

equipment shall have a longitudinal balance in the acceptable region of Figure 68.310(k). The metallic termination used for the longitudinal balance measurements for 2.4, 4.8, 9.6, and 56 Kbps shall be 135 Ohms plus or minus one percent. The metallic termination used for the longitudinal balance measurements (M-L balance) for subrate, ISDN (BRA) and PSDS shall be 135 ohms +/- 1% and for 1.544 Mbps and ISDA (PRA) shall be 100 ohms +/- 1%. The longitudinal termination for these measurements (L-M balance) shall be 90 ohms in all cases.

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14. Section 68.312 is amended by revising paragraph (b) introductory text, and paragraph (b)(2), removing from paragraph (c)(2) the words "paragraph (a)(2)" and adding in their place the words "paragraph (b)(2)", and by revising paragraph (h), introductory text, to read as follows:

§ 68.312 On-hook impedance limitations.

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(b) Limitations on individual equipment intended for operation on loop-start telephone facilities, including PSDS Type II in the analog mode:

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(2) Registered terminal equipment and registered protective circuitry intended for use on facilities which will always have ringing detection circuitry in use at the same time such registered terminal equipment and registered protective circuitry is connected need not comply with the 40 kilohms maximum impedance specification of paragraph (b)(1)(iv) of this section.

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(h) Limitations on PBX equipment with an off-premises interface and direct inward dialing (DID). PBX ringing supplies whose output appears on the off-premises interface leads shall not trip when connected to the following tip-to-ring impedance which terminates the off-premises station loop:

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47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No. 95-44; RM-8602]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Fair Bluff, NC

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Final rule; petition for reconsideration.

SUMMARY: The Chief, Policy and Rules Division, grants the petition for

reconsideration filed by Atlantic Broadcasting Co., Inc., by imposing a 12.7 kilometer (7.9 mile) northeast site restriction on vacant and now applied-for Channel 287A at Fair Bluff, North Carolina. The coordinates for Channel 287A at Fair Bluff are 34-21-22 NL; 78-54-36 WL. See 60 FR 44820, August 29, 1995. The imposition of the site restriction could allow Station WDAR-FM, Channel 283C3, Darlington, South Carolina, to operate omnidirectionally and thus increase its service area. With this action, this proceeding is terminated.

EFFECTIVE DATE: August 15, 1996.

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

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's *Memorandum Opinion and Order*, MM Docket No. 95-44, adopted July 26, 1996, and released August 2, 1996. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC 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, International Transcription Service, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 2100 M Street, NW., Suite 140, Washington, DC 20037.

List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

Federal Communications Commission.

Douglas W. Webbink,

Chief, Policy and Rules Division, Mass Media Bureau.

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47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No. 94-134; RM-8538, RM 8589]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Burlington, CO, and Brewster, KS

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This document adds FM Channel 257C1, Burlington, Colorado, to the FM Table of Allotments, Section 72.202(b) of the Commission's Rules. It also rejects a counterproposal by KNAB, Inc. (KNAB) to add that same channel at Brewster, Kansas.

DATES: Effective September 9, 1996. The window period for filing applications will open on September 9, 1996, and close on October 10, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: R. Barthen Gorman, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180. Questions related to the window application filing process for Channel 257C1 at Burlington, Colorado, should be addressed to the Audio Services Division, FM Branch, (202) 418-2700.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's *Report and Order*, MM Docket No. 94-134, adopted July 19, 1996, and released July 26, 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, located at 1919 M Street, NW., Room 246, or 2100 M Street, NW., Suite 140, Washington, DC 20037.

List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

Part 73 of title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations is amended as follows:

PART 73—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for part 73 continues to read as follows:

Authority: Secs. 303, 48 Stat., as amended, 1082; 47 U.S.C. 154, as amended.

§ 73.202 [Amended]

2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under Colorado is amended by adding Channel 257C1 at Burlington.

Federal Communications Commission.

John A. Karousos,

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

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NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

48 CFR Part 1825

Revision to NASA FAR Supplement Coverage on Acquisition of Japanese Products and Services

AGENCY: Office of Procurement, Contract Management Division, National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This rule revises the NASA FAR Supplement regarding acquisitions by NASA when Japanese products or

services are offered. In negotiations with Japan, the U.S. Trade Representative has removed NASA from the list of agencies required to acquire Japanese products and services on a non-discriminatory basis. Previously, NASA had excluded Japan as a designated country for purposes of the Trade Agreements Act, but this action was more restrictive than was required by the U.S. Trade Representative.

Therefore, NASA is revising its policy to apply the Buy American Act and the Balance of Payments Program to the purchase of Japanese products and services in all acquisitions, regardless of dollar value.

EFFECTIVE DATE: This rule is effective August 15, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Office of Procurement, Contract Management Division (Code HK), NASA Headquarters, 300 E Street, SW., Washington, DC 20546.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Christopher T. Jedrey, (202) 358-0483.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:
Regulatory Flexibility Act

NASA certifies that this final rule will not have a significant economic impact on a substantial number of small entities under the Regulatory Flexibility Act (5 U.S.C. 601 *et seq.*). This final rule does not impose any reporting or record keeping requirements subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act.

List of Subjects in 48 CFR Part 1825

Government procurement.
Tom Luedtke,
Deputy Associate Administrator for Procurement.

Accordingly, 48 CFR Part 1825 is amended as follows:

1. The authority citation for 48 CFR part 1825 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 42 U.S.C. 2473(c)(1).

PART 1825—FOREIGN ACQUISITION

2. Section 1825.400 is added to read as follows:

§ 1825.400 Scope of subpart.

For acquisition of Japanese end products or services, NASA is not a covered agency. Thus, the Buy American Act and the Balance of Payments Program apply to all NASA acquisitions where Japanese end products or services may be offered, regardless of dollar amount. The Trade Agreements Act and waiver requirement in FAR 25.402(c) do not apply.

§ 1825.401 [Removed]

3. Section 1825.401 is removed.

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