

Changing Hands

This week's tabulation of station and system sales

WPRI-TV Providence, R.I. □ Purchased by CBS Inc. (Laurence Tisch, chairman/president/CEO) from Narragansett Television LP for \$83 million. **Buyer** owns 8 AMs, 13 FM's and 7 TV's. **Seller** also is selling WTKR(TV) Norfolk, Va., to the New York Times Co. for \$76 million. WPRI-TV is ABC affiliate on ch. 12 with 316 kw visual, 31.6 kw aural and antenna 910 ft. Filed March 15 (BALCT950315KE).

KSNW-TV Wichita and KSNT-TV Topeka, both Kansas, and three satellites □ Purchased by Lee Enterprises Inc. (Richard Gottlieb, president/CEO) from SJL Partners LP (George Lilly, general partner) for \$48.75 million. **Buyer** owns WSZA-TV Huntington, W.Va.; KGMB-TV Honolulu; KGUN-TV Tucson, Ariz.; KMTV(TV) Omaha; and KZIA-TV Las Cruces, N.M. **Buyer** also is controlling owner of KOIN-TV Portland, Ore., and KRQE-TV Albuquerque, N.M. **Seller** also is selling WJRT-TV Flint, Mich., and WTVG(TV) Toledo, Ohio. KSNW-TV is NBC affiliate on ch. 3 with 100 kw visual, 20 kw aural and antenna 1,000 ft. KSNT-TV is NBC affiliate on ch. 27 with 912 kw visual, 138 kw aural and antenna 1,050 ft. *Broker: Salomon Brothers Inc.*

WTDR(FM) Statesville and WEZC(FM) Hickory, both Charlotte, N.C. □ Purchased by SFX Broadcasting (Steve Hicks, president) from Trumper Communications Inc. (Jeffrey Trumper, president; Robert Sillerman, chairman/CEO) for \$ 23.5 million. **Buyer** owns KRLD(AM) Dallas; KODA(FM) Houston; KJQY(FM)/KYXY(FM) San Diego; WSIX-FM/WYHY(FM) Nashville; WMYI(FM)/WSSL-AM-FM Greenville/Spartanburg, S.C., and WMSI(FM)/WJDS(AM)-WKTf(FM) Jackson, Miss. **Seller** owns WLAP(AM)-WMXL(FM)/WWYC(FM) Lexington, Ky. WTDR has country format on 96.9 mhz with 100 kw and antenna 1,548 ft. WEZC has AC format on 102.9 mhz with 31 kw and antenna 1,535 ft. *Broker: Star Media Group Inc.*

WABM(TV) Birmingham, Ala. □ Purchased by Glencairn Ltd. (Edwin Edwards Sr., president) from Development Specialists Inc. (William Brandt Jr., president), plan trustee for Krypton Broadcasting, for \$4.5 million. Edwards owns WPTT(TV) Pittsburgh;

Proposed station trades

By dollar volume and number of sales

This week:

AMs □ **\$6,250,000** □ **6**
FM's □ **\$27,722,500** □ **11**
Combos □ **\$5,089,000** □ **8**
TVs □ **\$140,050,000** □ **5**
Total □ **\$179,111,500** □ **30**

So far in 1995:

AMs □ **\$41,180,500** □ **50**
FM's □ **\$274,148,721** □ **102**
Combos □ **\$477,779,800** □ **70**
TVs □ **\$1,232,362,000** □ **34**
Total □ **\$2,025,471,021** □ **256**

WRDC(TV) Raleigh, N.C., and WNUV-TV Baltimore. **Seller** has no other broadcast interests. WABM is independent, licensed to ch. 68 with 1442 kw visual, 144 kw aural and antenna 1,029 ft. Filed March 5 (BALCT950305KG).

KWLB(TV) Shreveport, La. □ Purchased by White Knight Broadcasting of Shreveport Inc. (Sheldon Galloway,

president/CEO/director) from Word of Life Ministries Inc. for \$3.8 million. **Buyer** has no other broadcast interests. **Seller** has no other broadcast interests. KWLB is independent, licensed to ch. 45 with 786 kw visual and antenna 662 ft. Filed March 15 (BALCT950315KF).

KWNK(AM) Simi Valley, Calif. □ Purchased by Sports Radio Broadcasting Inc. (John Lynch) from Valley Radio 670 Ltd. (Manuel Cabranes, general partner) for \$3.65 million. **Buyer** is wholly owned subsidiary of Noble Broadcast Group Inc., licensee of WVKs(FM) Toledo, Ohio; KBCO-AM-FM Boulder and KHOW(AM)-KHIH(FM) Denver, both Colorado; KATZ(AM)-KMJM(FM) St. Louis, KBEQ(AM) Blue Springs and KBEQ-FM Kansas City, all Missouri, and KATZ-FM Alton, Ill. **Seller** has no other broadcast interests. KWNK has sports format on 670 khz with 5 kw day and 1 kw night. Filed March 17 (BAL95-0317EA).

WCOD(FM) Hyannis, WUNX(FM)

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