

CHANGING HANDS

The week's tabulation of station sales

TVS

WFXL(TV) Albany, Ga.

Price: \$15.5 million

Buyer: Waitt Broadcasting Inc., Omaha, Neb. (Norman Waitt Jr., chairman); also owns/is buying four TVs and two FMs

Seller: Wicks Broadcast Group LP, New York (WBG Management Inc., general partner; Edgar R. Berner, 41.7% owner); owns four TVs

Facilities: Ch. 31, 1,580 kw, ant. 990 ft.

Affiliation: Fox

Broker: Kalil & Co.

KYOU-TV Ottumwa, Iowa

Price: \$3 million

Buyer: Waitt Broadcasting Inc., Omaha, Neb. (see WFXL item, above)

Seller: Public Interests Broadcast Group Inc., Ottumwa (Dick Engstrom, principal); no other broadcast interests

Facilities: Ch. 15, 2.2 kw, ant. 1,200 ft.

Affiliation: Fox

Broker: Michael McHugh

COMBOS

KBMR(AM), KSSS(FM) and KXMR(AM) Bismarck, N.D.

Price: \$4.5 million

Buyer: Cumulus Media Inc., Milwaukee (Richard W. Weening, executive chairman; Lewis W. Dickey, executive vice chairman); owns/is buying 63 AMs and 144 FMs

Seller: Anderson Broadcasting Corp., Bismarck (Alvin Anderson, president); owns KQDY(FM) Bismarck

Facilities: KBMR: 1130 khz, 50 kw day; KSSS: 101.5 mhz, 100 kw, ant. 987 ft.; KXMR: 710 khz, 50 kw day

Formats: KBMR: C&W; KSSS: classic rock; KXMR: dark

Broker: Jody McCoy

WMXY(AM)-WZLG(FM) Hogansville, WCOH(AM) Newnan and WMKJ(FM) Peachtree City, all Ga.

Price: \$4.4 million

Buyer: Jacor Communications Inc., Cincinnati (Samuel Zell, chairman; Randy Michaels, CEO; Zell/Chilmark Fund LP, 30% owner; David H.

Crowl, president, Radio Division); also owns/is buying one TV, 87 AMs and 156 FMs

Seller: MetroSouth Communications LLC, City of Homes LLC and Radio LaGrange LLC, Atlanta (Michael Easterly, managing member of all); no other broadcast interests

Facilities: WMXY: 720 khz, 10 kw day; WZLG: 98.1 mhz, 14.5 kw, ant. 482 ft.; WCOH: 1400 khz, 1 kw; WMKJ: 96.7 mhz, 1 kw, ant. 545 ft.

Format: WMXY: urban contemporary; WZLG: AC; WCOH: country; WMKJ: AC;

Broker: Media Services Group Inc.

FMS

KORL(FM) Honolulu

Price: \$1.65 million

Buyer: New Wave Broadcasting LP, El Paso, Texas (William Douglas, Jon Ferrari, Charles Cohn, Kirk Warshaw and Brad Dubow, all limited partners); also owns one AM and seven FMs

Seller: Caribou Broadcasting LP, Denver (J. Kent Nichols, principal); owns one AM and three FMs

Facilities: 99.5 mhz, 100 kw, ant. -386 ft.

Format: AC

WAHY(FM) Midway, Ky.

Price: \$1.375 million for stock

Buyer: Jacor Communications Inc.,

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CURTIS SQUIRE, INC.

has acquired

KDDS-AM/KQDS-FM

KNLD-TV

Duluth, Minnesota

from

FANT BROADCASTING

for

\$5,500,000

The undersigned acted as exclusive broker



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PROPOSED STATION TRADES

By dollar volume and number of sales; does not include mergers or acquisitions involving substantial non-station assets

THIS WEEK

TVs ■ \$18,500,000 ■ 2
Combos ■ \$8,900,000 ■ 2
FMs ■ \$3,805,000 ■ 5
AMs ■ \$1,625,000 ■ 2
Total ■ \$32,830,000 ■ 11

TOTAL FOR 1998

TVs ■ \$9,003,752,610 ■ 82
Combos ■ \$2,326,186,992 ■ 272
FMs ■ \$1,024,774,894 ■ 344
AMs ■ \$582,188,700 ■ 245
Total ■ \$12,937,925,196 ■ 943

TOTAL FOR 1997

TVs ■ \$7,246,180,330 ■ 110
Combos ■ \$8,083,059,551 ■ 325
FMs ■ \$1,965,811,233 ■ 399
AMs ■ \$361,716,358 ■ 236
Total ■ \$17,631,757,472 ■ 1,070

Source: Broadcasting & Cable