain study, or to submit letters of assent from all potentially affected parties and graphic depiction of the terrain when intervening terrain prevents a low power television applicant from interfering with other low power television or full-power television stations. The data is used by FCC staff to determine if adequate interference protection can be provided by terrain shielding and if a waiver of Sections 74.705 and 74.707 of the Rules is warranted.

OMB Number: 3060–0427.

Title: Section 73.3523 Dismissal of applications in renewal proceedings.

Form Number: None.

Type of Review: Extension of currently approved collection.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit.

Number of Respondents: 1.

Estimated time per response: 8 hours (1 hour licensee, 7 hours attorney).

Frequency of responding: Reporting, on occasion.

Total annual burden: 1 hour.

Total annual costs: $1,600.

Needs and Uses: Section 73.3523 requires an applicant for a construction permit to obtain approval from the FCC to dismiss or withdraw its application when that application is mutually exclusive with a renewal application. This request for approval must contain a copy of any written agreement and an affidavit, stating that it has not received any consideration (pre-Initial Decision) or it has not received any consideration in excess of legitimate and prudent expenses (post-Initial Decision) for the dismissal/withdrawal of its application. In addition, within 5 days of the applicant's request for approval, each remaining competing applicant and the renewal applicant must submit an affidavit certifying that it has not paid any consideration (pre-Initial Decision), or that it has not paid consideration in excess of legitimate and prudent expenses (post-Initial Decision) for the dismissal/ withdrawal of a competing application. The data is used by FCC staff to ensure that an application was filed under appropriate circumstances and not to extract payments prohibited by the Commission.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Notice of Public Information Collection(s) Being Reviewed by the Federal Communications Commission

August 30, 2000.

SUMMARY: The Federal Communications Commission, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burden invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following information collection(s), as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104–13. An agency may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. No person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) that does not display a valid control number. Comments are requested concerning (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Commission's burden estimate; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Written comments should be submitted on or before October 10, 2000. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below as soon as possible.

ADDRESSES: Direct all comments to Judy Boley, Federal Communications Commission, Room 1–C804, 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC 20554 or via the Internet to jboley@fcc.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For additional information or copies of the information collection(s), contact Judy Boley at 202–418–0214 or via the Internet at jboley@fcc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Control No.: 3060–0075.

Title: Application for Transfer of Control of a Corporate Licensee or Permittee or Assignment of License or Permit, for an FM or TV Translator Station, or a Low Power Television Station.

Form No.: FCC Form 345.

Type of Review: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit.

Number of Respondents: 655.

Estimated Time Per Response: 1 hour.

Frequency of Response: On occasion reporting requirement, recordkeeping requirement and third party disclosure requirement.

Total Annual Burden: 655 hours.

Total Annual Cost: $1,054,178.75.

Needs and Uses: FCC Form 345 is required when applying for authority for assignment of license or permit, or for consent to transfer of control of corporate licensee or permittee for an FM translator station, or a low power TV station.

This collection also includes a third party disclosure requirement of Section 73.3580. This section requires local public notice in a newspaper of general circulation of the filing of all applications for assignment of license/ permit. This notice must be completed within 30 days of the tendering of the application. A copy of this notice must be placed in the public inspection file along with the application.

The FCC Form 345 has been revised to facilitate electronic filing by replacing narrative exhibits with the use of certifications. The Commission also deleted and narrowed overly burdensome questions. The FCC Form 345 will be supplemented with detailed instructions to explain processing standards and rule interpretations to help ensure that applicants certify accurately. The form was also revised to include a reporting requirement concerning the transfer or assignment of authorizations obtained through the competitive bidding process. As a result, the Commission has added instructions and a question about competitive bidding.

OMB Control No.: 3060–0697.

Title: Parts 22 and 90 to Facilitate Future Development of Paging Systems.

Form No.: N/A.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents: Individuals or households, business or other for-profit,

not-for-profit institutions, and state, local or tribal government.

Number of Respondents: 934.

Estimated Time Per Response: 1 hour.

Frequency of Response: On occasion reporting requirement and recordkeeping requirement.

Total Annual Burden: 934 hours.

Total Annual Cost: N/A.

Needs and Uses: This collection is necessary to: lessen the administrative burden of licensees; determine the partitioned service areas and geographic area licensee's remaining service area of parties to an agreeement; determine whether geographic area licensee and parties to agreements have met the applicable coverage requirements for their service areas; to determine whether the applicant is eligible to receive bidding credit as a small business; determine the real parties interest in any joint bidding agreements; and determine the appropriate unjust enrichment compensation to be remitted to the government.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meetings

AGENCY: Federal Election Commission.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, September 12, 2000, 10 a.m.

PLACE: 999 E Street, NW., Washington, D.C.

STATUS: This meeting will be closed to the public.

ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED:

Compliance matters pursuant to 2 U.S.C. § 437g.

Audits conducted pursuant to 2 U.S.C. § 437g, § 438(b), and Title 26, U.S.C.

Matters concerning participation in civil actions or proceedings or arbitration.

Internal personnel rules and procedures or matters affecting a particular employee.

DATE AND TIME: Thursday, September 14, 2000, 10 a.m.

PLACE: 999 E Street, NW., Washington, DC (Ninth Floor).

STATUS: This meeting will be open to the public.

ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED:

Correction and Approval of Minutes.

Dole for President—Statement of Reasons (LRA#467).

Dole/Kemp '96, Inc.—Statement of Reasons (LRA#506).

Buchanan for President, Inc.—Statements of Reasons (LRA#512).

Advisory Opinion 2000–20: Committee for Quality Cancer Care by counsel, Brett G. Kappel.

Advisory Opinion 2000–22: Air Transportation Association of America, American Land Title Association, Council of Insurance Agents and Brokers, Independent Insurance Agents of America, and the Society of Independent Gasoline Marketers of America by counsel, Scott A. Sinder and Stephen Gold.

Revisions to Reporting Forms and Instructions.

Explanation and Justification for Revisions to FEC Reporting Forms.

Administrative Matters.

PERSON TO CONTACT FOR INFORMATION: Mr. Ron Harris, Press Officer, Telephone: (202) 694–1220.

Mary W. Dove,

Acting Secretary of the Commission.

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FEDERAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS EXAMINATION COUNCIL

Policy Statement on Allowance for Loan and Lease Losses Methodologies and Documentation for Banks and Savings Institutions

AGENCY: Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council.

ACTION: Proposed Policy Statement; request for comment.

SUMMARY: The Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council (FFIEC) [1] is requesting comments on a proposed Policy Statement on Allowance for Loan and Lease Losses (ALLL) Methodologies and Documentation for Banks and Savings Institutions (Policy Statement). This proposed Policy Statement is intended to provide guidance on the design and implementation of ALLL methodologies and supporting documentation practices.

DATES: Comments must be received by November 6, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Comments should be directed to Keith J. Todd, Executive Secretary, Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council, 2000 K Street, N.W., Suite 310, Washington, DC 20006, fax number: (202) 872–7501. Comments will be available for public inspection during regular business hours at the above address. Appointments to inspect comments are encouraged and can be arranged by calling the FFIEC at (202) 872–7500.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

FDIC: Carol L. Liquori, Examination Specialist, Division of Supervision, (202) 898–7289, or Doris L. Marsh, Examination Specialist, Division of Supervision, (202) 898–8905, FDIC, 550 17th Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20429.

FRB: Linda V. Griffith, Supervisory Financial Analyst, (202) 452–3506, or Arthur Lindo, Supervisory Financial Analyst, (202) 452–2695, Division of Banking Supervision and Regulation, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, 20th Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20551.

OCC: Richard Shack, Senior Accountant, Chief Accountant's Office, Core Policy Division, (202) 874–5411, or Louise A. Francis, National Bank Examiner, Chief Accountant's Office, Core Policy Division, (202) 874–1306, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, 250 E Street, S.W., Washington, DC 20219.

OTS: William Magrini, Policy Analyst, Policy Division, (202) 906–5744, or Harrison E. Greene, Jr., Securities Accountant, Accounting Policy Division, (202) 906–7933, Office of Thrift Supervision, 1700 G Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20552.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

On March 10, 1999, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, the Federal Reserve Board, the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, the Office of Thrift Supervision, and the Securities and Exchange Commission (together, the Agencies) issued a joint letter to financial institutions on the allowance for loan and lease losses (the Joint Letter). In the Joint Letter, the Agencies agreed to establish a Joint Working Group to study ALLL issues and to assist financial institutions by providing them with improved guidance on this topic. The Agencies agreed that the Joint Working Group would develop and issue parallel guidance for two key areas regarding the ALLL:

- Appropriate methodologies and supporting documentation, and
- Enhanced disclosures.

This proposed Policy Statement represents the banking agencies'

[1] The FFIEC consists of representatives from the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (FRB), the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency (OCC), the Office of Thrift Supervision (OTS) (referred to as the ''banking agencies''), and the National Credit Union Administration. However, this guidance is not directed to credit unions.