

STATION AUTHORIZATIONS, APPLICATIONS

As compiled by BROADCASTING May 11 through May 17. Includes data on new stations, changes in existing stations, ownership changes, hearing cases, rules & standards changes, 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. unl.—unlimited hours. kc—kilocycles. SCA—subsidiary communications authorization. SSA—special service authorization. STA—special temporary authorization. SH—specified hours. \*—educational. Ann.—Announced.

New tv stations

ACTIONS BY FCC

Midland, Tex.—Midland Telecasting Co.—Granted uhf ch. 18 (494-500 mc); ERP 631 w vis., 324 w aur.; ant. height above average terrain 443 ft., above ground 444 ft. Estimated construction cost \$33,574, first year operating cost \$60,000, revenue \$66,000. P.O. address 300 West Wall. Studio and trans. location Marinenfeld & Wall Sts. Geographic coordinates 31° 59' 54" N. Lat., 102° 4' 30" W. Long. Trans. G.E. TT24A, ant. Alford 1044. Principals include Dalton H. Cobb and Henry C. Darwin, 49% each, and others. Mr. Cobb is independent oil operator. Mr. Darwin formerly owned KPAS Banning, Calif. and KHCD Clifton, Ariz. Action May 11.

Tulare, Calif.—KCOK Inc. Granted uhf ch. 27 (548-554 mc); ERP 39 kw visual, 2.09 kw aural; antenna height above average terrain 180 ft. Estimated construction cost \$159,052, first year operating cost \$180,000, revenue \$200,000. P.O. address: P. O. Box 119, Tulare, Calif. Studio location Tulare, Calif. Trans. location 2 miles east of Tulare, Calif. Geographic coordinates 36° 13' 11" N. Lat., 119° 18' 47" W. Long. Trans. RCA TTU-1B, ant. TFU-24DL. Legal counsel Lester W. Spillane, San Francisco, Calif. Consulting engineer A. E. Towne, San Francisco, Calif. Principals include Joel Keith Munger and Harriet E. Munger, sole owners of all voting stock. KCOK Inc. is licensee of KCOK-AM Tulare, Calif. Action May 11.

APPLICATION

Montgomery, Ala., Alabama Educational TV Commission—uhf ch. 26 (542-548 mc); ERP 18.3 kw vis., 9.16 kw aur.; ant. height above average terrain 594 ft., above ground 553 ft. Estimated construction cost \$26,000, first year operating cost \$29,000, revenue none. P.O. address 807 Protective Life Building, Birmingham, Ala. Trans. location Patterson Field, Madison Ave., Montgomery. Geographic coordinates 32° 22' 52" N. Lat., 86° 17' 30" W. Long. Trans. Federal, ant. Andrews. Consulting engineer A. H. Renfro Jr. Principals include Rex Sikes, Vincent F. Kilborn, H. Maynard Layman, Mrs. Bertha Roberts, Harold T. Purdy. Mr. Sykes is vp

of Luverne Motor Co.; Mr. Kilborn is attorney; Mr. Layman is farm editor of newspaper; Mrs. Roberts is housewife; Mr. Purdy is president of pest control company.

Existing tv stations

ACTION BY FCC

KOCO-TV, ch. 5 Enid, Okla.—By letter, denied request for waiver of sect. 3.652(a) of rules to permit identification as Enid-Oklahoma City station. Commissioners Hyde, Craven and Cross dissented. Action May 17.

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WJMY (TV) Allen Park, Mich.—Robert M. Parr, changed from WRMP-TV.

New am stations

ACTION BY FCC

Nampa, Idaho—Chester C. Whittington—Granted kc, 1 kw-D. 250 w-N. P.O. address Box 826, Nampa, Idaho. Estimated construction cost \$10,274, first year operating cost \$24,000, revenue \$36,000. Applicant is minister. Action May 11.

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Wauchula, Fla.—Brush Bestg. Co. 1600 kc; 500 w D. P.O. address Box 1148. Estimated construction cost \$10,800, first year operating cost \$18,000, revenue \$27,000. Principals: Georgia M. Brush, Jerold A. Brush (50% each). Mr. Brush is engineer-announcer with WAUC Wauchula; Mrs. Brush is owner of radio-tv service business. Ann. May 12.

Warner Robins, Ga.—Mary M. Jarrard 1660 kc; 1 kw D. P.O. address Box 271, Broughton, Ga. Estimated construction cost \$8,550, first year operating cost \$30,000, revenue \$48,000. Principal: Mary M. Jarrard, sole owner, is general manager of WDMG Douglas, Ga. Ann. May 10.

Honolulu, Hawaii—Paul C. Schafer. 1430 kc; 500 w unl. P.O. address 225 South Third St., Burbank, Calif. Estimated construction cost \$12,975, first year operating cost \$35,000, revenue \$40,000. Principal: Paul C. Schafer, sole owner, owns KDOT Reno, Nev., and is president of Schafer Custom Engineering, Burbank. Ann. May 10.

Hastings, Minn.—Hastings Bestg. Co. 1460 kc; 1 kw. P.O. address 839 West 5th St. Estimated construction cost \$20,400, first year operating cost \$52,000, revenue \$65,000. Principals: John G. McKane, pres., (51%); John E. Hyde Jr. v.p., (49%). Mr. McKane is special project co-ordinator, Bureau of Information, Minn. Dept. of Conservation. Mr. Hyde is half owner of KDHL Faribault, Minn. and has controlling interest in KSUM Fairmont, Minn. Ann. May 8.

Ocean City-Somers Point, N. J.—BI-State Bestrs. 1520 kc; 1 kw D. P.O. address c/o Mallyck & Bernton, 621 Colorado Bldg., Washington 5, D.C. Estimated construction cost \$31,000, first year operating cost \$48,000, revenue \$50,000. Principals: Chandler W. Drummond (51%), E. Theodore Mallyck (49%). Mr. Drummond is owner of Tungsten Refining Co. Phoenix, Ariz. and director and principal stockholder of Detroit machine tool co. Mr. Mallyck is Washington attorney and has been staff attorney for FCC. Ann. May 8.

Richmond, Va.—1540 Radio Inc. 1540 kc; 10 kw D. P.O. address 710 Cary St. Estimated construction cost \$80,694, first year operating cost \$84,000, revenue \$95,000. Principals: John E. Grigg, Sam Kornblau, Joseph M. Kittner, B. Earl Dunn, Weiford L. Coutes, George C. Valentine, Julian J. Blanton, Garland P. Clay, Clifford M. Robinson, Julian B. Jacobs (each 10%). Messrs. Grigg and Kornblau are equal partners in contract and holding co.; Mr. Kittner is Washington attorney; Mr. Dunn is president and half-owner of Dunn Service & Storage Co., Richmond and 25% owner of auto firm; Mr. Coutes is insurance agent; Mr. Valentine is sales manager of rubber co.; Mr. Blanton is half-owner of trucking co.; Mr. Clay is general contractor; Mr. Robinson is president and 50% owner of insurance firm; Mr. Jacobs is half-owner of Jason Construction Co. and Chester Development Corp., both Richmond. Ann. May 8.

Ellsworth, Wis.—Ellsworth Bestg. Co. 1430 kc; 500 w. P.O. address Ellsworth, Wis. Estimated construction cost \$12,600, first year operating cost \$22,000, revenue \$36,000. Principals: Bernard A. Meacham and Alvin E. Nelson, each 50%. Mr. Meacham is electrical contractor; Mr. Nelson owns barber shop. Ann. May 10.

Existing am stations

ACTIONS BY FCC

WAJF Decatur, Ala.—Granted increased daytime power on 1490 kc from 250 w to 1 kw, continued nighttime operation with 250 w; remote control permitted; engineering conditions. Action May 17.

KYOU Greeley, Colo.—Granted increased daytime power on 1450 kc from 250 w to 1 kw, continued nighttime operation with 250 w, and change trans. site; engineering conditions. Action May 17.

WSBB New Smyrna Beach, Fla.—Granted increased daytime power on 1230 kc from 250 w to 1 kw, continued nighttime operation with 250 w; engineering conditions. Chmn. Minow not participating. Action May 17.

WPOR Portland, Me.—Granted increased daytime power on 1490 kc from 250 w to 1 kw, continued nighttime operation with 250 w; engineering conditions. Chmn. Minow not participating. Action May 17.

WEMJ Laconia, N. H.—Granted mod. of cp to increase daytime power on 1490 kc from 250 w to 1 kw, continued nighttime operation with 250 w; remote control permitted; engineering conditions. Action May 17.

KCLV Clovis, N. M.—Granted increased daytime power on 1240 kc from 250 w to 1 kw, continued nighttime operation with 250 w; remote control permitted; engineering conditions. Action May 17.

KDKA Pittsburgh, Pa., KYW Cleveland, Ohio—Granted authority through Aug. 11 to conduct special Conelrad tests utilizing frequency shift keying with deviation not to exceed 50 cycles from assigned frequency; conditioned that no interference will be caused to other stations or normal reception of programming impaired. Action May 17.

WICE Providence, R. I.—By letter, denied petition for immediate grant of application to make changes in DA system to provide greater and different coverage than is now afforded. Is licensed on 1290 kc, 1 kw, 5 kw-LS, DA-2. Action May 17.

KURA Moab, Utah—Granted increased daytime power on 1450 kc from 250 w to 1 kw, continued nighttime operation with 250 w; engineering conditions. Chmn. Minow not participating. Action May 11.

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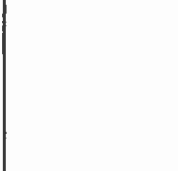
KAHI Auburn, Calif.—Cp to increase power from 1 kw to 5 kw, install new trans. and make changes in ant. system. Ann. May 8.

KEEN San Jose, Calif.—Cp to increase nighttime power from 1 kw to 5 kw and make changes in DA system (1 additional tower) (Requests waiver of Sect. 3.28(c) of rules). Ann. May 8.

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KWUN Concord, Calif.—Service Bestg. Co. KKJO St. Joseph, Mo.—MacRay Radio & TV Corp., changed from KRES.

KRAZ Albuquerque, N. M.—KHAM Inc., changed from KHAM.



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