

recommendations on issues which included: (1) Thousands-block number pooling procedures and administrator; (2) cost for the COCUS replacement tool used to collect number utilization and forecast data; (3) Industry Numbering Committee (INC) NANP Expansion Assumptions; (4) NANPA electronic file transfer capability for receiving utilization and forecast data; (5) secondary definitions for numbering categories; (6) number administration auditor technical requirements; (7) thousands-block number pooling administrator technical requirements; (8) fees for reserved numbers; and (9) wireless number portability technical, operational and implementation requirements.

The Council is currently considering and formulating recommendations on other important numbering-related issues that will require work beyond the term of the present charter. The term of the Council's third amended charter begins October 5, 2001 and runs through October 4, 2003.

The value of this federal advisory committee to the telecommunications industry and to the American public cannot be overstated. Numbers are the means by which consumers gain access to, and reap the benefits of, the public switched telephone network. The Council's recommendations to the Commission will facilitate fair and efficient numbering administration in the United States, and will ensure that numbering resources are available to all telecommunications service providers on a fair and equitable basis, consistent with the requirements of the Telecommunications Act of 1996.

Federal Communications Commission.

Diane Griffin Harmon,

*Acting Chief, Network Services Division,
Common Carrier Bureau.*

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[MM Docket No. 96-197]

RIN 3060-AG53

Newspaper/Radio Cross-Ownership Waiver Policy

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice; termination of proceeding.

SUMMARY: The Commission terminates this proceeding because it has initiated a new rulemaking proceeding that considers broader issues that subsume

those raised in the proceeding being terminated.

DATES: The Commission terminates MM Docket No. 96-197 effective October 18, 2001.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Eric J. Bash, (202) 418-2130 or ebash@fcc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Commission began this proceeding in 1996 when it released a Notice of Inquiry (*NOI*) 61 FR 53694 (October 15, 1996) in MM Docket No. 96-197. The *NOI* asked whether the Commission should change its policies regarding waiver of the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership rule for newspaper/radio combinations. The Commission now has released a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (*NPRM*), 66 FR 50991 (October 5, 2001), that asks whether the Commission should eliminate or modify the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership rule. As a result, the *NPRM* seeks comment not just on whether the Commission should change its waiver policies for newspaper/radio combinations, but also on whether the Commission should change its rule and/or waiver policies for newspaper/radio and newspaper/television combinations. The issues raised in the *NPRM* therefore subsume those raised in the *NOI*. As a result, the Commission terminates the *NOI* proceeding. In doing so, the Commission recognizes that it has, in a handful of cases, waived the newspaper/broadcast cross-ownership rule, subject to the outcome of the *NOI*. All such waivers will now be subject to the outcome of the *NPRM*.

Ordering Clauses: The Commission terminates MM Docket No. 96-197.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Notices

AGENCY: Federal Election Commission.

DATE & TIME: Tuesday, October 23, 2001 at 10 a.m.

PLACE: 999 E Street, NW., Washington, DC.

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.

PREVIOUSLY ANNOUNCED DATE & TIME: Thursday, October 25, 2001, Meeting Open to the Public.

This meeting has been cancelled.

PERSON TO CONTACT FOR INFORMATION:

Mr. Ron Harris, Press Officer,
Telephone: (202) 694-1220.

Mary W. Dove,

Secretary of the Commission.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Change in Bank Control Notices; Acquisition of Shares of Bank or Bank Holding Companies

The notificants listed below have applied under the Change in Bank Control Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)) and § 225.41 of the Board's Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.41) to acquire a bank or bank holding company. The factors that are considered in acting on the notices are set forth in paragraph 7 of the Act (12 U.S.C. 1817(j)(7)).

The notices are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The notices also will be available for inspection at the office of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing to the Reserve Bank indicated for that notice or to the offices of the Board of Governors. Comments must be received not later than November 1, 2001.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago
(Phillip Jackson, Applications Officer)
230 South LaSalle Street, Chicago,
Illinois 60690-1414:

1. *Abdula Family Limited Partnership, Fred Abdula Revocable Trust, Anna Marie Abdula Revocable Trust, Fred Abdula, and Anna Abdula*, all of Waukegan, Illinois; to retain voting shares of Northern States Financial Corporation, Waukegan, Illinois, and thereby indirectly retain voting shares of Bank of Waukegan, Waukegan, Illinois.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, October 12, 2001.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Secretary of the Board.

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