

Summary of broadcasting

FCC tabulations as of Feb. 29, 1975

	Licensed	On air STA*	CP's on air	Total on air	CP's not on air	Total authorized**
Commercial AM	4,435	3	27	4,465	50	4,515
Commercial FM	2,708	0	77	2,785	120	2,905
Educational FM	766	0	50	816	59	875
Total Radio	7,909	3	154	8,066	229	8,295
Commercial TV	701	1	9	711	53	764
VHF	509	1	4	514	9	523
UHF	192	0	5	197	44	241
Educational TV	229	9	14	252	15	267
VHF	90	3	4	97	7	104
UHF	139	6	10	155	8	163
Total TV	930	10	23	963	68	1,031

*Special temporary authorization

**Includes off-air licenses

AM applications

■ Bentonville, Ark.—JEM Broadcasting Co. seeks 1190 khz, 250 w-D. P.O. address: Big Tree Realty Bldg., U.S. Hwy. 71, Bentonville 72712. Estimated construction cost \$38,444; first-year operating cost \$47,125; revenue \$50,000. Format: C&W, easy listening. Principals: Elvis Lee Moody (44%), Jim Tilley (44%) and G. Ronald Rye (12%). Mr. Moody is commercial manager for KHOZ-FM Harrison, Ark. Mr. Rye owns KCAB(AM)-KWKK(FM) Dardanelle, Ark. Mr. Tilley has banking, abstracting and real estate interests. Ann. April 6.

■ Van Buren, Ark.—Crawford County Communications seeks 1190 khz, 250 w-D. P.O. address: 823 Fayetteville Rd., Van Buren 72956. Estimated construction cost \$32,857; first-year operating cost \$8,780; revenue \$48,000. Format: C&W, pops. Principals: William L. Pharis (66-2/3%) and Bert Denson (33-1/3%). Mr. Pharis was news editor at KFSM-FM Ft. Smith, Ark. up to 1976 and owns two music stores. Mr. Denson is engineer at KFSM-TV and has farming interests. Ann. April 6.

■ Wray, Colo.—KRZD Broadcasters seeks 1470 khz, 1 kw-D. P.O. address: Box 65, Show Low, Ariz. 85901. Estimated construction cost \$86,337; first-year operating cost \$49,400; revenue \$51,500. Format: C&W, MOR. Principals: Robert D. and Marjorie M. Zellmer (husband and wife) own equally. Zellmers own ranch. Mr. Zellmer owned KVSL(AM) Show Low, Ariz. until 1974. Ann. April 6.

■ Madison, W. Va.—Capital Communications seeks 1450 khz, 1 kw-D, 250 w-N. P.O. address: 93 McDowell St., Welch, W. Va. 24801. Estimated construction cost \$3,127; first-year operating cost \$46,957; revenue \$70,000. Format: C&W, popular music. Principals: Gerald E. Davis (70%) and Roger L. Lowe (30%). Mr. Lowe is sales manager of WXEE(AM) Welch, W. Va. Mr. Davis has majority interests in WXEE. Ann. April 6.

AM action

Broadcast Bureau granted following CP modification to extend completion time to date shown:

■ WBFN Quitman, Miss., to June 20 (BMP-14151).

AM licenses

Broadcast Bureau granted following licenses covering new stations:

■ WPPI Carrollton, Ga. (BL-14060); WDAX McRae, Ga. (BL-14012).

FM applications

■ Boise, Idaho—New Executive Motel seeks 104.3 mhz, 50 kw, HAAT 1,794 ft. P.O. address: c/o Dale Moore, Drawer M, Missoula, Mont. 59801. Estimated construction cost \$116,408; first-year operating cost \$42,820; revenue \$72,000. Format: Modern C&W. Principal: Dale Moore (100%) has stock in KCAP(AM) Helena, KGVO-AM-TV Missoula, KCFW-TV Kalispell and KTVM-TV Butte, all Mont. Mr. Moore is also president of KMUT-TV Twin Falls and KSEI(AM) Pocatello, both Idaho. Ann. April 5.

■ Monticello, Me.—Radiation Laboratory seeks 90.1 mhz, 10 w, HAAT 50 ft. P.O. address: c/o Allan Weiner, Britton Rd., Monticello 04760. Estimated construction cost \$3,800; first-year operating cost \$1,500. Format: Variety. Principal: Applicant is non-profit association doing research and development in various fields. Ann. April 5.

■ Bolton, Mass.—Nashoba-Tahanto Verbal Communications Collaborative seeks 90.1 mhz, 1.4 kw, HAAT 1180 ft. P.O. address: c/o Tahanto Regional High School, Rte. 70, Boylston, Mass. 01565. Estimated construction cost \$62,800; first-year operating cost \$12,000. Format: Variety. Principal: Applicant is educational collaboration between various Mass. school districts. Ann. April 5.

■ Athens, Tenn.—Cumberland Broadcasting Corp. seeks 101.7 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT 300 ft. P.O. address: c/o J.R. Pickel Jr., 1201 Demonbreun, Nashville 37203. Estimated construction cost \$89,613; first-year operating cost \$65,000; revenue: none given. Format: Good music. Principal: J.R. Pickel Jr. is licensee of WLAR(AM) Athens. Ann. April 8.

FM actions

Broadcast Bureau granted following CP modifications to extend completion time to date shown:

■ KLAQ-FM Lakewood, Colo., to Oct. 11 (BMP-14763); *WEAA Baltimore, to Sept. 30 (BMPED-1377).

FM starts

■ WKOQ-FM Gordon, Ga.—Authorized program operation on 107.1 mhz, ERP 3 kw, HAAT 98 ft. Action March 30.

■ KAOH-FM Duluth, Minn.—Authorized program operation on 94.9 mhz, ERP 25 kw, HAAT 400 ft. Action March 30.

■ WWOC Avalon, N.J.—Authorized program operation on 94.3 mhz, ERP 3 kw, HAAT 300 ft. Action March 26.

■ WZEZ Nashville—Authorized program operation on 92.9 mhz, ERP 100 kw, HAAT 400 ft. Action March 30.

FM licenses

Broadcast Bureau granted following licenses covering new stations:

■ *WHCI Savannah, Ga. (BLED-1438); *WSKG-FM Binghamton, N.Y. (BLED-1460); *WNHU West Haven, Conn. (BLED-1427); *WWWA Walpole, Mass. (BLED-1452); *KEPO Eagle Point, Ore. (BLED-1507).

Ownership changes

Applications

■ KCIN(AM) Victorville, Calif. (1590 khz, 500 w-D)—Seeks assignment of license from Top-Dial Broadcasters to Roger P. Brandt for \$130,000. Seller: Cliff Paxson who has no other broadcast interests. Buyer has sold, subject to FCC approval, KDZA-AM-FM Pueblo, Colo., to Michael Galer for \$410,000 (BROADCASTING, June 30, 1975). Ann. April 6.

■ KUBA(AM)-KHEX(FM) Yuba City, Calif. (AM: 1600 khz, 5 kw-D, 500 w-N; FM: 103.9 mhz, 3 kw)—Seeks assignment of license from Cascade Broadcasting Corp. to LeRoy J. Neider and Eugene Mills for \$315,000. Sellers: David M. Jack and Transpac Leasing Corp., Tacoma, Wash.-based industrial leasing firm, also own KEGL(AM) Santa Clara and KBIF(AM) Fresno, both Calif.; KLIQ(AM) Portland, Ore., and KUDY-AM-FM Spokane, Wash. Mr. Neider is Los Gatos, Calif., attorney and Mr. Mills is Palo Alto, Calif., certified public accountant. Neither has other broadcast interests. Ann. April 6.

■ WCSR-AM-FM Hillsdale, Mich. (AM: 1340 khz, 500 w-D, 250 w-N; FM: 92.1 mhz, 3 kw)—Seeks transfer of control of Flynn Enterprises from Fahey J. Flynn (100% before; none after) to WCSR Inc. (none before; 100% after). Consideration: \$310,000. Principals: Fahey Flynn wishes to devote more time to other interests. Buyers are Anthony Flynn (brother) (45%) and five others. Mr. Flynn has been VP and general manager of WCSR-AM-FM for five years. Ann. April 9.

■ WYOO-FM Richfield, Minn. (101.3 mhz, 100 kw)—Seeks assignment of license from Fairchild Minnesota to Doubleday Broadcasting Co. for \$850,000. Seller, publicly traded, also owns WYOO(AM) Richfield and KLIIF(AM) Dallas and has purchased, subject to FCC approval, KDTX(FM) Dallas (BROADCASTING, Dec. 22, 1975). Buyer is wholly owned subsidiary of Doubleday & Co., publishing firm, and owns KRIZ(AM) Phoenix; KHOW-AM-FM Denver; KDWB(AM) St. Paul; KITE(AM) Terrell Hills and KEXL(FM) San Antonio, both Texas, and 25% of Odessa, Tex., cable system. Ann. April 6.

■ WROX(AM) Clarksdale, Miss. (1450 khz, 1 kw-D, 250 w-N)—Seeks assignment of license from Birney Imes Jr., executor, to Birney Imes Jr. Mr. Imes was executor of his mother's (Eunice T. Imes) estate. In addition, Mr. Imes has interests in WELO-AM-FM Tupelo; WCBI-AM-TV Columbus; WNAG(AM) Grenada and WONA-AM-FM Winona, all Mississippi; is applicant for WBOY-TV Clarksburg, W. Va. Ann. April 9.

■ WBRM(AM) Marion, N.C. (1250 khz, 1 kw-D)—Seeks transfer of control of Lake City Broadcasting Corp. from Will P. Erwin, Jack L. Reynolds, Stella W. Anderson and Stella Trapp (100% before; none after) to Childress Broadcasting Corp. (none before; 100% after). Consideration: \$225,000. Principals: Mr. Erwin, Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Trapp have interests in WIFM-AM-FM Elkin, N.C., and Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Trapp are also principals in WBBO-AM-FM Forest City and WPNF(AM) Brevard, both North Carolina with interests in four North Carolina newspapers. Buyer, also licensee of WSKS(AM) West Jefferson, N.C., is owned by James B. Childress who has interests in WMSJ(AM) Sylva and WKRK(AM) Murphy, both North Carolina. Ann. April 1.

BANKRUPTCY SALE

AVANT GARDE BROADCASTING, INC.,
dba KAGB-FM, Bankrupt
Bankruptcy No. BK75-20840-BR

Trustee offers for sale the FCC license and all of the physical assets of radio station KAGB-FM, Inglewood (Los Angeles County) California consisting of office furniture and fixtures, and broadcasting equipment.

The physical assets are located at 9920 South LaCienega Boulevard, Suite 644, Los Angeles, California. The broadcasting tower is located at 4100 South Padilla Place, Baldwin Park Reservoir, Los Angeles, California.

Said assets will be offered for sale to the highest and best bidder, subject to confirmation of the Court on April 29, 1976, at 9:30 A.M. in the Courtroom of the Honorable Barry Russell, Bankruptcy Judge, Room 804, U.S. Courthouse, 312 North Spring Street, Los Angeles, California.

Inspection will be held between the hours of 10:00 A.M. and 3:00 P.M. on April 27, 1976 and April 28, 1976 at 9920 South LaCienega Boulevard, Suite 644, Los Angeles, California, and 4100 South Padilla Place, Baldwin Park Reservoir, Los Angeles, California.

Terms will be cash. Buyer to deposit 20% down at time of sale. Balance on closing. Courtesy to brokers - 5%

For further information, write to Gilbert Robinson, Trustee in Bankruptcy, 1888 Century Park East, Suite 900, Los Angeles, California 90067. Phone (213) 277-7400.