

For the Record

As compiled by BROADCASTING, March 5 through March 9, and based on filings, authorizations and other FCC actions.

Abbreviations: ALJ—Administrative Law Judge. alt.—alternate. ann.—announced. ant.—antenna. app.—application. aur.—aural. aux.—auxiliary. CH—critical hours. CP—construction permit. D—day. DA—directional antenna. Doc—Docket. ERP—effective radiated power. HAAT—height above average terrain. khz—kilohertz. kw—kilowatts. m—meters. mhz—megahertz. MO&O—memorandum opinion & order. MEA—major environmental action. MP—modification of permit. N—night. PSA—presunrise service authority. RCL—remote control location. SH—specified hours. SL—studio location. TL—transmitter location. trans.—transmitter. TPO—transmitter power output. U—unlimited hours. vis.—visual. w—watts. *—noncommercial.

New stations

Actions

AM's

- Titusville, Fla.—Central Florida Broadcasters app. returned for 650 khz, 10 kw-D. Action March 7.
- Imperial, Neb.—Jerrell E. Kautz granted 1560 khz, 5 kw-D, 1 kw-CH. Address: 1305 East "B," McCook, Neb. 69001-0218. Principal is permittee of new FM at McCook, Neb. Action March 2.
- West Fargo, N.D.—Crowley Broadcasting Co. app. returned for 660 khz, 10 kw-D, 1 kw-N. Action Feb. 27.

FM's

- Spenard, Alaska—Dan Mahoney app. returned for 103.1 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 390 ft. Action Feb. 29.
- Sutter Creek, Calif.—Harold Kozlowski app. returned for 101.7 mhz, 250 w, HAAT: 911 ft. Action March 2.
- Rock Harbor, Fla.—David W. Freeman Sr. and others granted 102.3 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 254 ft. Address: U.S. Highway One, East Side at Mile Marker 100, Rock Harbor, Fla. Principal is owned by David W. Freeman Sr. and family. None have other broadcast interests. Action Feb. 23.
- Rock Harbor, Fla.—Pennington Broadcasters app. returned for 102.3 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 100 ft. Action Feb. 23.
- *Haines City, Fla.—Haines City Public Radio Inc. app. returned for 90.3 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 300 ft. Action Feb. 24.
- Valdosta, Ga.—Cherry Lynn Rogers app. dismissed for 96.7 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 300 ft. Action Feb. 23.
- Dyersville, Iowa—Dyersville Music Corp. granted 99.3 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 300 ft. Address: 320 First Avenue East, Dyersville, 52040. Principal is equally owned by Danny McClean, Tom Jenk and Jude Milbert. None have other broadcast interests. Action Feb. 27.
- Smiths Grove, Ky.—Audio Broadcasters Inc. app. returned for 107.1 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 300 ft. Action Feb. 29.
- Avon, Minn.—Minnesota Christian Broadcasters app. returned for 105.5 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 300 ft. Action Feb. 29.
- *Ellington, Mo.—Southern Reynolds County R-II School Board app. dismissed for 89.3 mhz, 105 w, HAAT: 230 ft. Action March 2.
- *Southampton, N.Y.—Help Old People Inc. app. returned for 90.9 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 300 ft. Action Feb. 16.
- Wurtsboro, N.Y.—Jerome Gillman Inc. app. returned for 100.1 mhz, 570 w, HAAT: 620 ft. Action Feb. 29.
- Lancaster, Pa.—Larry Greindner app. returned for 95.3 mhz, 10 kw, HAAT: 200 ft. Action Feb. 23.
- Del Rio, Tex.—Blanca Maria Gonzalez app. returned 96.3 mhz, 100 kw, HAAT: 478 ft. Action March 2.
- *Laredo, Tex.—Diocesan Radio Corp. granted 88.1 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 246 ft. Address: 1200 Lantana, Corpus Christi, Tex. 78407. Principal is nonprofit educational institution, headed by Msgr. Robert E. Freeman. It also was granted app. for new noncommercial FM at Robstown, Tex. (see below). Action Feb. 29.

- *Longview, Tex.—Criswell Bible Institute app. returned for 91.7 mhz, 3.1 kw, HAAT: 103 ft. Action Feb. 29.
- Lubbock, Tex.—High Plains Broadcasting app. dismissed for 106.3 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 254 ft. Action Feb. 23.
- *Robstown, Tex.—Diocesan Radio Corp. app. granted for 89.5 mhz, 1.56 kw vis., HAAT: 396 ft. Principal was also granted CP for new noncommercial FM at Laredo, Tex. (see above). Action Feb. 28.
- *Robstown, Tex.—Robstown Independent School District app. dismissed for 89.5 mhz, 100 w, HAAT: 175 ft. Action Feb. 28.
- San Angelo, Tex.—Mario Martinez app. dismissed for new FM on 107.5 mhz, ERP: 100 kw, HAAT: 245 ft. Action Feb. 27.

TV's

- *Bad Axe, Mich.—Central Michigan University app. returned for ch. 15; 105.4 kw vis., 19.54 kw aur., HAAT: 276 ft. Action Feb. 24.
- Wichita Falls, Tex.—Thornberry TV Ltd. granted ch. 18. ERP: 1.288 kw vis., 128.8 kw aur., HAAT: 539 ft. Address: 2245 Perimeter Park, Suite 3, Atlanta, Ga. 30341. At time of app., filed April 30, 1982, principals were William J. Barbin (36%), Bert Wallace and Janet T. Lee (18% each) and David Vaughan (28%). Action Nov. 28, 1983.

Ownership changes

- WHMA-AM-FM Anniston, Ala. (1390 khz, 5 kw-D, 1 kw-N; FM: 100.5 mhz, 100 kw, HAAT: 772 ft.)—Seeks assignment of license from Anniston Broadcasting Co. to Calhoun Broadcasting Co. Inc. for \$1.2 million cash. Seller is majority owned by H. Brandt Ayers and sister, Elise Ayers Sanguinetti. They recently sold co-located WHMA-TV for \$2.9 million ("Changing Hands," June 6, 1983). They also own newspapers including *The Anniston Star*. Buyer is owned by Malcolm B. Street, stations' general manager (51%), and James A. Hudson, chief engineer (49%). Both have minor interest in seller. Filed March 5.
- KVML(AM)-KROG-FM Sonora, Calif. (1450 khz, 1 kw-D, 250 w-N; FM: 92.7 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 650 ft.)—Seeks assignment of license from Portuguese American Communications Corp. to Crown-Sierra Broadcasting Co. for \$735,000, comprising \$175,000 cash and \$560,000 note. Seller is owned by Anthony D. Azeredo, Joe Quadros and brothers, Albano G., and Decio G. Oliveira. None have other broadcast interests. They bought station for \$750,000 ("Changing Hands," Nov. 26, 1979). Buyer is owned by David W. Winters (30%) and his sister, Deborah S. Winters (20%), and sisters, Lindsay Fenton Meikle, Brooke W. and Kimberly N. Fenton (16.7% each). Both Winters are accountants in California. Their father, Melvin Winters, is one-third owner of KCEY(AM)-KMIX(FM) Turlock, Calif. Brooke W. and Kimberly N. Fenton are students; Lindsay Fenton Meikle is housewife. Their father, F. Robert Fenton, is also one-third owner of KCEY(AM)-KMIX(FM), majority owner of KPLS(AM) Santa Rosa, Calif., and is one-fourth owner of KHSN(AM) Coos Bay and KOOS-FM North Bend, both Oregon, and KMYC(AM)-KRFD(FM) Marysville, Calif. None of buyers have other broadcast interests.
- WADS(AM) Ansonia, Conn. (690 khz, 1 kw-D)—Seeks assignment of license from ADS Broadcasting Corp. to James D. and Susan P. Huber for \$200,000, comprising \$60,000 cash and \$140,000 note. Seller is owned by Jerome D. Dawson, who has no other broadcast interests. Buyers are husband (70%) and wife (30%), who have no other broadcast interests. James Huber is publishing salesman. Filed March 1.
- WTKW(TV)[CP] Key West, Fla. (ch. 16, 603 kw vis., 60.3 kw aur., HAAT: 300 ft.)—Seeks assignment of license from Key West Television Inc. to S. Joseph Hoffman for \$25,000. Seller is owned by Don S. Sundquist, also owner of WSC(TV)[CP] Melbourne, Fla. Buyer is also one-fourth owner of Golden Triangle TV, permittee for new TV at Merrimack, N.H. Filed March 1.

- KSDW-FM Sulphur, Okla. (100.9 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 273 ft.)—Seeks assignment of license from Lula M. Stone to 52 Broadcasting Group Inc. for \$230,000. Seller has no other broadcast interests. Buyer is equally owned by Stanley Sussman and John Schmitt. It also owns KHME(FM)(CP) Commanche, Okla. KSDW is on 100.9 mhz with 3 kw and antenna 273 feet above average terrain. Filed March 2.
- KMTR-TV Eugene, Ore. (ch. 16, 1.855 kw vis., 371 kw aur., HAAT: 1,570 ft., ant. 276 ft. above ground. CP granted Oct. 19, 1981; license issued Feb. 8, 1983)—Granted transfer of control of KMTR Inc. from Joseph H. Gonyea and 17 others (78% before; none after) to Hugh E. Davis and seven others (none before; 78% after) for \$1.14 million. Sellers have no other broadcast interests. Four nonselling shareholders include station's president, Robert W. Davis (12.6%). Buyer is owned by Davis's father, Hugh E. Davis (35%), Robert A. Paisley (17%) and six others. Hugh Davis also owns KNDO(TV) Yakima and KNDU(TV) Richland, both Washington. Filed Dec. 5, 1983. Granted Jan. 16.

- WBER(AM) Moncks Corner, S.C. (950 khz, 500 w-D)—Seeks assignment of license from Berkley Broadcasting Corp. to Estelle C. Brissette, receiver. Assignor is 90% owned by Joseph L. Cussac and wife, Sheila W. Joseph Cussac recently bought WWKO(AM) Fair Bluff, N.C., ("For the Record," June 20, 1983) and then relinquished station to previous licensee ("For the Record," Dec. 5, 1983). Assignee is creditor of licensee in amount of \$106,657. Station has been shut down and app. requests FCC permission to remain silent for 100 days. Station has been sold by receiver, at public auction, subject to FCC approval, to Bruce Roberts of Goose Creek, S.C.

- WAKI(AM) McMinnville, Tenn. (1230 khz, 1 kw-D, 250 w-N)—Seeks assignment of license from Durham Broadcasting Corp. to Ramsey Broadcasting for \$650,000, comprising \$400,000 cash and \$250,000 note. Seller is owned by Aaron L. Durham, who has no other broadcast interests. Buyer is owned by Thorold D. Ramsey, executive vice president at Heritage Federal Savings & Loan in McMinnville. He has no other broadcast interests. Filed March 5.

- KVRN-AM-FM Sonora, Tex. (980 khz, 1 kw-D; FM: 92.1 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 3 ft.)—Seeks assignment of license from The Foster Broadcasters Inc. to Mike R. Street for \$100,000 note and assumption of debt. Seller is owned by Walton Foster (56.7%), Donald W. Griffith (28.3%) and Fred M. Key (15%). Foster and Griffith are also majority owners of KRCT(FM) Ozona, Tex., and have bought, subject to FCC approval, KQSA(AM)-KIXY(FM) San Angelo, Tex. They are selling KVRN-AM-FM to comply with regional concentration rule and, according to contract, have right to repurchase stations if commission rescinds rule as result of announced notice of inquiry. Filed Feb. 15.

Actions

- KDXY(FM) (formerly KHIG(FM)) Paragould, Ark. (104.9 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 255 ft.)—Granted assignment of license from Larry T. Coffman to New South Broadcasters for assumption of indebtedness, including \$450,000 note. This is third sale of station in as many years. Seller is owned by Larry T. Coffman, who has no other broadcast interests. Buyer is owned by Fredrick D. Reagan, who also owns KXXA(AM) Monette, Ark. Action March 6.
- KPEN(FM) Los Altos, Calif. (97.7 mhz, 3 kw, HAAT: 350 ft.)—Granted transfer of control of Los Altos Broadcasting Inc. from LDS Enterprises (51% before; none after) to Alan Baer (none before; 51% after) for assumption of equivalent share of debts equaling approximately \$1.8 million and \$60,000. Contract also calls for associated company of Baer's to loan \$540,000 to licensee. Don W. Burden, station's general manager, owns other 49%. Burden, previous owner of Indianapolis-based group owner, Star Stations, whose station licenses were revoked by commission, had applied to purchase total control of KPEN, but withdrew application after commission had failed to approve it within one year. Baer was then brought in as new buyer. Seller is owned by Frank DeSmidt, who has no other broadcast interests. Buyer is chairman of Brandeis Corp., Omaha-based department store company. He has no other broadcast interests. Action Feb. 29.
- KSFE(AM) Needles, Calif. (1340 khz, 1 kw-D, 250 w-N)—Granted assignment of license from Veach & Associates; Ted Finneran, receiver to William J. Simon, trustee in