

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Nancy Joyner, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission's *Notice of Proposed Rule Making*, MM Docket No. 96-127, adopted May 24, 1996, and released June 7, 1996. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC's Reference Center (Room 239), 1919 M Street, NW., Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractors, International Transcription Service, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 2100 M Street, NW., Suite 140, Washington, DC 20037.

Provisions of the Regulatory Flexibility Act of 1980 do not apply to this proceeding.

Members of the public should note that from the time a Notice of Proposed Rule Making is issued until the matter is no longer subject to Commission consideration or court review, all *ex parte* contacts are prohibited in Commission proceedings, such as this one, which involve channel allotments. See 47 CFR 1.1204(b) for rules governing permissible *ex parte* contacts.

For information regarding proper filing procedures for comments, See 47 CFR 1.415 and 1.420.

List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

Federal Communications Commission.

John A. Karousos,

*Chief, Allocations Branch, Policy and Rules Division, Mass Media Bureau.*

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#### 47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No. 96-125; RM-8807]

#### Radio Broadcasting Services; Hilton, NY

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission requests comments on a petition filed by Alan Bishop d/b/a Hilton Broadcasting seeking the allotment of Channel 238A to Hilton, NY, as the community's first local aural transmission service. Channel 238A can be allotted to Hilton in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 1.9 kilometer (1.2 miles) north, at coordinates 43-18-15 NL; 77-47-56

WL, to avoid a short-spacing to Station WNVE, Channel 236B, South Bristol Township, NY. Hilton is located within 320 kilometers (200 miles) of the U.S.-Canadian border. Further, the allotment will result in a short-spacing to Stations CKDS-FM, Channel 237C1, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada, and CJBC1F, Channel 238C1, Belleville, Ontario, Canada. However, petitioner states that it will apply for and operate the station with a directional antenna so as to avoid causing interference over Canadian land area. Therefore, we will request Canadian concurrence in the allotment as a specially negotiated allotment.

**DATES:** Comments must be filed on or before July 29, 1996, and reply comments on or before August 13, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, or its counsel or consultant, as follows: Alan SW. Bishop, d/b/a Hilton Broadcasting, 679 Furman Road, Fairport, New York 14450 (Petitioner).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Leslie K. Shapiro, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

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For information regarding proper filing procedures for comments, see 47 CFR 1.415 and 1.420.

List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

Federal Communications Commission.

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#### 47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No. 96-131; RM-8810]

#### Radio Broadcasting Services; El Dorado, AR

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** This document requests comments on a petition for rule making filed by Arkansas Radio Broadcasters requesting the allotment of Channel 268A to El Dorado, Arkansas, as that community's fifth local FM transmission service. Coordinates used for Channel 268A at El Dorado, Arkansas, are 33-10-27 and 92-38-55.

**DATES:** Comments must be filed on or before August 5, 1996, and reply comments on or before August 20, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, as follows: Arkansas Radio Broadcasters, Attn: Carol B. Ingram, President, P. O. Box 73, Batesville, MS 38606.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Nancy Joyner, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission's *Notice of Proposed Rule Making*, MM Docket No. 96-131, adopted June 7, 1996, and released June 14, 1996. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC's Reference Center (Room 239), 1919 M Street, NW., Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractors, International Transcription Service, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 2100 M Street, NW., Suite 140, Washington, DC 20037.

Provisions of the Regulatory Flexibility Act of 1980 do not apply to this proceeding.

Members of the public should note that from the time a Notice of Proposed Rule Making is issued until the matter is no longer subject to Commission consideration or court review, all *ex parte* contacts are prohibited in Commission proceedings, such as this

one, which involve channel allotments. See 47 CFR 1.1204(b) for rules governing permissible *ex parte* contacts.

For information regarding proper filing procedures for comments, See 47 CFR 1.415 and 1.420.

#### List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

Federal Communications Commission.

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#### 47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No.96-130, RM-8818]

#### Radio Broadcasting Services; Grenada, MS

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission requests comments on a petition by Darby Radio Enterprises proposing the allotment of Channel 267A at Grenada, Mississippi, as an additional FM service. Channel 267A can be allotted to Grenada in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 9.2 kilometers (5.7 miles) west to avoid short-spacing conflicts with the licensed site of Station WJDQ(FM), Channel 267C1, Meridian, Mississippi, and to the proposal (FM-7437) to add Channel 269A at Coffeerville, Mississippi. The coordinates for Channel 267A at Grenada are 33-47-48 and 89-54-29.

**DATES:** Comments must be filed on or before August 5, 1996, and reply comments on or before August 20, 1996.

**ADDRESSES:** Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC 20554. In addition to filing comments with the FCC, interested parties should serve the petitioner, or its counsel or consultant, as follows: Darby Radio Enterprises, P.O. Box 9, Charleston, Mississippi 38921 (petitioner).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Pam Blumenthal, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission's *Notice of Proposed Rule Making*, MM Docket No.96-130, adopted June 7, 1996, and released June 14, 1996. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC's Reference Center (Room 239), 1919 M Street, NW., Washington, DC. The

complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, ITS, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 2100 M Street, NW., Suite 140, Washington, DC 20037.

Provisions of the Regulatory Flexibility Act of 1980 do not apply to this proceeding.

Members of the public should note that from the time a Notice of Proposed Rule Making is issued until the matter is no longer subject to Commission consideration or court review, all *ex parte* contacts are prohibited in Commission proceedings, such as this one, which involve channel allotments. See 47 CFR 1.1204(b) for rules governing permissible *ex parte* contacts.

For information regarding proper filing procedures for comments, see 47 CFR 1.415 and 1.420.

#### List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

Federal Communications Commission.

John A. Karousos,

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## DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

### Federal Railroad Administration

#### 49 CFR Part 214

[FRA Docket No. RSOR 13, Notice No. 7]

RIN 2130-AA86

#### Roadway Worker Protection

**AGENCY:** Federal Railroad Administration (FRA), Department of Transportation (DOT).

**ACTION:** Notice of hearing.

**SUMMARY:** On March 14, FRA published its Notice of Proposed Rulemaking on Roadway Worker Protection (61 FR 10528), which was the product of the agency's first regulatory negotiation. FRA announced at that time that a public hearing would only be scheduled if it was requested, since the negotiated rulemaking process has already provided a significant opportunity for oral presentations and participation by the public. An expression of interest in having a hearing was submitted on behalf of one person whom we have not been able to identify or contact. However, in accordance with 5 U.S.C. § 553 and 49 U.S.C. § 20103(e), FRA is holding the requested hearing.

**DATES:** A public hearing will be held from 12:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. on July 11, 1996. Any person who wishes to speak

at the hearing should notify the FRA Docket Clerk at least five working days before the hearing, by telephone (202) 366-2257 or by mail.

**ADDRESSES:** The public hearing will be held in the Executive Room, Holiday Inn Capitol Hill, which is located at 415 New Jersey Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Gordon A. Davids, P.E., Bridge Engineer, Office of Safety, FRA, 400 Seventh Street S.W., Room 8326, Washington, D.C. 20590 (telephone: 202-366-0507); Phil Olekszyk, Deputy Associate Administrator for Safety Compliance and Program Implementation, FRA, 400 Seventh Street S.W., Room 8320A, Washington, D.C. 20590 (telephone 202-366-0897); or Cynthia Walters, Trial Attorney, Office of Chief Counsel, FRA, 400 Seventh Street S.W., Room 8201, Washington, D.C. 20590 (telephone 202-366-0621).

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#### 49 CFR Part 214

[FRA Docket No. RSOR 13, Notice No. 8]

RIN 2130-AA86

#### Roadway Worker Protection

**AGENCY:** Federal Railroad Administration (FRA); Department of Transportation (DOT).

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The Federal Railroad Administration is announcing a meeting of the Roadway Worker Protection Advisory Committee (Committee) to review comments submitted in response to the publication of the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) on March 14, (61 FR 10528).

**DATES:** The Committee will hold an additional meeting on July 12, 1996 from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held in the Executive Room, Holiday Inn, Capitol Hill, which is located at 415 New Jersey Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Cynthia Walters, Trial Attorney, Office of Chief Counsel, FRA, 400 Seventh Street S.W., Room 8201, Washington, D.C. 20590 (Telephone: 202-366-0621); or Gordon Davids, P.E., Bridge Engineer, Office of Safety, FRA, 400 Seventh Street S.W., Room 8326, Washington, D.C. 20590 (Telephone: 202-366-0507).