

# FOR THE RECORD

As compiled by BROADCASTING from Nov 8 through Nov 14 and based on filings, authorizations and other FCC actions.

Abbreviations: AFC—Antenna For Communications; ALJ—Administrative Law Judge; alt.—alternate; ann.—announced; ant.—antenna; aur.—aural; aux.—auxiliary; ch.—channel; CH—critical hours.; chg.—change; CP—construction permit; D—day; DA—directional antenna; Doc.—Docket; ERP—effective radiated power; Freq.—frequency; HAAT—height above average terrain; H&V—horizontal and vertical; khz—kilohertz; kw—kilowatts; lic.—license; m—meters; mhz—megahertz; mi.—miles; MP—modification permit; mod.—modification; N—night; pet. for recon.—petition for reconsideration; PSA—presurre service authority; pwr.—power; RC—remote control; S-A—Scientific-Atlanta; SH—specified hours; SL—studio location; TL—transmitter location; trans.—transmitter; TPO—transmitter power output; U or unl.—unlimited hours; vis.—visual; w—watts; \*—noncommercial. Six groups of numbers at end of facilities changes items refer to map coordinates. One meter equals 3.28 feet.

## OWNERSHIP CHANGES

### Applications

■ **KTIM(AM)** Wickenburg, AZ (BAL901031ED; 1250 khz; 1 kw-D, 202 w-N)—Seeks assignment of license from Interstate Broadcasting Systems of Arizona to Circle S. Broadcasting Co. Inc. for \$47,500. Seller is headed by Paul J. Toberty and Joyce K. Toberty. Seller is a subsidiary of IBS Holding Corp., licensee of KRDS(FM) Wickenburg, AZ. Buyer is headed by Harold Ray Shumway and Sharon Ellen Shumway, and has no other broadcast interests. Filed Oct. 31.

■ **KCIN-AM** Victorville, CA (BAL901030EA; 1590 khz; 500 w-D, 135 w-N; FM)—Seeks assignment of license from Sidney King to Island Broadcasting Corp. for \$1,575,000 ("Changing Hands" Oct. 29). Sale includes KATJ(FM) George, CA. Seller is headed by Sidney King and Mattie Brown. Buyer is headed by Scott A. Brody and Richard L. Sadowsky. Sadowsky has interests in Eagle Communications Inc., licensee of KECI-TV Missoula, KCFW-TV Kalispell and KTYM-TV Butte, all Montana; and Precht Communications Inc., parent of Eagle and Precht Television Associates Inc., licensee of KIEM-TV Eureka, CA. Filed Oct. 30.

■ **KKGD(AM)-KZKS-FM** Rifle, CO (AM: BTC901031EB; 810 khz; 1 kw-D; FM: BTCH901031EC; 105.3 mhz; 100 kw; ant. 1,740 ft.)—Seeks assignment of license from Western Media Inc. to David R. Smith and Steven L. Albrecht for undisclosed price. Seller is headed by Steven Humphries and has no other broadcast interests. Buyers have no other broadcast interests. Filed Oct. 31.

■ **WLTG(AM)** Panama City, FL (BAL901031EA; 1430 khz; 5 kw-U)—Seeks assignment of license from Faith Broadcasting, general partner to Hour Group Broadcasting Inc. for \$212,219. Seller is headed by Clarence Gay, Peggy Gay and Carson Dugger Sr. and has no other broadcast interests. Buyer is headed by J. W. Hunt, Bill A. Corbin, A. D. Whitehurst Jr. and Clarence Gay. Gay also has interests in the seller. Filed Oct. 31.

■ **WGGA-FM** Cleveland, GA (BAPLH901019GG; 101.9 mhz; 1.45 kw; ant. 453 ft.)—Seeks assignment of license from 226 Main St. to ADVANTAGE MEDIA Inc. for \$1.18 million ("Changing Hands" Nov. 5). Sale includes WGGA(FM) Gainesville, GA. Seller is headed by Terry W. Barnhard and has no other

broadcast interests. Buyer is headed by C. B. Rogers, Richard N. Hubert and Alan A. Aycock. Filed Oct. 19.

■ **WMDT(TV)** Salisbury, MD (BTCCT901029KK; ch. 47; 3470 kw-V; 347 kw-A; ant. 1,000 ft.)—Seeks assignment of license from Delmarva Broadcast Service general partner to Marion Brechner in transfer of estate. Buyer has interests in Northeast Kansas Broadcast Service Inc., licensee of KTKA-TV ch. 49 Topeka, KS, and Southwest Ohio Broadcast Services, licensee of WKFI(AM)-WSWO(FM) Wilmington, OH. Filed Oct. 29.

■ **WTIQ-AM** Manistique and WTIQ-FM Gulliver, both Michigan (AM: BAL901022HT; 1490 khz; 1

kw-U; FM: BALH901022HU; 94.7 mhz; 100 kw; ant. 443 ft.)—Seeks assignment of license from American Peakes Ltd. to WSHN Inc. for \$150,000. Seller is headed by Frances Jo Curtis and has no other broadcast interests. Buyer is headed by and is the licensee of WSHN-AM-FM Fremont, MI, and has an application pending to assign WSHN-AM-FM from Stuart P. Noordyk to WSHN Inc. Filed Oct. 22.

■ **KSWM(AM)** Aurora, MO (BAL901025EB; 940 khz; 1 kw-D; ant.)—Seeks assignment of license from Aurora Broadcasting to Galen O. Gilbert for \$268,000. Seller is headed by A. Dale Hendrix and John Mitchell. Mitchell has interests in KNES(FM) Fairfield and

## SUMMARY OF BROADCASTING & CABLE

### BROADCASTING

SERVICE	ON AIR	CP% <sup>1</sup>	TOTAL <sup>2</sup>
Commercial AM	4,978	246	5,224
Commercial FM	4,357	906	5,263
Educational FM	1,435	296	1,731
Total Radio	10,770	1,448	12,218
Commercial VHF TV	552	18	570
Commercial UHF TV	560	184	744
Educational VHF TV	125	3	128
Educational UHF TV	228	18	246
■ Total TV	1,465	223	1,688
VHF LPTV	179	165	344
UHF LPTV	578	1,074	1,652
■ Total LPTV	757	1,239	1,996
FM translators	1,847	302	2,149
VHF translators	2,731	114	2,845
UHF translators	2,239	400	2,639

### CABLE

Total subscribers	53,900,000
Homes passed	71,300,000
Total systems	10,823
Household penetration <sup>†</sup>	58.6%
Pay cable penetration	29.2%

<sup>1</sup> Includes off-air licenses. <sup>†</sup> Penetration percentages are of TV household universe of 92.1 million. <sup>2</sup> Construction permit. <sup>3</sup> Instructional TV fixed service. <sup>4</sup> Studio-transmitter link. Source: Nielsen and Broadcasting's own research.