

Commission amends 47 CFR part 73 as follows:

### PART 73—RADIO BROADCASTING SERVICES

■ 1. The authority citation for part 73 continues to read as follows:

**Authority:** 47 U.S.C. 154, 303, 334, 336 and 339.

#### § 73.202 [Amended]

■ 2. Amend § 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments, as follows:

- a. Remove Coosada, under Alabama, Channel 226A; and Livingston, Channel 242A.
- b. Remove Palmer, under Alaska, Channel 238C1.
- c. Remove Ajo, under Arizona, Channel 295A.
- d. Remove Clarendon, under Arkansas, Channel 281A; Gassville, Channel 224A.
- e. Remove Cedarville, under California, Channel 260A; Coachella, Channel 278A; Kerman, Channel 224A; King City, Channel 275A; Tecopa, Channel 288A; Trona, Channel 247A; Twentynine Palms, Channel 270A; and Waterford, Channel 294A.
- f. Remove Blanca, under Colorado, Channel 249C2; Crested Butte, Channel 246C3; Channel 299C3 at Gunnison; Orchard Mesa, Channel 249C3; and Silverton, Channel 281A.
- g. Remove Daytona Beach Shores, under Florida, Channel 258A; Islamorada, Channel 283C2; and Key Largo, Channel 237C3.
- h. Remove Calhoun, under Georgia, Channel 233A.
- i. Remove Kihei, under Hawaii, Channel 264C2.
- l. Remove Worthington, under Indiana, Channel 231A.
- k. Remove Dulac, under Louisiana, Channel 230A; and St. Joseph, Channel 257C3.
- l. Remove Adams, under Massachusetts, Channel 255A; East Harwich, Channel 254A; and Nantucket, Channel 249A.
- m. Remove Ferrysburg, under Michigan, Channel 226A; Onaway, Channel 292C2; and Pentwater, Channel 280A.
- n. Remove Red Lake, under Minnesota, Channel 231C1.
- o. Remove Vaiden, under Mississippi, Channel 271A.
- p. Remove Bourbon, under Missouri, Channel 231A.
- q. Remove Charlo, under Montana, Channel 251C3; and Whitehall, Channel 274A.
- r. Remove Humboldt, under Nebraska, Channel 272C3.
- s. Remove Beatty, under Nevada, Channel 259A; Elko, Channels 274C3

and 284C3; Fallon Station, Channel 287C; Goldfield, Channel 262C1; and Pahrump, Channel 272C3.

- t. Remove Alamogordo, under New Mexico, Channel 240C2 and Clayton, Channel 248C1.
- u. Remove Celoron, under New York, Channel 237A; and Montauk, Channel 235A.
- v. Remove Lone Wolf, under Oklahoma, Channel 224A; Muldrow, Channel 286A; and Valliant, Channel 234C3.
- w. Remove Butte Falls, under Oregon, Channel 290A; Clatskanie, Channel 225C3; Diamond Lake, Channel 299A; Netarts, Channel 232C3; and Channel 299C3 at Prineville.
- x. Remove Lawrence Park, under Pennsylvania, Channel 224A.
- y. Remove Williston, under South Carolina, Channel 260A.
- z. Remove Channel 246A, under Texas, Big Lake; Blanket, Channel 284A; Blossom, Channel 224C2; Colorado City, Channel 257A; Channel 289A at Cotulla; Dilley, Channel 291A; Elkhart, Channel 265A; Marquez, Channel 296A; Channel 287C3 at Menard; O'Brien, Channel 261A; Ozona, Channel 275C3; Panhandle, Channel 291C3; Rotan, Channel 290A; Shamrock, Channel 271A; Snyder, Channel 235C3; Stamford, Channel 233A; Wellington, Channel 248A; and Wheeler, Channel 280C2.
- aa. Remove Albany, under Vermont, Channel 233A.
- bb. Remove Wardensville, under West Virginia, Channel 239A.
- cc. Remove Basin, under Wyoming, Channel 300C3; and Ten Sleep, Channel 267A.
- dd. Remove Dededo, under Guam, Channel 243C1.

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### FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

#### 47 CFR Part 73

[MB Docket No. 13-282; RM-11706; DA 14-1014]

#### Radio Broadcasting Services; Bruce, Mississippi

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Audio Division is reinstating Channel 233A in Bruce, Mississippi, and dismissing the Petition for Rule Making ("Petition") filed by Telesouth Communications, Inc., proposing the substitution of Channel

284A for vacant Channel 233A for failure to comply with the Commission's rules, and the associated "hybrid" application ("Application") for Station WTNM (FM) to operate on Channel 234A rather than Channel 288A at Water Valley, Mississippi. We also dismiss the Counterproposal filed by Elijah Mondy, proposing the allotment of Channel 284A at New Houlka, Mississippi, as the community's first local service, for failure to comply with the Commission's rules.

**DATES:** Effective October 6, 2014.

**ADDRESSES:** Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, 445 12th Street SW., Washington, DC 20554.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Rolanda F. Smith, Media Bureau, (202) 418-2700.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission's *Report and Order*, MB Docket No. 13-282, DA 14-1014, adopted July 17, 2014, and released July 18, 2014. The full text of this document is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC's Reference Information Center at Portals II, CY-A257, 445 12th Street SW., Washington, DC 20554. This document may also be purchased from the Commission's duplicating contractors, Best Copy and Printing, Inc., 445 12th Street SW., Room CY-B402, Washington, DC 20554, telephone 1-800-378-3160 or via the Web site [www.BCPIWEB.com](http://www.BCPIWEB.com). This document does not contain information collection requirements subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13.

#### Synopsis

The Petition requested the substitution of Channel 284A for vacant Channel 233A at Bruce, Mississippi. Channel 233A at Bruce, Mississippi, a vacant allotment resulting from the cancellation of the license for Station WCMR-FM, is not currently listed in the FM Table of Allotment. Accordingly, we reinstate Channel 233A at Bruce, Mississippi in the FM Table of the Allotments. This action constitutes an editorial change in the FM Table of Allotments. The reference coordinates for Channel 233A at Bruce, Mississippi are 34-01-17 NL and 89-20-06 WL.

#### List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio, Radio broadcasting.

Federal Communications Commission.

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For the reasons discussed in the preamble, the Federal Communications

Commission amends 47 CFR part 73 as follows:

### **PART 73—RADIO BROADCAST SERVICES**

■ 1. The authority citation for part 73 continues to read as follows:

**Authority:** 47 U.S.C. 154, 303, 334, 336.

#### **§ 73.202 [Amended]**

■ 2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under Mississippi, is amended by adding Bruce, Channel 233A.

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### **FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**

#### **47 CFR Part 95**

[ET Docket No. 08-59; FCC 14-124]

#### **Medical Body Area Network**

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** This document addresses an Order on Reconsideration and Second Report and Order in which the Commission takes further actions to foster the development and deployment of new and innovative Medical Body Area Network (MBAN) devices. In addressing petitions for reconsideration of the First Report and Order in this proceeding, the Commission provides MBAN users with additional flexibility to enable the implementation of technical standards being developed for MBAN devices, and clarify and modify portions of its rules to facilitate the coordination, deployment, and use of MBAN systems. In the Second Report and Order portion in this proceeding, the Commission finalizes the process for selecting a MBAN Coordinator. This coordinator will facilitate use of the MBAN frequencies, which operate in shared-use bands. Collectively, our actions will allow the development of new and innovative health care applications.

**DATES:** Effective November 5, 2014, except for § 95.1225(c), which contains information collection requirements that have not been approved by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). The Commission will publish a document in the **Federal Register** announcing the effective date of § 95.1225(c).

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a summary of the Commission's Order on Reconsideration and Second Report and Order, ET Docket No. 08-59, FCC 14-124, adopted August 20, 2014 and released August 21, 2014. The full text of this document is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Center (Room CY-A257), 445 12th Street SW., Washington, DC 20554. The complete text of this document also may be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, Best Copy and Printing, Inc., 445 12th Street SW., Room, CY-B402, Washington, DC 20554. The full text may also be downloaded at: [www.fcc.gov](http://www.fcc.gov). People with Disabilities: To request materials in accessible formats for people with disabilities (braille, large print, electronic files, audio format), send an email to [fcc504@fcc.gov](mailto:fcc504@fcc.gov) or call the Consumer & Governmental Affairs Bureau at 202-418-0530 (voice), 202-418-0432 (tty).

#### **Summary of Order on Reconsideration**

1. In the Order on Reconsideration and Second Report and Order, the Commission took further actions to foster the development and deployment of new and innovative Medical Body Area Network (MBAN) devices. MBAN technology provides a platform for the wireless networking of multiple body-worn sensors used for measuring and recording physiological parameters and other patient information or for performing diagnostic or therapeutic functions, primarily in health care facilities. By addressing petitions for reconsideration of the First Report and Order in this proceeding, we provided MBAN users with additional flexibility to enable the implementation of technical standards being developed for MBAN devices, and clarified and modified portions of our rules to facilitate the coordination, deployment, and use of MBAN systems.

#### **Authorized Locations**

2. *Health Care Facilities.* The Commission revised § 95.1203 of its rules to limit use of the 2360-2390 MHz band to hospitals and other establishments that offer services, facilities and beds for use beyond a 24-hour period in rendering medical treatment. It eliminated a portion of the definition that included institutions and organizations regularly engaged in providing medical services through clinics, public health facilities, and similar establishments, including government entities and agencies such as Veterans Administration hospitals.

By limiting the types (and, thus, the numbers) of medical institutions in the 2360-2390 MHz band, the Commission intended to make it easier for both the MBAN and AMT coordinators to establish, implement and enforce efficient and effective coordination procedures. Further, it found that limiting potential locations would simplify their efforts to identify and remedy any harmful interference in the extremely unlikely event it occurs.

3. Although GE Healthcare, Phillips Healthcare, and the Aerospace and Flight Test Radio Coordinating Council (AFTRCC) (the "Joint Parties") had suggested this approach as part of their comprehensive set of proposed rules, they had not discussed the rationale for this limitation until the filing of their Petition for Reconsideration. Because the Petition for Reconsideration stated with particularity the reasons why the Commission should adopt their proposed authorized locations definition, it found that the public interest would be it served by taking the Joint Parties' facts and arguments into consideration.

4. As part of this decision, the Commission determined that, because the existing MBAN standard will support numerous patients in the 2390-2400 MHz band, and because frequency reuse techniques can augment that capacity in many situations, no health care facilities—including those that do not qualify for use of the 2360-2390 MHz band—will be precluded from operating MBAN systems. For this reason, the Commission disagreed with SmartEdgeNet that health care providers will be "denied the benefits of MBAN" if the Commission limited the authorized locations as requested.

5. *Antenna Locations.* In their Petition for Reconsideration, the Joint Parties claimed that § 95.1213, titled "Antennas," appeared to exclude the installation of outdoor antennas for the 2390-2400 MHz band at locations above a building's first floor, such as balconies and roof terraces, and that this was not the intent of the rule. Upon reconsideration, the Commission agreed and expressly found that it was not necessary to apply antenna height restrictions—which were originally intended as a constraint on temporary outdoor use of MedRadio antennas regardless of the band in which the transmitter operated—to antennas used for MedRadio transmitters operating in the 2390-2400 MHz band.

6. The Commission concluded that, based on the permissible outdoor use in this band and the relatively low power operations of MBAN transmitters (which effectively limits any gain in