Broadcasting Notice of Public Hearing CRTC 2008-14

Ottawa, 13 November 2008

Notice of consultation and hearing

26 January 2009
Orillia, Ontario
Deadline for submission of interventions/comments: 18 December 2008

The Commission will hold a public hearing commencing on 26 January 2009 at 8:30 a.m., at the Best Western Mariposa Inn & Conference Centre, 400 Memorial Avenue, Orillia, Ontario, to consider the following applications:

Given the number of appearing items to be considered, the Commission would like to advise that it may have to sit on Saturday, 31 January 2009 to complete its consideration of these items.

[Broadcasting intervention/comments form]

Item Applicant and Locality

1. Nick Montague, on behalf of a corporation to be incorporated

Orillia, Ontario

Application No. 2007-1507-1

2. Larche Communications Inc.

Orillia, Ontario

Application No. 2008-0789-4

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Orillia, Ontario

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Orillia, Ontario

Application No. 2008-0799-3

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Orillia, Ontario

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Orillia, Ontario

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Orillia, Ontario

Application No. 2008-0804-0



8. Instant Information Services Incorporated

Orillia, Ontario

Application No. 2008-0800-1

9. **JOCO Communications Inc.**

Gravenhurst, Ontario

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10. **JOCO Communications Inc.**

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12. Muskoka-Parry Sound Broadcasting Limited

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13. Larche Communications Inc.

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15. Bayshore Broadcasting Corporation

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17. **Quinte Broadcasting Company Limited**

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18. **Pellpropco Inc.**

St. Catharines, Ontario

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19. The Family Channel Inc.

Across Canada

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20. Fairchild Television Ltd.

Across Canada

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21. Fairchild Television Ltd.

Across Canada

Application No. 2008-1113-4

22. Surjit S. Gill, on behalf of a corporation to be incorporated

Across Canada

Application No. 2008-1268-7

23. Acadia Broadcasting Limited

Bridgewater, Nova Scotia Application No. 2008-1251-2

24. Newcap Inc.

Elliot Lake, Timmins, Parry Sound, Bracebridge, Kapuskasing, Hearst, Iroquois Falls, Bancroft, Cochrane, North Bay, Haliburton and Huntsville, Ontario Application No. 2008-1054-0

25. Subanasiri Vaithilingam, on behalf of a corporation to be incorporated

Scarborough, Ontario

Application No. 2008-1161-3

26. Five Amigos Broadcasting Inc.

Wallaceburg, Ontario

Application No. 2008-1198-6

27. Kumar Nadarajah, on behalf of a corporation to be incorporated

Markham, Ontario

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28. Mornington Communications Co-operative Limited

Milverton, Ontario

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29. Hay Communications Co-operative Limited

Zurich, Ontario

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30. My Broadcasting Corporation

Brighton, Ontario

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31. Canadian Broadcasting Corporation

Windsor and Leamington, Ontario

Application No. 2008-1352-8

32. Touch Canada Broadcasting (2006) Inc. (the general partner), and 1188011 Alberta Ltd. and Touch Canada Broadcasting Inc. (the limited partners), carrying on business as Touch Canada Broadcasting Limited Partnership

Calgary, Alberta

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33. **3937844 Canada Inc.**

St. Paul, Alberta

Application No. 2008-1073-0

34. **3937844 Canada Inc.**

High Prairie, Alberta

Application No. 2008-1075-6

35. Merritt Broadcasting Ltd.

Merritt, British Columbia

Application No. 2008-1032-6

36. N L Broadcasting Ltd.

Merritt, British Columbia

Application No. 2008-1033-4

37. **Cowichan Valley Community Radio Society** Lake Cowichan, British Columbia

Application No. 2008-1095-4

38. Sun Country Radio Ltd.

Kelowna, British Columbia Application No. 2008-1464-1

39. Northern Lights Entertainment Inc.

Iqaluit, Nunavut Application No. 2008-1307-3

PREAMBLE

Items 1 to 16

On 10 April 2008, the Commission issued Broadcasting Public Notice CRTC 2008-30, calling for applications for a broadcasting licence to provide a commercial radio service to serve Orillia, Ontario.

On 13 May 2008, the Commission issued Broadcasting Public Notice CRTC 2008-42, calling for applications for a broadcasting licence to provide a commercial radio service to serve Bracebridge and Gravenhurst, Ontario.

In response to these calls, the Commission has received a number of applications for licences to serve these markets.

Some of these applications are technically mutually exclusive. These applications are:

For Orillia

Items 1 to 7 are technically mutually exclusive proposing the use of the frequency 89.1 MHz.

These applications, along with item 8 will be treated as competitive radio applications for Orillia, Ontario.

For Bracebridge and Gravenhurst

Items 9 to 11 are technically mutually exclusive proposing the use of the frequencies 101.7 MHz and 101.9 MHz.

Items 13 to 15 are technically mutually exclusive proposing the use of the frequency 102.3 MHz.

These applications, along with items 12 and 16 will be treated as competitive radio applications for Bracebridge and Gravenhurst, Ontario.

Item 17

This involves the licence renewal application of the English-language commercial radio undertaking CJBQ Belleville, Ontario, whereby the station has been found to be operating in apparent non-compliance with the *Radio Regulations*, 1986.

Item 18

This involves the English-language commercial radio programming undertaking CHSC St. Catharines, Ontario, whereby the station has been found to be operating in apparent non-compliance with the *Radio Regulations*, 1986.

The Commission has also received complaints concerning allegations that CHSC has reoriented a significant portion of its programming to serve the Italian community of Toronto.

Items 19 to 39

The Commission intends to consider, subject to interventions, items 19 to 39 during the non-appearance phase of the public hearing.

1. Orillia, Ontario Application No. 2007-1507-1

Application by **Nick Montague**, **on behalf of a corporation to be incorporated**, for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Orillia.

The new station would operate on frequency 89.1 MHz (channel 206A) with an effective radiated power of 332 watts (non-directional antenna with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 13 metres).

The applicant proposes a Classic Rock and Country music format.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

135 Quebec Street, Appartment 7 Bracebridge, Ontario P1L 1P6

E-Mail: twinlakesbroadcastings@sympatico.ca

Examination of application:

177 Mississaga Street East Orillia, Ontario

2. Orillia, Ontario Application No. 2008-0789-4

Application by **Larche Communications Inc.** for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Orillia.

The new station would operate on frequency 89.1 MHz (channel 206B1) with an average effective radiated power of 1,000 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 3,300 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 147 metres).

The applicant proposes a Hot Adult Contemporary (Hot AC) music format.

Applicant's address:

355 Cranston Crescent Midland, Ontario L4R 4L3

Fax: 705-526-3060

E-Mail: plarche@kicxfm.com

Examination of application:

CICX-FM 7 Progress Drive Orillia, Ontario

3. Orillia, Ontario Application No. 2008-0795-1

Application by **Bayshore Broadcasting Corporation** for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Orillia.

The new station would operate on frequency 89.1 MHz (channel 206A) with an effective radiated power of 21,000 watts (non-directional antenna with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 169.3 metres).

The applicant proposes a Soft Adult Contemporary music format.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

270 Ninth Street East Owen Sound, Ontario N4K 5P5

Fax: 519-371-4242

E-Mail: rkentner@bayshorebroadcasting.ca

Examination of application:

Orillia Public Library 36 Mississaga Street West Orillia, Ontario

4. Orillia, Ontario Application No. 2008-0799-3

Application by **Newcap Inc.** for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Orillia.

The new station would operate on frequency 89.1 MHz (channel 206B1) with an average effective radiated power of 1,000 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 3,300 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 147 metres).

The applicant proposes a Contemporary Hit Radio format.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

745 Windmill Road Dartmouth, Nova Scotia B3B 1C2 Fax: 902-468-5661

rax. 902-408-3001

E-Mail: dmurray@ncc.ca

Examination of application:

Orillia Public Library 36 Mississaga Street West Orillia, Ontario

5. Orillia, Ontario Application No. 2008-0831-3

Application by **Debra McLaughlin, on behalf of a corporation to be incorporated**, for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Orillia.

The new station would operate on frequency 89.1 MHz (channel 206A) with an average effective radiated power of 2,900 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 10,000 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 75 metres).

The applicant proposes an Adult Album Alternative (Triple A) music format.

Applicant's address:

1921 Truscott Drive Mississauga, Ontario L5J 2A3

Fax: 905-403-9164

E-Mail: debramcl@mail.com

Examination of application:

Orillia Public Library 36 Mississaga Street West Orillia, Ontario

6. **Orillia, Ontario Application No. 2008-0801-6**

Application by **Frank Torres**, on behalf of a corporation to be incorporated, for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Orillia.

The new station would operate on frequency 89.1 MHz (channel 206B1) with an average effective radiated power of 5,600 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 14,740 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 130 metres).

The applicant proposes an Adult Contemporary music format.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

95 Royal Crest Court Unit 5 Markham, Ontario L3R 9X5

Fax: 905-470-1655

E-Mail: ftorres@skywords.com

Examination of application:

Orillia Public Library 36 Mississaga Street West Orillia. Ontario

7. Orillia, Ontario Application No. 2008-0804-0

Application by **Rock 95 Broadcasting Ltd.** for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Orillia.

The new station would operate on frequency 89.1 MHz (channel 206A) with an effective radiated power of 6,000 watts (non-directional antenna with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 75 metres).

The applicant proposes a Hot Adult Contemporary (Hot AC) music format.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

431 Huronia Road Barrie, Ontario L4N 9B3

Fax: 705-792-7858

E-Mail: dbingley@rock95.com

Examination of application:

Information Services Desk Orillia Public Library 36 Mississaga Street West Orillia, Ontario

8. Orillia, Ontario Application No. 2008-0800-1

Application by **Instant Information Services Incorporated** for a licence to operate a low power English-language tourist information FM radio programming undertaking in Orillia.

The new station would operate on frequency 98.5 MHz (channel 253LP) with an effective radiated power of 50 watts (non-directional antenna with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 60 metres).

The applicant proposes to operate a tourist information service consisting in repeated loops of information on current weather, road conditions, Bank of Canada exchange rate and tourist/community information about local events and attractions. The station will also have the capacity to serve as an emergency broadcast system in the event of an emergency in the Orillia area.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

170 Thompson Run Halifax, Nova Scotia B4B 1T7

Fax: 902-832-5586

E-Mail: jack@informationradio.ca

Examination of application:

Employment Resource Center 50 Andrew Street South Orillia, Ontario

9. **Gravenhurst, Ontario Application No. 2007-1150-9**

Application by **JOCO Communications Inc.** for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Gravenhurst.

The new station would operate on frequency 101.7 MHz (channel 269A) with an average effective radiated power of 1,780 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 3,160 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 26 metres).

The applicant proposes to operate an Oldies music format.

Applicant's address:

204 King Street Suite 130 Sturgeon Falls, Ontario P2B 3K5

Fax: 705-753-6776

E-Mail: joco993@yahoo.ca

Examination of application:

1165 Bethume Drive Granvenhurst, Ontario

10. Gravenhurst, Ontario Application No. 2008-0867-8

Application by **JOCO Communications Inc.** for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Gravenhurst.

The new station would operate on frequency 101.7 MHz (channel 269A) with an average effective radiated power of 1,780 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 3,160 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 26 metres).

The applicant proposes to operate an All Hits/All Canadian music format.

Applicant's address:

204 King Street Suite 130 Sturgeon Falls, Ontario P2B 3K5

Fax: 705-753-6776

E-Mail: joco993@yahoo.ca

Examination of application:

1165 Bethume Drive Gravenhurst, Ontario

11. Gravenhurst, Ontario Application No. 2008-0963-4

Application by **Instant Information Services Incorporated** for a licence to operate a low power English-language tourist information FM radio station in Gravenhurst.

The new station would operate on frequency 101.9 MHz (channel 270LP) with an effective radiated power of 50 watts (non-directional antenna with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 60 metres).

The applicant is proposing to operate a tourist information service consisting of repeated loops of information on current weather, road conditions, Bank of Canada exchange rate and tourist/community information about local events and attractions. The station will also have the capacity to serve as an emergency broadcast system in the event of an emergency in the Bracebridge/Gravenhurst area.

Applicant's address:

170 Thompson Run Halifax, Nova Scotia B4B 1T7

Fax: 902-832-5586

E-Mail: jack@informationradio.ca

Examination of application:

Town of Gravenhurst 190 Harvie Street Gravenhurst, Ontario

12. Huntsville, Ontario Application No. 2008-0513-7

Application by **Muskoka-Parry Sound Broadcasting Limited** relating to the licence of the English-language commercial radio station CFBK-FM Huntsville.

In order to improve the coverage of its station, the licensee proposes to change the authorized contours by increasing the effective radiated power from 5,000 watts to 43,400 watts and by decreasing the effective height of antenna above average terrain to 147.0 metres.

The station will continue using the 105.5 MHz frequency (channel 288B).

This application was gazetted on 1 May 2008 in Broadcasting Public Notice CRTC 2008-37. The intervention period closed on 5 June 2008, and no interventions were received in connection with this application.

The Commission notes that the proposed technical amendment would result in the station's 3 mV/m contours partly overlapping the Bracebridge market.

The Commission will be considering a related application at the same hearing:

An application by Newcap Inc. (Application No. 2008-1054-0, see item 24 of the current notice).

The Commission notes that Newcap will be representing the applicant for this related item.

Licensee's address:

46 Nanton Avenue Toronto, Ontario M4W 2Y9

Fax: 416-805-0866

E-Mail: cgrossman@hbgradio.com

Examination of application:

CFBK-FM 2-15 Main Street East Huntsville, Ontario

13. Bracebridge/Gravenhurst, Ontario Application No. 2008-0945-2

Application by **Larche Communications Inc.** for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Bracebridge, Ontario.

The new station would operate on frequency 102.3 MHz (channel 272B1) with an average effective radiated power of 17,000 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 17,000 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 41.3 metres).

The applicant proposes a Country music format.

Applicant's address:

355 Cranston Crescent Midland, Ontario L4R 4L3

Fax: 705-526-3060

E-Mail: plarche@kicxfm.com

Examination of application:

Bracebridge Public Library 94 Manitoba Street Bracebridge, Ontario

14. Gravenhurst, Ontario Application No. 2008-0960-1

Application by **Bill (William) Wrightsell, on behalf of a corporation to be incorporated**, for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Gravenhurst.

The new station would operate on frequency 102.3 MHz (channel 272B) with an average effective radiated power of 15,000 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 50,000 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 116 metres).

The applicant proposes to operate a Gold Based Adult Contemporary music format.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

68 Cranbrooke Avenue Toronto, Ontario M5M 1M4

Fax: 807-346-5756

E-Mail: wrightselladto@rogers.com

Examination of application:

Bracebrigde Public Library 94 Manitoba Street Bracebridge, Ontario

and

Gravenhurst Public Library 180 Sharpe Street West Gravenhurst, Ontario

15. Gravenhurst, Ontario Application No. 2008-0962-6

Application by **Bayshore Broadcasting Corporation** for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Gravenhurst.

The new station would operate on frequency 102.3 MHz (channel 272B1) with an effective radiated power of 12,500 watts (non-directional antenna with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 71 metres).

The applicant proposes a Classic Adult Contemporary music format.

Applicant's address:

270 Ninth Street East Owen Sound, Ontario N4K 5P5

Fax: 519-371-4242

E-Mail: rkentner@bayshorebroadcasting.ca

Examination of application:

Bracebrigde Public Library 94 Manitoba Street Bracebridge, Ontario

and

Gravenhurst Public Library 180 Sharpe Street West Gravenhurst, Ontario

16. **Gravenhurst, Ontario Application No. 2007-1294-4**

Application by **Evanov Communications Inc.**, on behalf of a corporation to be **incorporated**, for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Gravenhurst.

The new station would operate on frequency 102.3 MHz (channel 272A) with an average effective radiated power of 2,484 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 6,000 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 92 metres).

The applicant proposes an Easy Listening music format.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

5302 Dundas Street West Toronto, Ontario M9B 1B2

Fax: 416-233-8617

E-Mail: carmela@z1035.com

Examination of application:

Gravenhurst Public Library 180 Sharpe Street West Gravenhurst, Ontario

17. Belleville, Ontario Application No. 2008-1340-4

Application by **Quinte Broadcasting Company Limited** to renew the licence of the English-language commercial radio programming undertaking CJBQ Belleville, expiring 31 August 2009.

It appears to the Commission that the licensee may have failed to comply with the *Radio Regulations*, 1986 concerning the broadcast of Canadian content for category 2 music during the broadcast week of March 9 to 15, 2003.

It further appears to the Commission that the licensee may have failed to comply with its condition of licence regarding its contributions to Canadian talent development for the 2006 broadcast year.

The Commission intends to inquire into these matters at the hearing. The Commission expects the licensee to show cause at this hearing why mandatory orders should not be issued requiring the licensee to comply with the *Radio Regulations*, 1986 relating to the broadcast of Canadian content for category 2 music during the broadcast week and with its condition of licence relating to Canadian talent development contributions.

The Commission notes that, in Decision CRTC 2005-331 the station was issued a four-year short term renewal based on its failure to comply with the *Radio Regulations*, 1986 relating to the broadcast of Canadian content for category 2 music.

Licensee's address:

10 Front Street South Belleville, Ontario K8N 2Y3

Fax: 613-969-0374

E-Mail: billmorton@mix97.com

Examination of application:

At the licensee's address

18. St. Catharines, Ontario Reference No. 2008-1495-6

Please note that the information pertaining to the matters referred to below is only available in hard copy in the public examination file at the CRTC addresses listed in this Notice. However, submissions received from interested parties will be posted on the Commission's Web site.

The Commission has received complaints regarding **Pellpropco Inc.** licensee of the English-language commercial radio programming undertaking CHSC St. Catharines, concerning allegations that CHSC has re-oriented a significant portion of its programming to serve the Italian community of Toronto.

Further, over the course of the current licence term as set out in *CHSC St. Catharines* – *Licence renewal*, Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2003-388, performance evaluations undertaken by the Commission have revealed numerous instances of apparent non-compliance with the *Radio Regulations*, 1986 (the Regulations).

In this regard, the Commission notes that on 28 July 2006, an application by the licensee was gazetted by Broadcasting Public Notice CRTC 2006-96 seeking authority to increase the level of third-language programming broadcast on CHSC to 40% of its broadcast week. In its response to interventions the licensee admitted that during the broadcast week of 13 August 2006, CHSC had exceeded the maximum weekly 15% third-language programming level stipulated in section 7.3 of *the Regulations* and as such was in violation of *the Regulations*.

In addition, a verification of the licensee's financial status by Commission staff revealed that CHSC's annual return for the fiscal year 2004-2005 had not been filed. The failure to file this annual return on a timely basis constitutes an apparent violation of subsection 9(2) of *the Regulations*, as communicated to the licensee by way of Commission staff letter dated 27 March 2006.

Subsequent to the 27 March 2006 letter, the licensee filed annual returns for CHSC for the fiscal years 2004-2005, 2005-2006 and 2006-2007. However, the licensee failed to file complete financial statements for each return for each 12 month period ending 31 August as required in Circular 404 and pursuant to subsection 9(2) of *the Regulations*. Although contacted on numerous occasions the licensee has yet to file the missing financial statements. Further, the licensee has failed to file complete annual Canadian talent development expenditure reports with each year's annual return as required. These failures constitute an apparent non-compliance with subsection 9(2) of *the Regulations* for the fiscal years 2004-2005, 2005-2006 and 2006-2007.

In a letter dated 15 January 2007, Commission staff requested the licensee to submit logger tapes and other material related to the programming broadcast by CHSC for the week of 7 to 13 January 2007. The licensee was unable to submit this material for the week requested. Failure to submit this requested material constitutes an apparent violation of subsections 8(5) and 8(6) of *the Regulations*, as communicated to the licensee by way of Commission staff letter dated 14 February 2007.

In order to conduct a second programming evaluation of CHSC, the Commission staff, in a letter dated 30 January 2008, requested the licensee to submit, logger tapes and other material related to the programming broadcast by CHSC for the week of 20 to 26 January 2008. The Commission staff informed the licensee by letter dated 25 March 2008, that the submitted music lists were incomplete making it impossible to conduct CHSC's programming evaluation. In a second letter dated 16 May 2008, Commission staff asked the licensee to submit its revised music lists. The licensee complied by the 13 June 2008 deadline.

In a letter dated 29 August 2008, Commission staff advised the licensee that CHSC's programming evaluation revealed three instances where by the licensee may have failed to comply *the Regulations*:

- 1. Non-compliance with subsection 2.2(8) of *the Regulations* the programming evaluation estimated that CHSC broadcast 28.9% Canadian content in Category 2 music over the broadcast week rather than the weekly regulatory minimum of 35%.
- 2. Non-compliance with subsection 7(3) of *the Regulations* the programming evaluation estimated that CHSC devoted 15.9% (20 hours) of the broadcast week to third-language programming, exceeding the regulatory maximum of 15%.
- 3. Non-compliance with subsection 8(4) of *the Regulations* the licensee failed to provide complete program logs as required under *the Regulations*.

In response to the complaints alleging that the licensee has re-oriented CHSC's local programming to serve the Italian community of Toronto, an investigation by Commission staff revealed that a significant portion of CHSC's weekday and weekend programming does appear to be directed to Toronto's Italian community. This programming consists of both third-language Italian spoken word programming and large programming blocks of Italian music programming accompanied by English-language spoken word.

The licensee confirmed, in writing, that it has engaged a third party to provide it with Italian third-language programming and the Italian music programming. This programming originates from studios located in Woodbridge, Ontario, some 80 kilometers from St. Catharines.

In response to the local programming orientation complaints the licensee confirmed in letters dated 15 July 2008 and 19 July 2008 that:

- 1. CHSC no longer operated out of its original St. Catharines office and studio facilities.
- 2. CHSC would be operating out of new studio and office facilities located at its current transmitter site by the end of July 2008.
- 3. The licensee would contact the Commission once CHSC's new St. Catharines based facilities were operational.

To date, the licensee has not confirmed with the Commission that CHSC's new St. Catharines based studio and office facilities are operational.

The Commission notes that CHSC is licensed to serve listeners in St. Catharines and the immediate surrounding area. In this context, the Commission may wish to discuss certain local programming issues with the licensee including the extent to which CHSC's current local programming content and programming orientation is of direct and particular relevance to St. Catharines and surrounding area, the community CHSC is licensed to serve.

In addition the Commission has received inquiries pertaining to ownership and control issues related to Pellpropco Inc. In view of these inquiries, the Commission may wish to clarify with the licensee current ownership arrangements.

The Commission intends to inquire into, hear and determine these matters. Therefore, pursuant to section 12 of the *Broadcasting Act*, the Commission calls Pellpropco Inc. to this public hearing, to show cause why a mandatory order requiring the licensee to conform to the *Radio Regulations*, 1986 concerning Canadian content, the broadcasting of third-language programming, the filing of complete annual returns, and the provision of logger tapes, program logs and music lists should not be issued.

Further, pursuant to section 9(c) of the *Broadcasting Act*, the Commission will discuss with the licensee the possible imposition of conditions of licence related to the nature of the local programming broadcast on CHSC including the relevance and orientation of local programming to serve the particular needs and interests of the residents of St. Catharines and the surrounding area.

In addition the Commission will clarify certain current ownership issues.

Information related to these matters may be found in hard copy in the public examination file of this licensee, including copies of the complaints, undertaken evaluations as well as related correspondences.

The Commission notes that additional documents may be added to the public file subsequent to the issuance of this Notice of Public Hearing. Interested parties are accordingly advised to consult the public file for this item on an ongoing basis.

Licensee's address:

111 Zenway Boulevard, Unit 38 2nd Floor Woodbridge, Ontario L4H 3H9

Fax: 905-856-2398

Examination of documents:

CRTC – Toronto Office 55 St. Clair Avenue East Suite 624 Toronto, Ontario

19. Across Canada Application No. 2008-1105-1

Application by **The Family Channel Inc**. for a licence to operate a national English-language Category 2 specialty television programming undertaking to be known as Family Extreme.

The applicant states that the programming will consist of programming from around the world targeted to children aged 6 to 17 years and their families. The schedule will include programs devoted to entertainment, humour, travel, games, science and technology.

The applicant proposes to offer programming from the following categories: 5(b), 6(b), 7(a), 7(b), 7(c), 7(d), 7(e), 7(f), 7(g), 8(a), 8(b), 8(c), 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, as set out in Schedule I of the *Specialty Services Regulations*, 1990.

The applicant proposes that no more than 15% of all programming broadcast during the broadcast week shall be drawn from category 7(d) Theatrical feature films aired on TV, and 8 Music.

Applicant's address:

181 Bay Street Suite 100 P.O. Box 787 Toronto, Ontario M5J 2T3

Fax: 514-939-5098

E-Mail: abarin@tv.astral.com

Examination of application:

At the applicant's address

20. Across Canada Application No. 2008-1110-1

Application by **Fairchild Television Ltd.** for a licence to operate a national general interest, third-language ethnic Category 2 specialty television programming undertaking to be known as Fairchild Television II.

The applicant proposes that the programming will target the Chinese speaking community in Canada and will consist of a wide array of information and entertainment TV programs in the Cantonese language, most of which cannot be scheduled for airing on the current analog Fairchild service due to its already fully occupied airtime capacity.

The applicant proposes to offer programming from the following categories: 1, 2(a), 2(b), 3, 4, 5(b), 6(a), 6(b), 7(a), 7(b), 7(c), 7(d), 7(e), 7(f), 7(g), 8(b), 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, as set out in Schedule I of the *Specialty Services Regulations*, 1990.

The applicant proposes to broadcast 40% or more of its programming in the Cantonese language, less than 40% in the Mandarin language, and not more than 10% in English, and/or Mandarin, and/or other Chinese dialects such as Shanghaiese, Fujianese etc.

The applicant requests that, of the 12 minutes of advertising material permitted during each clock hour, it may be authorized to broadcast up to 6 minutes of local and regional advertising.

Applicant's address:

Unit 3300-4151 Hazelbridge Way Aberdeen Centre Richmond, British Columbia V6X 4J7

Fax: 604-295-1300

E-Mail: info@fairchildtv.com

Examination of application:

At the applicant's address

21. Across Canada Application No. 2008-1113-4

Application by **Fairchild Television Ltd.** for a licence to operate a national general interest, third-language ethnic Category 2 specialty television programming undertaking to be known as Talentvision II.

The applicant proposes that the programming will target the Chinese speaking community in Canada, who are from Mainland China, and will consist of a wide array of information and entertainment TV programs in the Mandarin-language. Talentvision II (TTV II) will offer complementary programming content to the programming service currently available on Talentvision (TTV), serving primarily Mandarin-speaking Canadians who came to Canada from Mainland China and who have different tastes and preferences from Mandarin speaking people from different geographical backgrounds.

The applicant proposes to offer programming from the following categories: 1, 2(a), 2(b), 3, 4, 5(b), 6(a), 6(b), 7(a), 7(b), 7(c), 7(d), 7(e), 7(f), 7(g), 8(b), 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, as set out in Schedule I of the *Specialty Services Regulations*, 1990.

The applicant proposes to broadcast 40% or more of its programming in the Mandarin language, less than 40% in the Cantonese language, and not more than 10% in English, in Cantonese or in other Chinese dialects such as Shanghaiese or Fujianese.

The applicant requests that, of the 12 minutes of advertising material permitted during each clock hour, it may be authorized to broadcast up to 6 minutes of local and regional advertising.

Applicant's address:

Unit 3300-4151 Hazelbridge Way Aberdeen Centre Richmond, British Columbia V6X 4J7

Fax: 604-295-1300

E-Mail: info@fairchildtv.com

Examination of application:

At the applicant's address

22. Across Canada Application No. 2008-1268-7

Application by **Surjit S. Gill, on behalf of a corporation to be incorporated**, for a licence to operate a national niche third-language ethnic Category 2 specialty programming undertaking to be known as Music India 2 Television.

The applicant states that the proposed service will offer 100% programming in the Hindi language consisting of a 24-hour Hindi music channel devoted to music videos and music-related content.

The applicant proposes to offer programming from the following categories: 8(a), 8(b), 8(c) and 9, as set out in Schedule I of the *Specialty Services Regulations*, 1990.

The applicant requests that, of the 12 minutes of advertising material permitted during each clock hour, it be authorized to broadcast up to 6 minutes of local and regional advertising.

Applicant's address:

2168 Burquitlam Drive Vancouver, British Columbia V5P 2P1

Fax: 604-322-5838

E-Mail: Surjit_s_gill@hotmail.com

Examination of application:

At the applicant's address

23. Bridgewater, Nova Scotia Application No. 2008-1251-2

Application by **Acadia Broadcasting Limited** for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Bridgewater.

The new station would operate on frequency 100.7 MHz (channel 264B1) with an effective radiated power of 10,000 watts (non-directional antenna with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 149.7 metres).

The applicant proposes a Country music format.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

58 King Street Saint-John, New Brunswick E2L 3T4

Fax: 506-632-3407

E-Mail: macmullin.jim@radioabl.ca

Examination of application:

CKBW Radio 215 Dominion Street Bridgewater, Nova Scotia

24. Elliot Lake, Timmins, Parry Sound, Bracebridge, Kapuskasing, Hearst, Iroquois Falls, Bancroft, Cochrane, North Bay, Haliburton and Huntsville, Ontario Application No. 2008-1054-0

Application by **Newcap Inc.** (Newcap) for authority to acquire from The Haliburton Broadcasting Group Inc. (Haliburton) the assets of the following commercial radio programming undertakings:

- CHMS-FM Bancroft;
- CFBG-FM Bracebridge;
- CHPB-FM Cochrane;
- CKNR-FM Elliot Lake and its transmitter CKNR-FM-1 Elliot Lake;
- CFZN-FM Haliburton;
- CFIF-FM Iroquois Falls;
- CKAP-FM Kapuskasing and its transmitter CKHT-FM Hearst;
- CFXN-FM North Bay;
- CKLP-FM Parry Sound; and
- CHMT-FM Timmins.

The applicant is also seeking authority to acquire the assets of commercial radio undertaking CFBK-FM Huntsville from Muskoka-Parry Sound Broadcasting Limited (Muskoka), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Haliburton.

The applicant is requesting new licences to continue the operation of the undertakings under the same terms and conditions as those in effect under the current licences, upon surrender of the licences currently issued to Haliburton and Muskoka.

The value of the transaction based on the terms of the purchase agreement is \$18,950,000. Pursuant to the *Commercial Radio Policy*, 2006 (Public Notice CRTC 2006-158, 15 December 2006), the applicant has proposed a tangible benefits package totalling \$1,137,000 to be paid over a seven-year period (representing 6% of the value of the transaction).

The Commission notes that three of the stations being acquired are presently in their first term of licence (CHPB-FM Cochrane - Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2003-580, CFXN-FM North Bay - Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2005-393 and CFZN-FM Haliburton - Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2005-488).

The Commission also notes that control of Muskoka, licensee of CFBK-FM Huntsville, was recently transferred to Haliburton (Public Notice CRTC 2008-14). The applicant has committed to assume the unfulfilled tangible benefits resulting from this previous transaction.

The Commission will be considering two related applications at the same hearing:

An application by Muskoka requesting a technical amendment to CFBK-FM Huntsville (Application No. 2008-0513-7, see item 12 of the current Notice); and an application by Newcap for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Orillia. (Application No. 2008-0799-3, see item 4 of the current Notice).

The Commission notes that Newcap will be representing the applicants for all related items.

Applicant's address:

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Examination of application:

At the applicant's address

and

CHMS-FM 97.7 30674 Highway 28 East Bancroft, Ontario

50-1 Balls Drive Bracebridge, Ontario

60 James Street, Suite 301 Parry Sound, Ontario

152 Highland Street, Upper Level Haliburton, Ontario

22 Queen Street, Unit 2A Kapuskasing, Ontario

118 Main Street East North Bay, Ontario

32 Mountjoy Street North Timmins, Ontario

15 Charles Walk Elliot Lake, Ontario 153 3rd Street, North Office Cochrane, Ontario

2-15 Main Street East Huntsville, Ontario

25. Scarborough, Ontario Application No. 2008-1161-3

Application by **Subanasiri Vaithilingam**, on behalf of a corporation to be incorporated, for a licence to operate an AM commercial ethnic radio programming undertaking in Scarborough.

The new station would operate on frequency 1 350 kHz with a transmitter power of 1,000 watts day-time and 87 watts night-time.

The applicant proposes to direct ethnic programming to a minimum of 5 groups in a minimum of 6 languages.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

2370 Midland Avenue Suite B17 Toronto, Ontario M1S 5C6

Fax: 416-946-1475

E-Mail: frogers1@sympatico.ca

Examination of application:

At the applicant's address

26. Wallaceburg, Ontario Application No. 2008-1198-6

Application by **Five Amigos Broadcasting Inc.** for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Wallaceburg.

The new station would operate on frequency 99.1 MHz (channel 256A) with an average effective radiated power of 570 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 1,000 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 60 metres).

The applicant proposes an Adult Contemporary music format.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

7275 Riverview Drive Chatham, Ontario N7L 4W7

Fax: 519-436-1574

E-Mail: gaarssen@altagas.ca

Examination of application:

Wallaceburg Library 209 James Street Wallaceburg, Ontario

27. Markham, Ontario Application No. 2008-1264-5

Application by **Kumar Nadarajah**, on behalf of a corporation to be incorporated, for a licence to operate an AM commercial ethnic radio programming undertaking in Markham.

The new station would operate on frequency 960 kHz with a transmitter power of 1,000 watts day-time and 175 watts night-time.

The applicant proposes to direct ethnic programming to a minimum of 22 groups in a minimum of 16 languages.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

622 Highglen Avenue Markham, Ontario L3S 4P6

Fax: 416-267-7707

E-Mail: markhamradio@gmail.com

Examination of application:

Unionville – Markham Public Library 15 Library Lane Markham, Ontario

28. Milverton, Ontario Application No. 2008-1262-9

Application by **Mornington Communications Co-operative Limited** for a licence to operate a regional video-on-demand programming undertaking to serve the villages and surrounding rural areas of Milverton, Gadshill, Newton, Millbank, Hesson, and portions of Listowel.

The applicant proposes to offer programming that will consist primarily of feature films but may also include other types of programming such as children's video, short films, and television shows.

The applicant also indicates that the programming will be predominantly in the English-language.

The applicant is seeking a condition of licence that would permit it to distribute, on an ondemand basis, programming that contains commercial messages where those commercial messages were already included in a program previously aired by a Canadian programming undertaking. Such a program offered on an on-demand basis would be offered at no charge to the subscriber.

Specifically, the applicant is requesting the following conditions of license:

- 1. The applicant shall adhere to the *Pay Television Regulations*, 1990, with the exception of paragraph 3(2)(d) Commercial messages, and section 4 Logs and records.
- 2. The applicant shall not include as part of its video-on-demand offering any program containing a commercial message except where:
 - (a) the message was already included in a program previously broadcast by a Canadian programming service:
 - (b) the program's inclusion as part of the video-on-demand offering is in accordance with the terms of a written agreement entered into with the operator of the Canadian programming service that broadcast the program; and
 - (c) the program is offered to subscribers on an on-demand basis at no charge.

Applicant's address:

16 Mill Street East Milverton, Ontario N0K 1M0

Fax: 519-595-4142

E-Mail: rbanks@mornington.ca

Examination of application:

At the applicant's address

29. **Zurich, Ontario Application No. 2008-1263-7**

Application by **Hay Communications Co-operative Limited** for a licence to operate a regional video-on-demand programming undertaking to serve the villages and surrounding rural areas of Zurich, Grand Bend and Dashwood.

The applicant proposes to offer programming that will consist primarily of feature films but may also include other types of programming such as children's video, short films, and television shows.

The applicant also indicates that the programming will be predominantly in the English-language.

The applicant is seeking a condition of licence that would permit it to distribute, on an ondemand basis, programming that contains commercial messages where those commercial messages were already included in a program previously aired by a Canadian programming undertaking. Such a program offered on an on-demand basis would be offered at no charge to the subscriber.

Specifically, the applicant is requesting the following conditions of license:

- 1. The applicant shall adhere to the *Pay Television Regulations*, 1990, with the exception of paragraph 3(2)(d) Commercial messages, and section 4 Logs and records.
- 2. The applicant shall not include as part of its video-on-demand offering any program containing a commercial message except where:
 - (a) the message was already included in a program previously broadcast by a Canadian programming service;
 - (b) the program's inclusion as part of the video-on-demand offering is in accordance with the terms of a written agreement entered into with the operator of the Canadian programming service that broadcast the program; and

(c) the program is offered to subscribers on an on-demand basis at no charge.

Applicant's address:

72863 Blind Line P.O. Box 99 Zurich, Ontario NOM 2T0

Fax: 519-236-7776 E-Mail: <u>hay@hay.net</u>

Examination of application:

At the applicant's address

30. Brighton, Ontario Application No. 2008-1311-4

Application by **My Broadcasting Corporation** for a licence to operate an English-language FM commercial radio programming undertaking in Brighton.

The new station would operate on frequency 100.9 MHz (channel 265A) with an average effective radiated power of 650 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 1,450 watts/directional antenna with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 147 metres).

The applicant propose an Adult Contemporary/Gold music format.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

Box 961 Renfrew, Ontario K7V 4H4

Fax: 613-432-1086

E-Mail: andrew@myfmradio.ca

Examination of application:

Brighton Public Library 35 Alice Street Brighton, Ontario

31. Windsor and Leamington, Ontario Application No. 2008-1352-8

Application by **Canadian Broadcasting Corporation** to convert radio station CBE Windsor from the AM band to the FM band.

The applicant is also proposing to establish a new FM transmitter at Leamington.

The new station would operate on frequency 97.5 MHz (channel 248B) with an average effective radiated power of 3,200 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 19,000 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 130.1 metres).

The Learnington transmitter would operate on frequency 91.5 MHz (channel 218B1) with an average effective radiated power of 6,100 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 10,400 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 58.7 metres).

The applicant is requesting, pursuant to sections 9(1)(e) and 24(2) of the *Broadcasting Act*, the revocation of the licence of CBE effective at the end of the simulcast period.

The applicant has indicated that it will apply, within 30 days of the implementation of the proposed FM transmitter at Windsor, for the revocation of the authority granted in Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2008-101 for a nested FM transmitter on the 102.3 MHz frequency in Windsor.

The applicant has indicated that it will launch both the Windsor and Leamington transmitters within one year of the approval where, at which time, it will operate in simulcast mode for three months. Following this period, the applicant is also requesting, pursuant to sections 9(1)(e) and 24(1) of the *Broadcasting Act*, the revocation of the licence of CBE Windsor.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

This application requires the issuance of a new licence.

Applicant's address:

P.O. Box 3220, Station C Ottawa, Ontario KIY 1E4

Fax: 613-288-6257

E-Mail: regulatoryaffairs@cbc.ca

Examination of application:

CBC / Radio-Canada 825 Riverside Drive West Windsor, Ontario

and

Municipality of Leamington 38 Eric Street North Leamington, Ontario

32. Calgary, Alberta Application No. 2008-1064-9

Application by Touch Canada Broadcasting (2006) Inc. (the general partner), and 1188011 Alberta Ltd. and Touch Canada Broadcasting Inc. (the limited partners), carrying on business as Touch Canada Broadcasting Limited Partnership for a licence to operate an English-language AM commercial radio programming undertaking in Calgary.

The new station would operate on frequency 700 kHz with a transmitter power of 50,000 watts day-time and 20,000 watts night-time.

The applicant proposes a Gospel music format.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

5324 Calgary Trail Suite 210 Edmonton, Alberta T6H 4J8

Fax: 780-430-2815

E-Mail: applications@touchcanada.com

Examination of application:

#100-4510 Macleod Trail South Calgary, Alberta

33. St. Paul, Alberta Application No. 2008-1073-0

Application by **3937844 Canada Inc.**, a subsidiary of Newcap Inc., to convert radio station CHLW St. Paul from the AM band to the FM band.

The new station would operate on frequency 97.7 MHz (channel 249B) with an average effective radiated power of 16,000 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 36,000 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 122.6 metres).

The applicant proposes a Country music format.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

This application requires the issuance of a new licence.

Applicant's address:

745 Windmill Road Dartmouth, Nova Scotia B3B 1C2

Fax: 902-468-5661

E-Mail: <u>dmurray@ncc.ca</u>

Examination of application:

#201 4341-50th Street St. Paul, Alberta

34. **High Prairie, Alberta Application No. 2008-1075-6**

Application by **3937844 Canada Inc.**, a subsidiary of Newcap Inc., to convert radio station CKVH High Prairie from the AM band to the FM band.

The new station would operate on frequency 93.5 MHz (channel 228B1) with an effective radiated power of 25,000 watts (non-directional antenna with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 65.9 metres).

The applicant proposes a Classic Hits music format.

This application requires the issuance of a new licence.

Applicant's address:

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Fax: 902-468-5661

E-Mail: dmurray@ncc.ca

Examination of application:

4833 – 52nd Avenue High Prairie, Alberta

35. Merritt, British Columbia **Application No. 2008-1032-6**

Application by Merritt Broadcasting Ltd. to convert the English-language commercial radio station CJNL Merritt from the AM band to the FM band.

Merrit Broadcasting Ltd. is a corporation controlled by N L Broadcasting Ltd.

The new station would operate on frequency 101.1 MHz (channel 266B1) with an effective radiated power of 200 watts (omni-directional antenna with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 601.4 metres).

This AM to FM conversion is tied to an application (2008-1033-4) filed by N L Broadcasting Ltd. licensee of CHNL Kamloops to add an AM transmitter at Merrit.

The addition of the AM transmitter will ensure that CHNL's programming continues to be available in Merrit since CJNL also broadcasts programming received from CHNL.

The applicant has indicated that both applications are non severable.

The applicant is requesting permission to simulcast the programming of the new FM station on CJNL for a period of 3 months from the date of implementation of the new FM station.

The applicant is also requesting, pursuant to sections 9(1)(e) and 24(1) of the *Broadcasting* Act, the revocation of the licence of CJNL-AM effective at the end of the simulcast period.

This application requires the issuance of a new licence.

Applicant's address:

611 Lansdowne Street Kamloops, British Columbia V2C 1Y6

Fax: 250-372-2293

E-Mail: rdunn@radionl.com

Examination of application:

201 – 2196 Quilchena Avenue Merritt, British Columbia

36. Merritt, British Columbia Application No. 2008-1033-4

Application by **N L Broadcasting Ltd.** (NLB) to amend the licence of the English-language AM commercial radio programming undertaking CHNL Kamloops, British Columbia.

The licensee proposes to add an AM transmitter at Merritt.

The new transmitter would operate on frequency 1230 kHz (class C) with a transmitter power of 1,000 watts, day-time and night-time.

This transmitter addition is tied to an application (2008-1032-6) filed by Merritt Broadcasting Ltd. (a corporation controlled by NLB) to convert radio station CJNL Merritt from the AM band to the FM band. CJNL also broadcasts programming received from CHNL.

The addition of the AM transmitter at Merrit will ensure that CHNL's programming continues to be available in Merrit.

The transmitter will operate under the same technical parameters as authorized to CJNL.

The licensee has indicated that both applications are non severable.

Licensee's address:

611 Lansdowne Street Kamloops, British Columbia V2C 1Y6

Fax: 250-372-2293

E-Mail: rdunn@radionl.com

Examination of application:

201 – 2196 Quilchena Avenue Merritt, British Columbia

37. Lake Cowichan, British Columbia Application No. 2008-1095-4

Application by the **Cowichan Valley Community Radio Society** for a licence to operate an English-language FM developmental community radio programming undertaking in Lake Cowichan.

The new station would operate on frequency 98.7 MHz (channel 254VLP) with an average effective radiated power of 3.7 watts (maximum effective radiated power of 5 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 14 metres).

The applicant plans to focus its music programming on local talent. It also wishes to establish itself as an emergency service broadcaster by proving a link to the various community emergency services in the Cowichan Valley.

The Commission may withdraw this application from the public hearing if it is not advised by the Department of Industry, at least twenty days prior to the hearing, that the application is technically acceptable.

Applicant's address:

37 Wellington Road Lake Cowichan, British Columbia V0R 2G0

Fax: 250-749-6689

E-Mail: admin@cvcradio.ca

Examination of application:

At the applicant's address

38. Kelowna, British Columbia Application No. 2008-1464-1

Application by **Sun Country Radio Ltd.** to acquire the assets of the radio programming undertaking CKKO-FM Kelowna from Sun Country Cablevision Ltd.

The applicant is also requesting a licence to continue the operation of the undertaking under the same terms and conditions as those in effect under the current licence.

As part of the proposed corporate reorganization, Sun Country Radio Ltd. would acquire the assets of CKKO-FM from Sun Country Cablevision Ltd. The licence to operate the cable distribution undertaking serving Salmon Arm will continue to be held by Sun Country Cablevision Ltd.

Sun Country Radio Ltd. is a corporation controlled by its board of directors which composed of the same directors as for Sun Country Cablevision Ltd.'s board of directors.

The Commission has not issued the licence for this undertaking because the requirements for the issuance of the licence have not yet been met.

Applicant's address:

51-3rd Street, North-East Salmon Arm, British Columbia V1E 4N2

Fax: 250-832-2146

E-Mail: mike.hall@sunwave.net

Examination of application:

1601 Bertram Street Kelowna, British Columbia

39. **Iqaluit, Nunavut Application No. 2008-1307-3**

Application by **Northern Lights Entertainment Inc.** (Northern Lights) for authority to acquire from Nunavut Nalautinga Ltd. (Nalautinga) the assets of the English-language commercial radio programming undertaking CKIQ-FM Iqaluit.

The applicant is requesting a new licence to continue the operation of the undertaking under the same terms and conditions as those in effect under the current licence, upon surrender of the licence currently issued to Nalautinga.

Following the proposed transaction Northern Lights, a corporation owned and controlled by Mr. Glenn Craig, would become the licensee of the broadcasting undertaking listed above.

The value of the transaction based on the terms of the purchase agreement is \$185,000. The applicant is requesting an exemption from the tangible benefits policy.

Applicant's address:

P.O. Box 417 Iqaluit, Nunavut X0A 0H0

Fax: 867-975-2598

E-Mail: ckiqfm@gmail.com

Examination of application:

262 Tumiit Plaza Iqaluit, Nunavut

Public Participation

Deadline for interventions/comments

18 December 2008

The intervention must be received by the CRTC and by the applicant on or before the above-mentioned date. The Commission cannot be held responsible for postal delays.

The intervention must include one of the following statements in either the first or the last paragraph:

- 1 I request to appear at the public hearing.
- 2 I do not want to appear at the public hearing.

Your intervention will be considered by the Commission, and will form part of the public record of the proceeding without further notification to you, provided the procedure set out below has been followed. You will be contacted only if your submission raises procedural questions.

Submit your written intervention to the Secretary General of the Commission in **only one** of the following formats:

by using the

[Broadcasting intervention/comments form]

or

by mail to CRTC, Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0N2 or

by fax at 819-994-0218

A true copy **must** be sent to the applicant and proof that this has been done must accompany the intervention sent to the Commission.

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Before initiating service through electronic mode, please ensure that you will be able to satisfy the Commission, upon request, that service of the notification was completed.

Where the intervention is filed by electronic means, the line ***End of document*** should be entered following the last paragraph of the document, as an indication that the document has not been damaged during electronic transmission.

Each paragraph of the document should be numbered.

Your intervention should clearly identify the application and indicate whether you support or oppose the application, or if you propose changes to it, include the facts and grounds for your proposal.

In the event that the application is brought to the oral phase of the hearing, and if you wish to appear, you must provide reasons why your written comments are not sufficient and why an appearance is necessary.

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Examination of documents

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Secretary General

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