

Station Authorizations, Applications

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April 28 through May 4. Includes data on new stations, changes in existing stations, ownership changes, hearing cases, rules & standards changes and routine roundup.

Abbreviations:

DA—directional antenna. cp—construction permit. ERP—effective radiated power. vhf—very high frequency. uhf—ultra high frequency. ant.—antenna. aur.—aural. vis.—visual. kw—kilowatts. w—watts. mc—megacycles. D—day. N—night. LS—local sunset. mod.—modification. trans.—transmitter. unli.—unlimited hours. kc—kilocycles. SCA—subsidiary communications authorization. SSA—special service authorization. STA—special temporary authorization. SH—specified hours. *—educational. Ann. Announced.

New Tv Station

APPLICATION

*Portland, Ore.—State of Oregon Board of Higher Education, vhf ch. 10 (192-198 mc); ERP 30.42 kw vis., 15.214 kw aur.; ant. height above average terrain 949 ft., above ground 200 ft. Estimated construction cost \$108,800, first year operating cost \$69,000. P.O. address Box 5175, Eugene, Ore. Trans. location Healy Heights, Portland, Ore. Geographic coordinates 45° 29' 20" N. Lat. 122° 41' 39" W. Long. Trans. RCA TT-5A, ant. TF-6AH. Legal counsel Fisher, Wayland, Duwall and Southmayo, Washington, D.C. Consulting engineer Grant S. Feikert, Corvallis, Ore. Educational, non-commercial. Ann. May 2.

Existing Tv Stations

ACTIONS BY FCC

KKTV (TV) Colorado Springs, Colo.—Waived sec. 3.685(e) of rules and granted application to move trans. site about 1.3 miles south to Cheyenne Mt., about 6.4 miles southwest of city, increase ERP to 19.3 dbk (85.1 kw) vis. and 16.3 dbk (42.7 kw) aur., and ant. height to 2,380 ft.; engineering condition. Ann. April 28.

WNBE-TV New Bern, N.C.—Designated for hearing application to change trans. and ant. site; made Dept. of Navy, Dept. of Army, and Federal Aviation Agency parties to the proceeding. Ann. April 28.

Triangle Publications Inc., Altoona, Pa.—Granted program test authority to operate experimental co-channel tv "booster" station in conjunction with its station WFBG-TV on ch. 10 in Altoona in accordance with specifications and conditions of cp granted July 15, 1959, with added condition that grant is without prejudice to whatever action commission may take with respect to pending application for license to cover cp. Ann. May 4.

CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED

WHNB-TV New Britain, Conn.—Connecticut Tv Inc. Changed from WNBC.

KHJK (TV) Hilo, Hawaii—Kaiser Hawaiian Village Tv Inc.

WNBC-TV New York, N.Y.—National Bstg. Co. Changed from WRCA-TV.

*KUSD-TV Vermillion, S.D.—U. of South Dakota.

Tv Translators

ACTIONS BY FCC

Frostburg Community TV Inc., Frostburg, Md.—Granted cp to replace expired permit for tv translator station (W80AB) on ch. 80 to translate programs of WMAL-TV (ch. 7) Washington, D.C. Ann. May 4.

Minnesota Valley TV Improvement Corp., Granite Falls, Minn.—Granted cps for two new tv translator stations on chs. 75 and 81 to translate programs of Minneapolis stations KSTP-TV (ch. 5) and WTCN-TV (ch. 11), respectively. Ann. May 4.

Shelby TV Club Inc., Shelby, Mont.—Granted cps to replace expired permits for two tv translator stations (K72AM) on ch. 72 to translate programs of KFBB-TV (ch. 5) Great Falls; and (K78AG) on ch. 78 to translate programs of CJLH-TV (ch. 7) Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada. Ann. May 4.

Winter Garden Translator System Inc., Carrizo Springs and Crystal City, Tex.—Granted cps for two new tv translator stations on chs. 83 and 77 to translate programs of San Antonio stations KONO-TV (ch. 12) and KENS-TV (ch. 5), respectively. Ann. May 4.

New Am Stations

ACTIONS BY FCC

Radio Station WESB; Canandaigua Bstg. Co., Canandaigua, N.Y.—Designated for consolidated hearing applications for new am stations to operate on 1550 kc, 250 w, D. Ann. May 4.

Black Mountain, N.C.—Mountain View Bstg. Co., granted 1350 kc, 500 w D. P.O. address Box 843, Black Mountain, N.C. Estimated construction cost \$12,695, first year operating cost \$21,000, revenue \$30,000. Eugene Slatkin, former one-third owner of WADA Shelby and David P. Slatkin, electric company supervisor, each own 50%. Ann. Sept. 16.

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Centerville, Ala.—Voice of Mid-South, 1590 kc, 1 kw. P.O. address Box 1662, Birmingham, Ala. Estimated construction cost \$11,765, first year operating cost \$18,500, revenue \$23,000. Principals are W.D. Frink and Fred H. Davis, equal partners. Mr. Frink deals in used cars, was formerly 50% owner of WFHK Pell City, Ala. Mr. Davis is in motel business. Ann. May 3.

Hayward, Calif.—Bay Shore Bstg. Co., 1340 kc, 1 kw unli. P.O. address Keith Moyer, Box 481, Taylorsville, Ill. Estimated construction cost \$10,050, first year operating cost \$48,000, revenue \$60,000. Principals are Keith Moyer, 75%, and James C. Hilderbrand, 25%, owners of KBBM-FM Hayward, Calif. Mr. Moyer is also sole owner of WGGM-FM and 71% owner of WTIM, both Taylorsville, Ill. Ann. May 3.

Madison, Conn.—Rhode Island-Connecticut Radio Corp., 1490 kc, 25 kw unli. P.O. address 11 Railroad Ave., Westerly, R.I. Estimated construction cost \$35,696, first year operating cost \$50,000, revenue \$57,500. Principals are Dr. Augustine L. Cavallaro, 62½%,

and Augustine L. Cavallaro Jr., 37½%, owners of WERI Westerly, R.I. Ann. May 3.

Milford, Conn.—Milford Bstg. Co., 1500 kc, 5 kw D. P.O. address Taunton Hill Rd., Newton, Conn. Estimated construction cost \$49,184, first year operating cost \$63,000, revenue \$76,000. Applicant is Blair A. Walliser who has interest in WEOK Poughkeepsie, N.Y. Ann. May 3.

New Canaan, Conn.—Fairfield Bstg. Service, 1490 kc, 250 kw unli. P.O. address Raymond W. Grandie, 33 Briar Brae Rd., Darien, Conn. Estimated construction cost \$25,958, first year operating cost \$65,000, revenue \$75,000. Principals include Raymond Grandie, Richard Hodgson, 30% each, and others. Mr. Grandie is in advertising, was formerly employe of WGN Chicago. Mr. Hodgson is in electronics, was formerly president of Paramount Pictures Corp. tv subsidiary. Ann. May 3.

Houston, Mo.—Radio Co. of Texas County, 1250 kc, 5 kw D. P.O. address Maurice W. Covert, Box 97, Houston, Mo. Estimated construction cost \$23,361, first year operating cost \$26,400, revenue \$30,000. Principals include W.R. McKnight, Nolan Hutcheson, Raymond Duff, S.E. Ferguson, 12½% each, and others, all Missouri businessmen with no broadcast interests. Ann. May 3.

Lamar, Mo.—James R. Williams, 1560 kc, 25 kw D. P.O. address Box 922, Joplin, Mo. Estimated construction cost \$11,812, first year operating cost \$18,285, revenue \$20,560. Applicant is employe of KODE-AM-TV Joplin, Mo. Ann. April 29.

Brewster, N.Y.—Taconic Bstg., 1510 kc, 1 kw D. P.O. address % Will D. Schmidt, West Cornwall, Conn. Estimated construction cost \$32,603, first year operating cost \$48,000, revenue \$55,000. Principals are Will D. Schmidt, Charles F. LeMieux Jr., and Ernest Field, 33½% each. Mr. Schmidt is employe of Kimberly Clark, Mr. LeMieux is employe of WINS New York, N.Y. Mr. Field is attorney. Ann. May 3.

Asheville, N.C.—B.E. Bryant, 920 kc, 1 kw D. P.O. address 19 Crockett Ave., Asheville, N.C. Estimated construction cost \$48,014, first year operating cost \$72,000, revenue \$100,000. Applicant is independent oil developer. Ann. May 3.

Existing Am Stations

ACTIONS BY FCC

WGAU Athens, Ga.; WAKE Atlanta, Ga.; WBBQ Augusta, Ga.—Designated for consolidated hearing applications to increase daytime power from 250 w to 1 kw, continuing operation on 1340 kc, 250 w-N; made WGAU Cedartown, Ga., and WBET Lyons, Ga., parties to proceeding. Ann. May 4.

WION Ionia, Mich.—Designated for hearing application to change operation on 1430 kc from 500 w, D, to 5 kw, DA-D; made WGRD Grand Rapids, Mich., party to proceeding. Ann. May 4.

WNLS Laurel, Miss.; WGVM Greenville, Miss.—Designated for consolidated hearing applications to increase power from 1 kw to 5 kw, continuing operation on 1260 kc, D; made WXOK Baton Rouge, La., and KADL Pine Bluff, Ark., parties to proceeding. Ann. May 4.

KXRA Alexandria, Minn.; KMRS Morris, Minn.; KISD Sioux Falls, S.D.—Designated for consolidated hearing applications to change facilities of KXRA from 1490 kc 250 w, unli. to 1230 kc, 250 w-N; 1 kw-LS; KMRS from 1570 kc, 1 kw, D, to 1230 kc, 250 w, unli. and KISD to increase daytime power from 250 w to 1 kw, continuing operation on 1230 kc, 250 w-N; made KOTE Ferguson Falls, Minn.; KYSM Mankato, Minn.; KICD Spencer, Iowa; and KHAS Hastings, Neb., parties to proceeding. Ann. May 4.

KYJC Medford, Ore.—Granted increase in daytime power from 250 w to 1 kw, continuing operation on 1230 kc, 250 w-N. Ann. May 4.

KUEN Wenatchee, Wash.—Granted change on 900 kc from 500 w, unli. to 1 kw, D; remote control permitted. Ann. May 4.

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WDAY Glasgow, Ky.—Cp to increase daytime power from 250 w to 1 kw and install new trans. (1490kc). Ann. May 3.

WGCM Gulfport, Miss.—Cp to increase daytime power from 250 w to 1 kw and install new trans. (1240kc). Ann. May 3.

CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED

WWOM New Orleans, La.—WWOM Inc. Changed from WYFE.

KRIH Rayville, La.—John H. Touchstone. Changed from KCLP.

KARR Great Falls, Mont.—Pat M. Goodover. Changed from KXLK.

WMOU Berlin, N.H.—Berlin Bstg. Co. Changed from WKCB.

WNBC New York, N.Y.—National Bstg. Co. Changed from WRCA.

WWML Portage, Pa.—Mainline Bstg. Co.

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