

SUMMARY OF COMMERCIAL BROADCASTING

Compiled by BROADCASTING through May 25

	Lic.	Cps.	CP Not on air	TOTAL APPLICATIONS For new stations
AM	3,409	74	72	863
FM	650	85	183	123
TV	473	57	103	123

OPERATING TELEVISION STATIONS

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	VHF	UHF	TV
Commercial	451	78	529
Non-commercial	35	11	46

COMMERCIAL STATION BOXSCORE

As reported by FCC through April 30, 1960

	AM	FM	TV
Licensed (all on air)	3,408	646	472 ¹
CPs on air (new stations)	61	71	56 ²
CPs not on air (new stations)	84	161	76
Total authorized stations	3,553	878	652
Applications for new stations (not in hearing)	617	77	43
Applications for new stations (in hearing)	211	42	66
Total applications for new stations	828	119	109
Applications for major changes (not in hearing)	686	41	33
Applications for major changes (in hearing)	194	10	18
Total applications for major changes	880	51	51
Licenses deleted	1	1	0
CPs deleted	1	3	17

¹ There are, in addition, ten tv stations which are no longer on the air, but retain their licenses.

² There are, in addition, 38 tv cp-holders which were on the air at one time but are no longer in operation and one which has not started operation.

biologist, former employe of WFMS Indianapolis. Ind. Mr. Byrne is in retail drugs. Ann. May 11.

Portland, Ore.—Market-Casters of Oregon, 102.7 mc, 18.9 kw unl. P.O. address 708-5th Ave. S., Seattle, Wash. Estimated construction cost \$17,871, first year operating cost \$72,000, revenue \$80,000 Market-Casters of Oregon is subsidiary of Market-Caster Inc., Washington corporation, licensee of KMCS (FM) Seattle, Wash. Principal stockholder is James G. Talbot, 85%. Ann. May 19.

Ownership Changes

ACTIONS BY FCC

KVNA Flagstaff, Ariz.—Granted transfer of control from John L. Hogg, et al., to Albertson Bcstg. Corp. (Roy L. Albertson Jr., 50% owner KNOT Prescott, Ariz.; Roy L. Albertson Sr., Helen A. Ruman and Eleanor A. Johnson); consideration \$70,000. Ann. May 25.

KAFP Petaluma, Calif.—Granted assignment of license to Lloyd Burlingham (KCVR-AM-FM, Lodi, Calif., and 51% owner of KNOG Nogales, Ariz.); consideration \$115,000. Ann. May 25.

KVFM (FM) San Fernando, Calif.—Granted (1) renewal of license and (2) assignment of cp, license, and SCA to Spectra Bcstg. Inc. (F.B. Hollingsworth, president); consideration \$65,000. Ann. May 25.

KSJO San Jose, Calif.—Granted assignment of license to Cal Radio Inc. (R.R. Gibson, president, has interest in KXOA-AM-FM Sacramento, and is 52% owner of KAGO Klamath Falls, Ore.); consideration \$350,000. Ann. May 25.

KVOR Colorado Springs, Colo.—Granted acquisition of positive control by Harrison M. Fuerst (now 37.5% owner) through purchase of additional 41.5% interest from James R. Dudley and George W. Furth; consideration \$18,000 for 50% purchased by Mr. Fuerst and three others. Ann. May 25.

KSLA-TV Shreveport, La.—Granted assignment of licenses from Henry E. Linam et al. to KSLA-TV Inc. (Douglas F. Attaway, president, and 61.37% owned by Journal Publishing Co.); consideration \$3,396,916. Ann. May 25.

KANO Anoka, Minn.—Granted assignment of license to Northwest Bcstg. Co. (Frank R. Hunt Jr., and Richard B. Ahern); consideration \$80,292. Ann. May 25.

KTXL San Angelo, Tex.—Granted transfer of control from Elizabeth and Harry G. Burkhardt III, to Petty Durwood Johnson (86% owner of KVWC Vernon); consideration \$16,000 for 86% interest. Ann. May 25.

APPLICATIONS

WPAP Fernandina Beach, Fla.—Seeks

transfer of control of Rowland Radio Inc. from Marshall W., Carol C. Robert T. and Gwendolyn H. Rowland, 25% each, to Marshall W. and Carol C. Rowland, equal partners for \$3,500. Ann. May 19.

WSCM Panama City Beach, Fla.—Seeks assignment of license from Mel Wheeler to WSCM Bcstg. Inc. for \$53,500. Purchaser is Theodore M. Nelson, 90%, who has interest in KFEG-AM-TV St. Joseph and KLIK Jefferson City, both Missouri. Ann. May 19.

KRCW (FM) Santa Barbara, Calif.—Seeks assignment of license from Cameron A. Warren to Channel Bcstg. Co., a corporation. Ann. May 24.

WIRE Indianapolis, Ind.—Seeks transfer of control of Indianapolis Bcstg. Inc. from Central Newspapers Inc. to WIRE Bcstg. Co. for \$600,000. Purchasers include Joseph C. Amatore, Walter B. Dunn, 20% each, and 16 others holding not more than 10% each. Messrs. Amatore and Dunn have interest in WFPL Fort Lauderdale, Fla. Mr. Amatore also has interest in WESO Southbridge, Mass. Ann. May 12.

WADK Newport, R.I.—Seeks assignment of license from Aquidneck Bcstg. Corp. to Key Stations for \$138,000 including agreement not to compete. Purchasers are Arnold S. Lerner, 70%, and Myer Feldman, 30% owners of KOMA Oklahoma City, Okla. They also have interests in KLDL Klamath Falls, Ore. Ann. May 19.

KSLA-TV Shreveport, La.—Seeks assignment of license from Shreveport Tv Co. to KSLA-TV Inc. for \$3,396,916. Purchasers are Journal Publishing Co., (a group headed by Douglas F. Attaway, president), 61.37%, Dolores Martille George LaVigne, and Eugenia Booth George, 10.53% each, and others. Journal Publishing Co. published Shreveport Journal. Mesdames LaVigne and George have interests in KSLA-TV. Ann. May 5.

KGHS International Falls, Minn.—Seeks transfer of control of International Falls Bcstg. Co. from Hyleme S. George, Philip S. George, C.H. Hulse Jr., and Charles R. Shuffett, 25% each, to Messrs. George, equal partners, for \$10,000. Ann. May 19.

WGPA-AM-FM Bethlehem, Pa.—Seeks transfer of control of Bethlehems' Globe Publishing Co. through exchange of shares of second preferred stock for common stock now issued and outstanding plus authorization of new issue of 6,520 shares of cumulative second preferred stock. Only new stockholders will be B. Ellis Service, John Strohmeier, and Donald S. Taylor, holding five shares or less of common, employees of WGPA-AM-FM. Ann. May 23.

WCOW-AM-FM Sparta, Wis.—Seeks transfer of control of Sparta-Tomah Bcstg. Co. from Verna H. Rice, executrix of estate of Z.S. Rice, deceased, 37%, Vena H. Rice,

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