

9. To determine, in light of the evidence adduced under the foregoing issues, whether the license for KKFO(AM) has expired pursuant to section 312(g) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. 312(g), and 47 CFR 73.1740(c), or whether William L. Zawila and/or WPBI possess the requisite qualifications to be or remain licensees of KKFO(AM).

Appearances by Parties: William L. Zawila, Avenal Educational Services, Inc., Central Valley Educational Services, Inc., H.L. Charles d/b/a Ford City Broadcasting, and Linda Ware d/b/a/ Lindsay Broadcasting shall, within thirty (30) days of July 16, 2003, file a written appearance stating that they will appear at the hearing and present evidence on the matters specified in the Order to Show Cause.

Western Pacific Broadcasting, Inc. must, within twenty (20) days of mailing of notice of its designation as a party, file a written appearance in triplicate, stating that it will appear at the hearing on the date fixed for hearing and will present evidence on the issues specified in the Hearing Designation Order.

The full text of the Order to Show Cause, Notice of Opportunity for Hearing, and Hearing Designation Order 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 20554. The complete text may be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, Qualex International, 445 12th Street, SW., Room CY-B402, Washington, DC 20554. The full text may also be downloaded at: http://hraunfoss.fcc.gov/edocs_public/attachmatch/FCC-03-158A1.pdf. Alternative formats are available to persons with disabilities by contacting Martha Contee at (202) 418-0260 or TTY (202) 418-2555.

Federal Communications Commission.

Marlene H. Dortch,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

[Petition No. P5-03]

Petition of the National Customs Brokers and Forwarders Association of America, Inc. for Limited Exemption From Certain Tariff Requirements of the Shipping Act of 1984; Extension of Time

The Commission published notice of Petition No. P5-03 filed by the National

Customs Brokers and Forwarders Association of America, Inc. ("NCBFAA"), in the **Federal Register** on August 19, 2003 (68 FR 49775). That notice requested comments to the Petition by September 5, 2003. The World Shipping Counsel ("WSC") has requested an extension of time until September 24, 2003, for all parties to file comments in reply to this Petition. WSC advises that it has been authorized by NCBFAA's counsel to state that the Petitioner does not object to the requested extension. The Commission has determined to grant the request. Accordingly, comments are now due by September 24, 2003.

By the Commission.

Bryant L. VanBrakle,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

[Petition No. P3-03]

Petition of United Parcel Service, Inc. for Exemption Pursuant to Section 16 of the Shipping Act of 1984 to Permit Negotiation, Entry and Performance of Service Contracts; Extension of Time

The Commission published notice of Petition No. P3-03 filed by United Parcel Service, Inc. ("UPS"), in the **Federal Register** on August 4, 2003 (68 FR 45820). That notice requested comments to the Petition by August 22, 2003. The World Shipping Counsel ("WSC") has requested an extension of time until September 24, 2003, for all parties to file comments in reply to this Petition. WSC advises that it has been authorized by UPS's counsel to state that the Petitioner does not object to the requested extension. The Commission has determined to grant the request. Accordingly, comments are now due by September 24, 2003.

By the Commission.

Bryant L. VanBrakle,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Federal Open Market Committee; Domestic Policy Directive of June 24-25, 2003

In accordance with § 271.25 of its rules regarding availability of information (12 CFR part 271), there is set forth below the domestic policy directive issued by the Federal Open

Market Committee at its meeting held on June 24-25, 2003.¹

The Federal Open Market Committee seeks monetary and financial conditions that will foster price stability and promote sustainable growth in output. To further its long-run objectives, the Committee in the immediate future seeks conditions in reserve markets consistent with reducing the federal funds rate at an average of around 1 percent.

By order of the Federal Open Market Committee, August 18, 2003.

Vincent R. Reinhart,

Secretary, Federal Open Market Committee.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

The companies listed in this notice have applied to the Board for approval, pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 *et seq.*) (BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR Part 225), and all other applicable statutes and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the assets or the ownership of, control of, or the power to vote shares of a bank or bank holding company and all of the banks and nonbanking companies owned by the bank holding company, including the companies listed below.

The applications listed below, as well as other related filings required by the Board, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The application also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the standards enumerated in the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)). If the proposal also involves the acquisition of a nonbanking company, the review also includes whether the acquisition of the nonbanking company complies with the standards in section 4 of the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1843). Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States. Additional information on all bank holding companies may be obtained from the National Information Center website at www.ffiec.gov/nic/.

¹ Copies of the Minutes of the Federal Open Market Committee meeting on June 24-25, 2003, which includes the domestic policy directive issued at the meeting, are available upon request to the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Washington, D.C. 20551. The minutes are published in the Federal Reserve Bulletin and in the Board's annual report.