

**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION****47 CFR Part 73**

[MM Docket No. 97-57; RM-9016]

**Radio Broadcasting Services; Hope, ND****AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission, at the request of Vixon Valley Broadcasting, allots Channel 284A to Hope, ND, as the community's first local aural broadcast service. See 62 FR 7982, February 21, 1997. Channel 284A can be allotted to Hope in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements without the imposition of a site restriction, at coordinates 47-19-24 North Latitude and 97-43-00 West Longitude. Canadian concurrence in the allotment has been received since Hope is located within 320 kilometers (200 miles) of the U.S.-Canadian border. With this action, this proceeding is terminated.

**DATES:** Effective August 25, 1997. The window period for filing applications will open on August 25, 1997, and close on September 25, 1997.

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

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission's Report and Order, MM Docket No. 97-57, adopted June 25, 1997, and released July 11, 1997. 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 Services, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 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 North Dakota, is

amended by adding Hope, Channel 284A.

Federal Communications Commission.

**John A. Karousos,**

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

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**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION****47 CFR Part 73**

[MM Docket No. 93-270; RM-8323, RM-8339, RM-8428, RM-8429, and RM-8430]

**FM Broadcasting Services; Nashville, Cordele, Dawson, Montezuma, Hawkinsville, Cuthbert, and Leary, GA****AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Chief, Allocations Branch, granted the counterproposal (RM-8428) filed by Tifton Broadcasting Corporation, licensee of Station WJYF(FM), Channel 237C3 (95.3 MHz), Nashville, Georgia, to upgrade that station by substituting Channel 237C2 for Channel 237C3 and modifying its license to operate on Channel 237C2. That counterproposal was filed in response to the *Notice of Proposed Rule Making*, 58 FR 58,671, published November 3, 1993, which had set forth two allotment proposals in response to the interrelated petitions for rule making filed by Radio Cordele, Inc. ("RCI") (RM-8323), licensee of Station WKKN(FM), Cordele, Georgia, and by John F. Tuck and Phonson Donaldson, Bankruptcy Court Appointed Receivers for Dawson Broadcasting Company ("DBC") (RM-8339), licensee of Station WAZE(FM), Dawson, Georgia. With this action, the proceeding is terminated.

**DATES:** Effective September 2, 1997. The window period for filing applications for Channel 251A at Dawson, Georgia will open on August 25, 1997, and close on September 25, 1997.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** J. Bertron Withers, Jr., Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Channel 237C2 can be allotted at Nashville, Georgia in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements at a site restricted to 6.3 kilometers (3.9 miles) northwest of the community at coordinates North Latitude 31-15-18 and West Longitude 83-17-08. RCI's petition was denied and DBC's petition and its later-filed counterproposal (RM-

8430) were dismissed because the license for Station WAZE(FM) was canceled, creating a vacant allotment at Dawson, Georgia. Accordingly, a filing window is being opened for Dawson. A counterproposal jointly filed by Tri-County Broadcasting, Inc., licensee of Station WQSY(FM), Hawkinsville, Georgia, and Montezuma Broadcasting, licensee of Station WLML(FM), Montezuma, Georgia (RM-8429), was also dismissed. This is a summary of the Commission's *Report and Order*, MM Docket No. 93-270 adopted June 25, 1997 and released July 11, 1997. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in Commission's Reference Center (Room 239), 1919 M Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20554. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Services, 2100 M Street, N.W., Suite 140, Washington, DC 20037, (202) 857-3800.

**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 reads 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 Georgia, is amended by removing Channel 237C3 at Nashville and adding Channel 237C2.

Federal Communications Commission.

**John A. Karousos,**

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

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**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION****47 CFR Part 73**

[MM Docket No. 97-3; RM-8945]

**Radio Broadcasting Services; Bend, OR****AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission, at the request of Sunriver Broadcasting Company, allots Channel 259A to Bend,

OR, as the community's sixth local commercial FM service. See 62 FR 3852, January 27, 1997. Channel 259A can be allotted to Bend in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements without the imposition of a site restriction, at coordinates 44-03-30 North Latitude; 121-18-30 West Longitude. With this action, this proceeding is terminated.

**DATES:** Effective August 25, 1997. The window period for filing applications will open on August 25, 1997, and close on September 25, 1997.

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

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission's Report and Order, MM Docket No. 97-3, adopted June 25, 1997, and released July 11, 1997. 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 Services, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 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 Oregon, is amended by adding Channel 259A at Bend. Federal Communications Commission.

**John A. Karousos,**

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

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#### FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

#### 47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No. 97-4; RM-8923]

#### Radio Broadcasting Services; Huntsville, UT

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission, at the request of South Fork River Broadcasting, allots Channel 276C3 to Huntsville, Utah, as the community's first local aural transmission service. See 62 FR 03850, January 27, 1997. Channel 276C3 can be allotted to Huntsville in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 20.2 kilometers (12.6 miles) northeast in order to avoid a short-spacing conflict with the licensed operation of Station KRSP-FM, Channel 278C, Salt Lake City, Utah. The coordinates for Channel 276C3 at Huntsville are 41-25-12 NL and 111-39-24 WL. With this action, this proceeding is terminated.

**DATES:** Effective August 25, 1997. The window period for filing applications will open on August 25, 1997, and close on September 25, 1997.

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

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission's Report and Order, MM Docket No. 97-4, adopted July 3, 1997, and released July 11, 1997. 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, ITS, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 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 Utah, is amended by adding Huntsville, Channel 276C3.

Federal Communications Commission.

**John A. Karousos,**

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

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#### FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

#### 47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No. 97-18; RM-8943; RM-9053]

#### Radio Broadcasting Services; Dolores and Durango, CO

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** This document allots Channel 287A, in lieu of previously proposed Channel 243A, to Durango, Colorado, as that community's fourth local FM service, in response to a petition for rule making filed on behalf of Range Broadcasting Company (RM-8943). See, 62 FR 3854, January 27, 1997. GulfStar Communications New Mexico Licensee, Inc., licensee of Station KDAG(FM), Channel 245C1, Farmington, New Mexico, proposed the allotment of Channel 287A to Durango to eliminate a conflict with its modification application for Station KDAG(FM), pursuant to the Commission's policy of attempting to resolve conflicts between rulemaking petitions and later-filed FM applications. See *Conflicts Between Applications and Petitions for Rulemaking to Amend the FM Table of Allotments*, 58 FR 38536, July 19, 1993. Additionally, in response to a counterproposal filed on behalf of Four Corners Broadcasting, LLC (RM-9053), Channel 227C2 is allotted to Dolores, Colorado, as that community's first local aural transmission service, instead of requested Channel 243C2, to also eliminate a conflict with GulfStar's modification application at Farmington. Coordinates used for Channel 287A at Durango, Colorado, are 37-15-44 and 107-52-27. Coordinates used for Channel 227C2 at Dolores, Colorado, are 37-28-24 and 108-30-12. With this action, the proceeding is terminated.

**DATES:** Effective August 25, 1997. The window period for filing applications on Channel 287A at Durango, Colorado, and for Channel 227C2 at Dolores, Colorado, will open on August 25, 1997, and close on September 25, 1997.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Nancy Joyner, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180. Questions related to the window application filing process for Channel 287A at Durango, Colorado, and for Channel 227C2 at Dolores, Colorado, should be addressed to the Audio Services Division, (202) 418-2700.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission's Report and Order, MM Docket No. 97-18,