

2001), and wish to submit additional comments per today's reopening, EPA requests that the later set of comments clearly specify whether they supplement or supersede the earlier-filed comments.

Dated: March 27, 2001.

**Diane C. Regas,**

*Acting Assistant Administrator for Water.*

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### 47 CFR Part 73

[DA 01-745; MM Docket No. 01-79; RM-10088]

#### Radio Broadcasting Services; Lordsburg and Deming, NM

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** This document requests comments on a petition for rule making filed on behalf of Runnels Broadcasting System, LLC, licensee of Station KQTN, Lordsburg, New Mexico, requesting the reallocation of Channel 250C to Deming, New Mexico, and modification of its authorization accordingly, pursuant to the provisions of Section 1.420(i) of the Commission's Rules. Petitioner is requested to provide additional information to demonstrate how its proposal will result in a preferential arrangement of allotments, and to provide reception area gain and loss showings. Coordinates used for this proposal are 32-21-00 NL and 108-24-30 WL. As Deming is located within 320 kilometers (199 miles) of the U.S.-Mexico border, concurrence of the Mexican government to the requested allotment of Channel 250C at that community is required.

**DATES:** Comments must be filed on or before May 14, 2001, and reply comments on or before May 29, 2001.

**ADDRESSES:** Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, as follows: James K. Edmundson, Esq., Smithwick & Belendiuk, P.C., 5028 Wisconsin Avenue, NW., Suite 301, Washington, DC 20016.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Nancy Joyner, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission's Notice of

Proposed Rule Making, MM Docket No. 01-79, adopted March 14, 2001, and released March 23, 2001. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC's Reference Information Center (Room CY-A257), 445 Twelfth Street, SW., Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Service, Inc., 1231 20th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20036, (202) 857-3800.

Provisions of the Regulatory Flexibility Act of 1980 do not apply to this proceeding.

Members of the public should note that from the time a Notice of Proposed Rule Making is issued until the matter is no longer subject to Commission consideration or court review, all *ex parte* contacts are prohibited in Commission proceedings, such as this one, which involve channel allotments. See 47 CFR 1.1204(b) for rules governing permissible *ex parte* contacts.

For information regarding proper filing procedures for comments, see 47 CFR 1.415 and 1.420.

#### List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

For the reasons discussed in the preamble, the Federal Communications Commission proposes to amend 47 CFR part 73 as follows:

#### PART 73—RADIO BROADCAST SERVICES

1. The authority citation for part 73 continues to read as follows:

**Authority:** 47 U.S.C. 154, 303, 334 and 336.

##### § 73.202 [Amended]

2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under New Mexico, is amended by adding Channel 250C at Deming.

3. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under New Mexico, is amended by removing Channel 250C at Lordsburg.

Federal Communications Commission.

**John A. Karousos,**

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## FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

### 47 CFR Part 73

[DA 01-693; MM Docket No. 01-69, RM-10081; MM Docket No. 01-70, RM-10082; MM Docket No. 01-71, RM-10083]

#### Radio Broadcasting Services; Parker, AZ; Quartzsite, AZ; Leesville, LA.

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** This document proposes new allotments to Parker, AZ; Quartzsite, AZ; and Leesville, LA. The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by McMullen Valley Broadcasting Company proposing the allotment of Channel 247C3 at Parker, Arizona, as the community's fourth local aural transmission service. Channel 247C3 can be allotted to Parker in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 10.8 kilometers (6.7 miles) south of Parker. The coordinates for Channel 247C3 at Parker are 34-03-11 North Latitude and 114-17-18 West Longitude. Since Parker is located within 320 kilometers (199 miles) of the U.S.-Mexico border, concurrence of the Mexican government has been requested. See Supplementary Information.

**DATES:** Comments must be filed on or before May 7, 2001, and reply comments on or before May 22, 2001.

**ADDRESSES:** Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, his counsel, or consultant, as follows: Mark N. Lipp and James E. Morgan, Shook Hardy & Bacon, L.L.P., 600 14th Street, NW, Suite 800, Washington, DC 20005 (Counsel for McMullen Valley Broadcasting Company); and Stargazer Broadcasting, Inc., P.O. Box 519, Woodville, Texas 75979 (Petitioner for the Leesville, LA proposal).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** R. Barthen Gorman, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission's Notice of Proposed Rule Making, MM Docket No. 01-69; MM Docket No. 01-70; and MM Docket No. 01-71, adopted March 07, 2001, and released March 16, 2001. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Information Center (Room CY-A257), 445 12th Street, SW.,

Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Service, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 1231 20th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20036.

The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by McMullen Valley Broadcasting Company proposing the allotment of Channel 297C3 at Quartzside, Arizona, as the community's second local FM transmission service. Channel 297C3 can be allotted to Quartzside in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 13.7 kilometers (8.5 miles) east of Quartzside. The coordinates for Channel 297C3 at Quartzside are 33-39-06 North Latitude and 114-04-56 West Longitude. Since Quartzside is located within 320 kilometers (199) miles of the U.S.-Mexican border, concurrence of the Mexican government has been requested.

The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by Stargazer Broadcasting of Western Louisiana proposing the allotment of Channel 252A at Leesville, Louisiana, as the community's fourth local aural transmission service. Channel 252A can be allotted to Leesville in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 1.7 kilometers (1 mile) west of Leesville. The coordinates for Channel 252A at Leesville are 31-08-30 North Latitude and 93-16-41 West Longitude.

Provisions of the Regulatory Flexibility Act of 1980 do not apply to this proceeding.

Members of the public should note that from the time a Notice of Proposed Rule Making is issued until the matter is no longer subject to Commission consideration or court review, all *ex parte* contacts are prohibited in Commission proceedings, such as this one, which involve channel allotments. See 47 CFR § 1.1204(b) for rules governing permissible *ex parte* contacts.

For information regarding proper filing procedures for comments, see 47 CFR §§ 1.415 and 1.420.

#### List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

For the reasons discussed in the preamble, the Federal Communications Commission proposes to amend 47 CFR Part 73 as follows:

#### PART 73—BROADCAST SERVICES

1. The authority citation for Part 73 continues to read as follows:

**Authority:** 47 U.S.C. 154, 303, 334, and 336.

#### § 73.202 [Amended]

2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under Arizona, is amended by adding Channel 247C3 at Parker, and Quartzside, Channel 297C3.

3. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under Louisiana, is amended by adding Channel 252A at Leesville.

Federal Communications Commission.

**John A. Karousos,**

*Chief, Allocations Branch, Policy and Rules Division, Mass Media Bureau.*

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### FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

#### 47 CFR Part 73

[DA 01-739; MM Docket No. 01-78; RM-10080]

#### Radio Broadcasting Services; Grants and Bosque Farms, NM

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission (FCC).

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission requests comments on a petition for rule making filed by Educational Media Foundation, permittee of Station KQLV, Channel 288C, Grants, NM, seeking the substitution of Channel 288C2 for Channel 288C, reallocation of the channel from Grants to Bosque Farms, NM, as the community's second local and first competitive FM service, and the modification of Station KQLV's permit accordingly. In addition, Educational Media Foundation requests the allotment of Channel 244C3 to Grants. Channel 288C2 can be allotted to Bosque Farms in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 12.3 kilometers (7.6 miles) southwest, at coordinates 34-47-55 NL; 106-48-59 WL, to accommodate petitioner's desired transmitter site. Channel 244C3 can be allotted to Grants without the imposition of a site restriction, at coordinates 35-09-08 NL; 107-50-33 WL. The Commission also proposes to editorially amend the FM Table of Allotments by substituting Channel 284C1 for Channel 284C at Bosque Farms to reflect the license of Station KTEG.

**DATES:** Comments must be filed on or before May 14, 2001, and reply comments on or before May 29, 2001.

**ADDRESSES:** Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, as follows: David D. Oxenford, Veronica D. McLaughlin, Shaw Pittman, 2300 N Street, NW., Washington, DC 20037-1128 (Counsel to petitioner).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Leslie K. Shapiro, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission's Notice of Proposed Rule Making, MM Docket No. 01-78; adopted May 14, 2001 and released May 29, 2001. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Information Center (Room CY-A257), 445 12th Street, SW., Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Service, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 1231 20th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20036.

Provisions of the Regulatory Flexibility Act of 1980 do not apply to this proceeding.

Members of the public should note that from the time a Notice of Proposed Rule Making is issued until the matter is no longer subject to Commission consideration or court review, all *ex parte* contacts are prohibited in Commission proceedings, such as this one, which involve channel allotments. See 47 CFR 1.1204(b) for rules governing permissible *ex parte* contacts.

For information regarding proper filing procedures for comments, see 47 CFR 1.415 and 1.420.

#### List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

For the reasons discussed in the preamble, the Federal Communications Commission proposes to amend 47 CFR part 73 as follows:

#### PART 73—RADIO BROADCAST SERVICES

1. The authority citation for part 73 continues to read as follows:

**Authority:** 47 U.S.C. 154, 303, 334 and 336.

#### § 73.202 [Amended]

2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under New Mexico, is amended by removing Channel 288C and adding Channel 244C3 at Grants, and removing Channel 284C and adding Channels 288C2 and 284C1 at Bosque Farms.