

SUMMARY OF BROADCASTING

Compiled by BROADCASTING, June 4, 1968

	ON AIR		TOTAL ON AIR	NOT ON AIR		TOTAL Authorized
	Licensed	CP's		CP'S		
Commercial AM	4,182 ¹	13	4,195 ¹	92	4,287 ¹	
Commercial FM	1,805	33	1,838	243	2,081	
Commercial TV-VHF	496 ²	9	505 ²	13	518 ²	
Commercial TV-UHF	118 ²	32	149 ²	163	313 ²	
Educational FM	334	11	345	33	378	
Educational TV-VHF	68	6	74	3	77	
Educational TV-UHF	55	27	82	28	110	

STATION BOXSCORE

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	COM'L AM	COM'L FM	COM'L TV	EDUC FM	EDUC TV
Licensed (all on air)	4,178 ¹	1,790	614 ²	326	123
CP's on air (new stations)	10	37	40	11	33
Total on air	4,188 ¹	1,827	653	337	156
CP's not on air (new stations)	88	247	174	37	29
Total authorized stations	4,276 ¹	2,074	828 ²	374	185
Licenses deleted	0	0	0	1	0
CP's deleted	1	3	1	0	0

¹ Includes two AM's operating with Special Temporary Authorization.

² Includes three VHF's operating with STA's, and one licensed UHF that is not on the air.

■ Review board in Bowling Green, Ohio, AM broadcast proceeding, Docs. 16290-91, granted to extent indicated and denied in all other respects petition to enlarge issues filed March 15 by WMGS Inc. and granted request for official notice and request for acceptance "nunc pro tunc" filed May 1 by Ohio Radio Inc. Action May 29.

■ Review board in Kettering, Ohio, AM broadcast proceeding, Docs. 17243-50, granted motion to withdraw petition to enlarge issues filed on April 26 by Bloomington Broadcasting Co. and dismissed motion to enlarge issues filed on April 18 by Bloomington Broadcasting Co. Action May 31.

ACTIONS ON MOTIONS

■ Hearing Examiner Millard F. French on June 3 in Clarkston, Wash. (Clarkston Broadcasters) AM proceeding, formalized ruling made at May 29 prehearing conference and ordered that hearing presently scheduled for June 13 be continued to date to be set at further prehearing to be held July 2 (Doc. 18124).

■ Hearing Examiner Herbert Sharfman on June 3 in Lebanon and Bagnell, both Missouri (Risner Broadcasting Inc., and Lee Mace) FM and AM proceeding, denied motion by Risner to dismiss Mace's application. Risner had contended that Mace had not complied with newspaper advertisement-of-hearing requirements of rule 1.594-(a)(2) (Docs. 17899, 18043-4).

DESIGNATED FOR HEARING

■ FCC designated for hearing applications of Summit Broadcasting Co. and Cullman Music Broadcasting Co. for new daytime AM stations to operate on 1540 kc.

Existing AM stations

FINAL ACTIONS

■ Review board denied application by Frances C. Gaguine, Bernice Schwartz and Richard P. McKee, owners of KQXI Arvada, Colo. for CP for nighttime directional operation with 10 kw power at Arvada, Colo. Members Berkmeier, Pincock and Kessler participating. (Docs. 14817). Review board said that proposal would violate Sec. 73.28 (d)(3) (10 percent rule) and that no basis has been shown for waiver. Ann. June 4.

■ KFRM Salina, Kan.—Broadcast Bureau granted license covering installation of auxiliary trans. at main trans. location. Action May 29.

■ KBRB Ainsworth, Neb.—Broadcast Bureau granted license covering new AM sta-

tion, specify studio location as 122 East 2nd St., Ainsworth. Action May 29.

■ Commission waived Sec. 73.24(g) of rules and granted Storz Broadcasting Co. CP to increase nighttime power of WGGY Minneapolis from 25 kw to 50 kw. WGGY is licensed to operate on 1130 kc, 25 kw-N, 50 kw-LS, with directional ant. Action May 29.

■ KTCH Wayne, Neb.—Broadcast Bureau granted license covering new station. Action May 29.

■ KOSG Pawhuska, Okla.—Broadcast Bureau granted license covering changes, specify type trans. Action June 3.

■ Commission granted application by Moberge Broadcasting Corp. to increase power of daytime KOLY Moberge, S. D. on 1300 kc from 1 kw to 5 kw. Action May 29.

ACTIONS ON MOTIONS

■ Hearing Examiner Jay A. Kyle on June 4 in Bowling Green, Ohio (WMGS Inc. [WMGS] and Ohio Radio Inc.) AM proceeding, cancelled and set aside all procedural dates, and scheduled a further hearing conference for June 24 (Docs. 16290-1).

■ Hearing Examiner David I. Kraushaar on June 3 in Vinita, Okla. (Vinita Broadcasting Co. [KVIN] and Wagoner Radio Co. [KWLG(FM)]) AM and FM proceeding, scheduled certain procedural dates, and ordered that hearing be rescheduled for Oct. 14 in Tulsa, Okla. (Docs. 18085-7).

RULEMAKING PETITIONS

■ WKSP Kingtree, S. C.—Request that ch. allocations contained in table of assignments, FM stations, be amended as follows: add ch. 252A. Ann. May 31.

■ KVOZ Laredo, Tex.—Requests amendment of FM table of assignments by adding ch. 221A to Laredo. Ann. May 31.

CALL LETTER APPLICATIONS

■ West Jefferson Broadcasting Inc., Gretna, La. Requests KGLA.

■ KOME. Unicom Inc., Tulsa, Okla. Requests KCNW.

New FM stations

APPLICATIONS

■ Boynton Beach, Fla.—Board of Public Instruction of Palm Beach County, Fla. Seeks 88.9 mc, ch. 205, 5.62 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 230 ft. P. O. address: 505 South Congress Avenue, Boynton Beach 33435. Estimated construction cost \$36,529.75; first-year operating cost \$62,161; revenue none. Principals: Applicant is county school

system, part of State of Florida system of public education. Ann. May 31.

■ Dawson, Ga.—Dawson Broadcasting Co. Seeks 92.1 mc, ch. 221, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 228 ft. P. O. address: 110 North Main Street, Dawson, Ga. 31742. Estimated construction cost \$18,047; first-year operating cost \$3,000; revenue \$5,000. Principals: W. C. Woodall Jr. and Mrs. Ed Stevens (each 50%). Mr. Woodall is 29% owner of automobile agency. Applicant is licensee of WDWD Dawson, Ga. Mr. Woodall is 25% owner of WGRA Cairo, Ga.; 37.5% owner of WGSW Greenwood, S. C.; 51% owner of WBBK Blakely, Ga.; 33.3% owner of WDSR Lake City, Fla., and 20% owner of Miracle Radio Inc. Applicant to acquire control of WDLP Panama City, Fla. Ann. May 31.

■ Hinsdale, Ill.—Hinsdale Township High School. Seeks 88.5 mc, ch. 203, 10 w. Ant. height above average terrain 50 ft. P. O. address: 55th and Grant Streets, Hinsdale 60521. Estimated construction cost \$7,008; first-year operating cost \$1,000; revenue none. Principals: Applicant is public educational institution. Ann. May 31.

■ Salem, Ill.—Salem Broadcasting Co. Seeks 97.7 mc, ch. 249, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 160 ft. P. O. address: 310 West McMackin Street, Box 119, Salem 62881. Estimated construction cost \$14,500; first-year operating cost \$10,000; revenue \$10,000. Principals: Thomas S. Land and Bryan Davidson (each 50%). Messrs. Land and Davidson are 50% owners of both WFIW-AM-FM Fairfield and WJBD Salem, both Illinois and Mr. Land has interest in farm. Ann. May 31.

■ Sioux Falls, S. D.—Sioux Empire Broadcasting Co. Seeks 93.5 mc, ch. 228, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 119 ft. P. O. address 952 Washington Building, Washington 20005. Estimated construction cost \$36,384; first-year operating cost \$20,000; revenue \$25,000. Principals: Elder C. (75%) and Wallace L. Stangland (25%). Mr. Elder Stangland is licensee of KIWA Sheldon, Iowa. Mr. Wallace Stangland is manager of KIWA. Applicant has applied for new AM in Sioux Falls, S. D. in 1961 and application is still pending. Ann. May 31.

FINAL ACTIONS

■ FCC denied application filed by Basic Communications Inc. for waiver of mileage separation requirements of Sec. 73.207(a) of rules and acceptance of application for new FM station in Birmingham, Ala. to operate on ch. 258 (99.5 mc), with ERP of 35 kw, and ant. height of 267 ft. Action May 29.

■ Alexandria, La.—KDBS Inc. Broadcast Bureau granted 100.3 mc, ch. 262, 10 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 129 ft. P. O. address: Box 188. Estimated construction cost \$30,520; first-year operating cost \$15,000 to \$20,000. Principals: John Anthony Lazarone, president and secretary and Irving Ward-Steinman, chairman of board and treasurer (each 48%) et al. Mr. and Mrs. Lazarone and Mr. and Mrs. Ward-Steinman are each jointly 50% owners of KLLA Leesville, and KDBS Alexandria, both Louisiana. Mr. Ward-Steinman owns law firm and owns commercial property. Mr. Lazarone also owns commercial property. Action May 29.

OTHER ACTIONS

■ Review board in Vidalia, Ga., FM broadcast proceeding, Docs. 18014-15, granted joint petition for approval of agreement filed on May 1 by Radio Vidalia and Vidalia Broadcasting Co.; approved agreement; granted application of Vidalia Broadcasting Co.; dismissed with prejudice application of Radio Vidalia, and terminated proceeding. Action May 31.

■ Review board in Berwick, Pa., FM broadcast proceeding, Docs. 17884-85, granted request for extension of time filed on May 28 by Berwick Broadcasting Corp. and P.A.L. Broadcasters Inc. and extended to June 6 time within which to file joint reply to comments of Broadcast Bureau. Action May 31.

■ Review board in Athens, Tenn., FM broadcast proceeding, Docs. 17617-18, denied appeal from adverse ruling of presiding examiner filed on March 29 by Athens Broadcasting Co. Action May 31.

ACTIONS ON MOTIONS

■ Hearing Examiner Basil P. Cooper on May 28 in Hannibal, Mo. (Mark Twain Broadcasting Co., and Great River Communications Inc.) FM proceeding, granted petition by Great River Communications Inc., for leave to amend application to show stock change, consolidated balance sheet of applicant and availability of funds. Copy of