

ch. 6 and returned application as the station is presently operating on ch. 6 under STA. WRGB (TV) was subject to FCC show cause order requiring it to change from ch. 4 to ch. 6. Action June 9.

Tulsa, Okla.—Vhf ch. 2 proceeding. FCC Comr. Robert E. Lee dismissed with prejudice application of The Oil Capital TV Corp. and retained in hearing application of Central Plains Enterprises Inc. Action June 7.

Greenville-Spartanburg, S. C.—FCC by Memorandum Opinion and Order, denied protest filed May 6, by Greenville Television Co., permittee of tv station WGVL (TV) (ch. 23), Greenville, S. C., directed against the Commission's action of April 30 in granting without hearing the application of Spartan Radiocasting Co. (WSPA-TV), Spartanburg, S. C., for mod. of CP (ch. 7) to specify location of transmitter on Paris Mountain with ERP of 200 kw visual, 120 kw aural, antenna height above average terrain 1,182 ft. Comr. Hennock dissented. Action June 4.

Memphis, Tenn.—Vhf ch. 3 proceeding. By Order, the Commission denied a petition filed Jan. 19 by Hoyt B. Wooten, d/b as WREC Bcstg. Service requesting that the examiner's ruling with respect to a detailed item under one of its points of reliance entitled "Superior Past Programming" be overruled, in proceeding involving its application and that of WMPS Inc. for new tv station on ch. 3 in Memphis, Tenn. Comrs. Doerfer and Lee issued dissenting statements. Action June 4.

Big Spring, Tex.—Vhf. ch. 4 proceeding. FCC Comr. Robert E. Lee granted petition of Texas Telecasting Inc. to dismiss without prejudice its bid for new tv station on vhf ch. 4 and retained in hearing the application of Big Spring Bcstg. Co. Action June 7.

Hearing Calendar . . .

June 14

New Orleans, La.—Vhf. ch. 4, further hearing before Examiner Elizabeth C. Smith—WWL, WTPS, WNOE.

Hatfield, Ind.—Vhf ch. 9, before Examiner Thomas H. Donahue—WOMI, WVJS Owensboro, Ky.

June 15

Pittsburgh-Irwin, Pa.—Vhf. ch. 4, further hearing before Examiner Elizabeth C. Smith—KQV, WCAE, WLOA, Wespen Tv Inc., Irwin Community Tv Co.

Walnut Creek, Calif.—New am, 1340, before Examiner John P. Poindexter—Arthur Westlund, KSRO Santa Rosa.

Atlanta, Hartselle, Douglas, Ga.—New am, 860 kc, further hearing before Examiner James D. Cunningham—Dorsey Eugene Newman, Hartselle, WERD Atlanta, WDMG Douglas, WAMI Opp, Ala.

Routine Roundup . . .

June 3 Decisions

ACTIONS ON MOTIONS

By Hearing Examiner H. Gifford Irion

By Memorandum Opinion and Order, denied petition of K-SIX Television Inc., Corpus Christi, Tex., filed May 20, to take official notice or reopen the record in re proceeding for ch. 10 in Corpus Christi (Dockets 10556 et al.), for the purpose of incorporating an affidavit from the City Secretary. (Action of 5/27).

Corpus Christi, Tex., Gulf Coast Bcstg. Co., Baptist General Convention of Texas—Granted petition of Baptist General Convention for leave to accept late its proposed findings in re proceeding for ch. 6 (Dockets 10559-60). (Action of 6/1).

By Hearing Examiner Herbert Sharfman

Issued an Order to govern the course of the hearing in re applications of WKAT Inc. et al. for ch. 10 in Miami, Fla. (Dockets 9321 et al.).

By Hearing Examiner Charles J. Frederick

Norfolk, Va., Beachview Bcstg. Corp.; Portsmouth, Va., Portsmouth Radio Corp.—Granted motion of Portsmouth to correct the transcript in proceedings re applications for ch. 10 (Dockets 10800-01). (Action of 6/1).

Hastings, Neb., The Seaton Pub. Co.—On motion by the applicant, postponed from June 3 to July 1 the date for taking oral testimony in re proceeding for ch. 5 (Docket 10965). (Action of 5/26).

By Hearing Examiner Isadore A. Honig

Klamath Falls, Ore., KFJI Bcstrs., Klamath Falls Tv Inc.—Granted joint motion requesting continuance from June 2 to June 10 of the further hearing conference in re applications for ch. 2 (Dockets 10980-81).

By Hearing Examiner Millard F. French

Springfield, Ill., Sangamon Valley Tv Corp., WMAY-TV Inc.—Granted joint request for extension of time from June 14 and June 30 to July 5 and July 20, respectively, in which to file proposed findings in re applications for ch. 2 (Dockets 10701, 10703).

By Hearing Examiner Claire W. Hardy

Dothan, Ala., WOOF Television Corp., Ala-Fla-Ga Television Inc.—Ordered minor corrections to the initial decision released May 27, in re applications for ch. 9 (Dockets 10991-92).

By Hearing Examiner Harold L. Schilz

Biloxi, Miss., Radio Associates Inc., WLOX Bcstg. Co.—Ordered corrections to be made in the transcript of record of hearings held in re applications for ch. 13 (Dockets 10844-45).

By Hearing Examiner John B. Poindexter

Issued an Order which shall control the subsequent course of the hearing in re applications of Ector County Bcstg. Co., et al., for ch. 7 in Odessa, Tex. (Dockets 10974 et al.). The taking of oral testimony in this proceeding will begin on June 7.

June 3 Applications

ACCEPTED FOR FILING

Modification of CP

WATR-TV Waterbury, Conn., WATR Inc.—Mod. of CP (BPCT-965), as mod., which authorized new station for extension of completion date to 12-29-54.

KTVE (TV) Longview, Tex., Arlington James Henry, t/as East Texas Television Co.—Mod. of CP (BPCT-1777), as mod., which authorized replacement of expired CP for a new tv station for extension of completion date to 8-1-54 (BMPCT-2157).

License for CP

WTAR-TV Norfolk, Va., WTAR Radio Corp.—License to cover CP (BPCT-909), as mod., which authorized new tv station (BLCT-205).

June 4 Decisions

ACTIONS ON MOTIONS

By Commissioner Robert E. Lee

Chief Broadcast Bureau—Granted petition for an extension of time to and including June 10 within which a reply may be filed to petition of Signal Hill Telecasting Corp. protesting grant of application of KWK Inc. for ch. 4 in St. Louis, Mo. (Docket 8810; BPCT-324).

Chief Broadcast Bureau—Granted petition for an extension of time to and including June 8 within which answers may be filed to petitions to enlarge issues in re tv ch. 6 at Whitefish Bay, Wis. (Dockets 11009 et al.).

Los Angeles, Calif., William and Lee A. Odessky—Granted petition for dismissal of their application for a new am station (Docket 8850; BP-6023).

By Hearing Examiner William G. Butts

Detroit, Mich., Booth Radio & Tv Stations Inc., Woodward Bcstg. Co.—Granted joint petition for postponement to July 7 for submission of their direct case, and that each direct case shall be introduced in evidence at a further hearing to be held July 12 instead of June 10, in proceeding re ch. 50 (Dockets 10680-81).

By Memorandum Opinion and Order, denied requests made by Southern Tier Radio Service Inc., applicant for ch. 40 at Binghamton, N. Y., and the Chief of the Broadcast Bureau, that the order of May 19 be reconsidered and modified (Dockets 10681-82).

By Hearing Examiner Isadore A. Honig

Issued an Order which shall control the further course of hearing in re applications of Appalachian Bcstg. Corp. and Tri-Cities Television Corp., for ch. 5 at Bristol, Va.-Tenn. (Docks. 10879-80); said hearing to commence July 12.

By Hearing Examiner Annie Neal Hunting

Tulsa, Okla., Central Plains Enterprises Inc., The Oil Capital Tv Corp.—Granted petition of Oil Capital for continuance of hearing from June 2 to June 7 in re applications for ch. 2 (Dockets 10839, 10841).

By Hearing Examiner Herbert Sharfman

Knoxville, Tenn., Scripps-Howard Radio Inc., Radio Station WBIR Inc., Tennessee Tv Inc.—Granted motion of Scripps-Howard for additional time to file proposed findings now due June 15 in proceeding re ch. 10 (Dockets 10512 et al), and such time is extended to July 6, with counter-findings, if any, due 15 days thereafter.

June 7 Decisions

BROADCAST ACTIONS

Actions of June 4

Granted License

WCEF Parkersburg, W. Va., Clarence E. Franklin—Granted license for am station; 1050 kc, 250 w, D (BL-5272).

KFMU Glendale, Calif., Nicholas M. Brazy—Granted license for fm broadcast station; ch. 246 (97.1 mc); 58 kw, U (BLH-968).

Granted CP

WMFG Hibbing, Minn., Head of the Lakes Bcstg. Co.—Granted CP to change transmitter and studio location (BP-9280).

WNBK Cleveland, Ohio, National Bcstg. Co.—Granted CP to install an auxiliary transmitter at the main transmitter site specified in CP (BMPCT-918) (BPCT-1867); completion date 2-4-55.

WUSV Scranton, Pa., U. of Scranton—Granted CP to change transmitter and studio locations of noncommercial educational fm station (BPED-253).

Modification of CP

KTUE Tulsa, Tex., Tulsa Bcstrs.—Granted Mod. of CP for approval of antenna, transmitter and studio location; condition (BMP-6494).

WFAR Farrell, Pa., Sanford A. Schafitz—Granted Mod. of CP to change type transmitter and change studio location (BMP-6525).

The following were granted Mod. of CP's for extension of completion dates as shown: WABJ Adrian, Mich., to 12-9-54, conditions; WJBK Detroit, Mich., to 12-9-54, conditions.

Actions of June 3

Granted License

WEKY Richmond, Ky., Dages I. Boyle—Granted license for am broadcast station; 1340 kc, 250 w, U (BL-5147).

Modification of CP

KELP El Paso, Tex., Trinity Bcstg. Corp.—Granted Mod. of CP to mount tv antenna on #1 tower of directional array (increase height); conditions (BMP-6534).

WRBL-FM Columbus, Ga.—Granted Mod. of CP for extension of completion date to 7-7-54.

Actions of June 2

Granted License

WSIG Mt. Jackson, Va., Richard Field Lewis Jr.—Granted license for am broadcast station; 790 kc, 1 kw, D (BL-5292).

WBEN Buffalo, N. Y., WBEN Inc.—Granted license covering installation of new auxiliary transmitter (BL-5300).

WSPD-FM Toledo, Ohio, Storer Bcstg. Co.—Granted license for fm broadcast station; ch. 268 (101.5 mc), 23 kw, U (BLH-967).

Granted CP

WMOZ Mobile, Ala., Gadsden Radio Co.—Grant CP to install new transmitter (composite); conditions (BP-9281).

Modification of CP

WEAT West Palm Beach, Fla., James Robert Meachem—Granted Mod. of CP to increase height of No. 2 tower by addition of tv antenna and specify studio location (BMP-6516).

KTLA Los Angeles, Calif., Paramount Television Productions Inc.—Granted Mod. of CP to install new antenna system and make other equipment changes; completion date 12-2-54 (BMPCT-2119).

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