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MASS MEDIA BUREAU MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE APPLICATIONS

Report No. D-1036

March 31, 1999

By the Chief, Mass Media Bureau:

IN RE: APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED FOR FILING

The applications listed herein, upon initial review, appear to be complete and have been accepted for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return or dismiss any of these applications, if upon further examination, it is determined they are defective or not in substantial compliance with Commission Rules. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.20 and 21.26.

Final action will not be taken on any of these applications until the expiration of a period of 30 days following the date of this notice, except for microwave radio applications not requiring a 30-day notice period (see Section 309(c) of the Communications Act), or as otherwise noted. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 1.4 and 21.27. Unless specified to the contrary, comments or petitions may be filed concerning these applications within 30 days of the date of this notice, with the limited exception under 47 C.F.R. Section 21.902(i). See 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.30 and 21.902(i).

With regard to mutual exclusivity of these Multipoint Distribution Service applications, see 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.31. and 21.914. With limited exceptions, an application which is subsequently amended by a major change will be considered as a newly filed application for purposes of the "cut-off" rule. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 21.23 and 21.31.

For information on other microwave facilities, refer to Public Notices released by the Wireless Bureau.

AIR HAZARDS CAUSED BY IMPROPERLY MARKED & LIGHTED COMMUNICATIONS TOWERS

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has received reports of aircraft collisions with unlighted or improperly lighted communications towers. Accident reports and studies reveal that radio tower owners and FCC licensees need to be more aware of the need for conformance to FCC issued obstruction marking and lighting specifications.

When radio towers are greater than 200 feet in height and/or near an airport, the owner or licensee must apply for <u>FCC</u> issued obstruction marking and lighting specifications. During construction, temporary warning lights must be installed at the top of the structure, and at each level where permanent lights will be installed.

Licensees should insure that their towers are marked and lighted in accordance with the specifications on their permits. Daily inspections must be made to ensure that the lights are on and operating properly. Any variances must be approved by the FCC's Antenna Survey Branch (ASB).

If a light outage occurs which cannot be corrected within thirty minutes, the local FAA Flight Service Station (FSS) must be contacted immediately. The FSS will issue a warning to pilots. The FSS must also be notified when the lights are again operational so the warning may be rescinded.

The FCC intends to continue its close scrutiny of radio towers. Appropriate action, including issuance of fines and/or revocation of the station license, will be taken against the user or owner of any unauthorized or improperly marked radio tower.

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APPLICATIONS FOR TRANSFER OF CONTROL OR ASSIGNMENT OF LICENSE ACCEPTED FOR FILING:

50674-CM-AL-98 (WMH876) RVC HOLDING CORP. Application for authority to assign all authorizations for station WMH876 in EFFINGHAM, KS FROM: RVC HOLDING CORP. TO: CS WIRELESS SYSTEMS, INC. has been found, upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return this application, if, upon further examination, it finds the application is not in conformance with the Commission's Rules and policies. Channel: 1

50176-CM-AL-99 (WLW855) HEARTLAND WIRELESS COMMERCIAL CHANNELS, INC. Application for authority to assign all authorizations for station WLW855 in PORTSMOUTH, NH FROM: HEARTLAND WIRELESS COMMERCIAL CHANNELS, INC. TO: CS WIRELESS SYSTEMS, INC. has been found, upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return this application, if, upon further examination, it finds the application is not in conformance with the Commission's Rules and policies. Channel Group: E MULTIPOINT DISTRIBUTION SERVICE: (SINGLE & MULTICHANNEL) Mar 31, 1999 Report No. D-1036

CERTIFICATIONS OF COMPLETION OF CONTRUCTION (FCC FORM 494A) SUBMITTED FOR FILING: 1/

DATE FILE ST FILED NUMBER	CONDITIONAL LICENSEE	PRIMARY SERV. AREA CITY, ST	FILE NUMBER CONDITIONAL LICENSE (FCC FORM 494)	CALL SIGN	
HI 02-11-99 50235-CM-ML-99	GTE MEDIA VENTURES INCORPORATED	HONOLULU, HI	50126-CM-MP-98	WMY435	2A

1/ For filing procedures see Public Notice, No. 1266 issued January 15, 1988, DA 87-1696.



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The COMMISSION took the following actions on Mass Media Bureau Multipoint Distribution Service applications:

ARN	Non- Common Carrier	Latitude	Longitude	Ground Elev.	BTA	Channel	Center of Rad.	Market Name	Winning Bidder	New Name (If Applicable)
BMDP980417JE	Х	26 Deg 15' 57"	98 Deg 10' 43"	28.0 M	B268	H3	134.0 M	McAllen, TX	Heartland Wireless Communication, Inc	United States Wireless Systems, Inc.

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ACTIONS TAKEN:

File Number Applicant

57900-CM-R-91 (WHT699) MARS COMMUNICATIONS, INC. Application for RENEWAL OF LICENSE GRANTED: 03/26/1999. Application appeared on public notice dated 04/24/1991. Channel Primary Service Area

(F group) TAMPA, FL

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ACTIONS TAKEN:

File Number:	Applicant:	Chan	inel:	Primary Service Area:		
	hern Wireless Cable Partnership for a NEW STATION DISMISSED:	(B group) 3/31/99	Griffin, GA			
	nern Wireless Cable Partnership for a NEW STATION DISMISSED:	(C group) 3/31/99	Griffin, GA			
CIP-92-00262 Fresno MMDS Associates (B group) Visalia, CA Application for a NEW STATION DISMISSED: 3/31/99 (per applicant's request)						
/	to MMDS Associates for a NEW STATION DISMISSED:	(D group) 3/31/99	Visal	ia, CA		
CIP-92-00286 Singer Family CA MicroCable TV Network (C group) Susanville, CA Application for a NEW STATION DISMISSED: 3/31/99						
0	er Family CA MicroCable TV Networ for a NEW STATION DISMISSED:		Susanville, C	ŻA		

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CORRECTION:

CIP-92-00398Fortuna Systems Corporation(C group)Longview, TXThis dismissed application, erroneously listed as Montana Partners, should have been Fortuna Systems Corporation. All other
particulars remain the same. See Actions Taken Public Notice dated March 24, 1999, Report No. D-1034A.