

As compiled by BROADCASTING for the period Jan. 10 through Jan. 14 and based on filings, authorizations, petitions and other actions announced by the FCC.

Abbreviations: ALJ—Administrative Law Judge. alt.—alternate. ann.—announced. ant.—antenna. aur.—aural. aux.—auxiliary. CH—critical hours. CP—construction permit. D—day. DA—directional antenna. Doc.—Docket. ERP—effective radiated power. HAAT—height of antenna above average terrain. khz—kilohertz. kw—kilowatts. MEOV—maximum expected operation value. mhz—megahertz. mod.—modification. N—night. PSA—presunrise service authority. SH—specified hours. trans.—transmitter. TPO—transmitter power output. U—unlimited hours. vis.—visual. w—watts. *—noncommercial.

New stations

TV applications

■ Miami—Coral Television Corp. seeks ch. 33 (584-590 mhz); ERP 1603 kw vis., 160 kw aur., HAAT 943 ft.; ant. height above ground 1038 ft. P.O. address: 1111 Brickell Ave., Miami 33131. Estimated construction cost \$360,000; first-year operating cost \$20,000. Legal counsel Wilner & Scheiner, Washington; consulting engineer Cohen & Dippel. Station will act as satellite of WCIX-TV, Miami. Company is owned by General Cinema Corp., which owns WFLA(FM) Philadelphia, major motion picture theater chain and other enterprises. Ann. Jan. 10.

■ Concord, Calif.—Bohannon Broadcasting Co. seeks ch. 42 (638-644 mhz); ERP 20.6 kw vis., 3.09 kw aur., HAAT 536.3 ft.; ant. height above ground 193 ft. P.O. address: 1448 S. Main St., Walnut Creek, Calif. 94549. Estimated construction cost \$119,900; first-year operating cost \$74,000; revenue \$148,720. Legal counsel Farrand, Malt, Spillane & Cooper, San Francisco; consulting engineer Robert E. Bullock. Principal: Raymond Keith Bohannon (100%). Mr. Bohannon owns Walnut Creek, Calif. advertising agency and publishes community information magazine. He is public affairs director of KKIS(AM)-KDFM(FM) Pittsburg, Calif. Ann. Jan. 11.

TV action

■ *Eufaula, Okla., Oklahoma Educational Television Authority—Broadcast Bureau granted ch. 3 (60-66 mhz); ERP 100 kw vis., 10 kw aur., HAAT 1310 ft., ant. height above ground 693 ft. P.O. address: c/o Robert L. Allen, 7403 N. Kelley Ave., Oklahoma City 73114. Estimated construction cost \$816,092; first-year operating cost \$50,000. Legal counsel Cohn & Marks,

FCC tabulations as of Dec. 31, 1976

	Licensed	On air STA*	CP's on air	Total on air	CP's not on air	Total authorized**
Commercial AM	4,464	7	26	4,497	39	4,536
Commercial FM	2,798	1	74	2,873	153	3,026
Educational FM	844	0	26	870	73	943
Total Radio	8,106	8	126	8,240	265	8,505
Commercial TV	720	1	7	728	37	765
VHF	513	1	3	517	6	523
UHF	207	0	4	211	31	242
Educational TV	241	3	12	256	8	264
VHF	92	1	8	101	2	103
UHF	149	2	4	155	6	161
Total TV	961	4	19	984	45	1,029

*Special temporary authorization

**Includes off-air licenses

Washington; consulting engineer Cohen & Dippel. Principals: The OETA is licensee of *KOED-TV Tulsa and *KETA-TV Oklahoma City. Robert L. Allen is director (BPET-544). Action Dec. 28.

TV license

Broadcast Bureau granted following license covering new station: WCFL Chicago (BLCT-2495), Dec. 28.

AM applications

■ Sycamore, Ill.—Hometown Communications Inc. seeks 1560 khz, 250w-D. P.O. address: 124 W. State St., Sycamore, Ill. 60178. Estimated construction cost \$9,350; first-year operating cost \$27,845; revenue \$55,000. Format: Adult contemporary. Principals are James A. Uszler, Leonard C. Watson (38.5% each) and Gerald M. Taylor (12%). Remaining stock is divided among five others. Mr. Uszler is account executive with Creative Establishment, Chicago, and Mr. Watson is production manager with Leo Burnett Advertising there. Mr. Taylor owns automobile dealership. Ann. Jan. 10.

■ Carrville, Ala.—Hughey Broadcasting Co. seeks 1130 khz, 1 kw-D. P.O. address: Rt. 4, Box 245, Tallassee, Ala. 36078. Estimated construction cost \$45,761.63; first-year operating cost \$20,000; revenue \$60,000. Format: contemporary music. Principal is Fred Randall Hughey (99.8%), who is station manager with WQSI(FM) Union Springs, Ala. Ann. Jan. 10.

AM start

■ WUNH Salem, N.H.—Authorized program operation on 1110 khz, 5 kw-D. Action Dec. 22.

FM applications

■ *Paramount, Calif.—Los Angeles County Chapter

Society of Separationists seeks 89.5 mhz, 10 w, HAAT 33.2 ft. P.O. address: 15339 Navranja Ave., Paramount 90721. Estimated construction cost \$1300; first-year operating cost \$500. Format: educational. Applicant is nonprofit educational corporation. Ann. Jan. 11.

■ *San Rafael, Calif.—San Rafael High School District seeks 91.5 mhz, 10 w, HAAT 66 ft. P.O. address: Third and E. Streets, San Rafael 94901. Estimated construction cost \$4,200; first-year operating cost \$400. Format: educational. Applicant is public high school district. Ann. Jan. 11.

■ Salmon, Idaho—Dale J. Smith seeks 92.7 mhz, 1.8 kw, HAAT 1,235 ft. P.O. address: Box 950, Salmon 93467. Estimated construction cost \$26,535; first-year operating cost \$12,000; revenue \$24,000. Format: standard pops. Principal presently owns and operates KSRA(AM) Salmon and raises livestock. Ann. Jan. 10.

■ Muncie, Ind.—Muncie Broadcasting Corp. seeks 104.9 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT 300 ft. P.O. address: Box 2465 Muncie 47302. Estimated construction cost \$97,910; first-year operating cost \$30,000; revenue not relied on. Format: C&W, standard, adult contemporary. Principals are Robert J. Poorman Sr. (50.16%) and his wife Betty J. (39.86%). Remaining stock is held by their sons. Mr. and Mrs. Poorman also own WERK(AM) Muncie and WXLW(AM) Indianapolis. Ann. Jan. 10.

■ *Dodge City, Kan.—Dodge City Community College seeks 91.9 mhz, 10 w, HAAT 73.94 ft. P.O. address: 14th and Bypass 50, Dodge City 67801. Estimated construction cost \$10,893; first-year operating cost \$19,800. Format: mixed. Principal: Applicant is state educational institution.

■ Forrest Lake, Minn.—Lakes Broadcasting Co. seeks 95.9 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT 300 ft. P.O. address: 1671 E. Montana Av., St. Paul, Minn. 55106. Estimated construction cost \$46,120.53; first-year operating cost \$43,150; revenue \$98,900. Format: MOR. Principal is Eddie S. Cary (51%). Robert E. Rife, Robert C. Briggs, Lyle J. Eckberg, James F. Lammens and Dean R. McGowan own 9.8% each Mr. Cary is announcer with WCCO-TV Minneapolis. Messrs. Briggs, Eckberg and Lammens are law partners. Messrs. Rife and McGowan have real estate and insurance firms, respectively. Ann. Jan. 10.

■ Henderson, Nev.—KVOV Inc. seeks 100.5 mhz, 100 kw, HAAT —119 ft. P.O. address: Box 400 Henderson 89015. Estimated construction cost \$54,700; first-year operating cost \$30,000; revenue \$108,000. Format: Rhythm and blues. Principals: Company is owned equally by Joseph F. Newman and Louis E. Randle Jr. They presently own KVOV(AM) Henderson. Mr. Newman owns Indianapolis advertising agency, and Mr. Randle is businessman with grain distributing interest. Ann. Jan. 10.

■ *East Brunswick, N.J.—Board of Education of the Township of East Brunswick seeks 91.7 mhz, 10 w, HAAT 65 ft. P.O. address: East Brunswick High

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