



Broadcasting Public Notice CRTC 2008-63

Ottawa, 15 July 2008

Notice of consultation

Applications received

Various locations

Deadline for submission of interventions/comments: 19 August 2008

The Commission has received the following applications:

[Broadcasting intervention/comments form]

Item Applicant and Locality

1. **Eleanor Whiteduck**
Maniwaki, Quebec
Application No. 2008-0253-9
2. **Vidéotron Ltd.**
Province of Quebec
Application No. 2008-0743-0
3. **Care Radio Broadcasting Association**
Meander River, Peerless Lake, Manning, Cleardale, Chateh, Wabasca and Fort
Chipewyan, Alberta
Application Nos. 2008-0819-9, 2008-0822-2, 2008-0823-0, 2008-0825-6,
2008-0818-1, 2008-0821-4, 2008-0824-8

1. **Maniwaki, Quebec**
Application No. 2008-0253-9

Application by **Eleanor Whiteduck**, to renew the licence of the Type B community native radio programming undertaking CKWE-FM, Maniwaki, expiring 31 August 2008.

The licensee proposes to operate this undertaking under the same terms and conditions as specified in the current licence.

Licensee's address:

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P.O. Box 309
Maniwaki, Quebec
J9E 3C9
Fax: 819-449-5673
E-Mail: marcel.brascoupe@kza.qc.ca

Examination of application:

At the licensee's address

2. **Province of Quebec**
Application No. 2008-0743-0

Application by **Vidéotron Ltd.**, to amend the licence of the regional Video on demand programming undertaking known as VSD Illico.

The licensee proposes to replace the condition of licence relating to closed captioning which reads:

Condition no. 8 CRTC 2002-203

No later than 1 September 2006 and until the end of the licence term, the licensee shall caption at least 90% of all programs it airs during the broadcast day.

with the following condition:

The licensee shall close caption at least 90% of programs it airs during the broadcast day with the exception of adult movies and programs for pre-school children.

The licensee makes this request to alleviate the costs of close captioning stating that the costs due to close captioning exceed the service provided to the public. The other reason, according to the licensee, is the administrative burden.

According to the licensee, the financial resources will be reallocated to improving the quantity and quality of programming including close captioning of programs targeting the general public.

Licensee's address:

612 St-Jacques West
 15th floor, South Tower
 Fax: 514-380-4664
 E-Mail: guy.suzanne@quebecor.com

Examination of application:

At the licensee's address

3. **Meander River, Peerless Lake, Manning, Cleardale, Chateh, Wabasca and Fort Chipewyan, Alberta**
Application Nos. 2008-0819-9, 2008-0822-2, 2008-0823-0, 2008-0825-6, 2008-0818-1, 2008-0821-4, 2008-0824-8

Applications by **Care Radio Broadcasting Association**, to amend the licence of the Type B English-language FM community radio programming undertaking CIAM-FM Fort Vermilion, Alberta.

The licensee proposes to add low-power FM transmitters at Meander River, Peerless Lake, Manning, Cleardale, Chateh, Wabasca and Fort Chipewyan, Alberta to broadcast the programming of CIAM-FM in order to serve the population of the areas.

The transmitter at Meander River would operate on frequency 95.9 MHz (channel 240LP) with an effective radiated power of 50 watts (non-directional antenna/effective antenna height of 44.25 metres).

The transmitter at Peerless Lake would operate on frequency 96.9 MHz (channel 245LP) with an effective radiated power of 50 watts (non-directional antenna/effective antenna height of 23 metres).

The transmitter at Manning would operate on frequency 95.5 MHz (channel 238LP) with an effective radiated power of 50 watts (non-directional antenna/effective antenna height of 42.2 metres).

The transmitter at Cleardale would operate on frequency 91.5 MHz (channel 218LP) with an effective radiated power of 50 watts (non-directional antenna/effective antenna height of 48.5 metres).

The transmitter at Chateh would operate on frequency 96.9 MHz (channel 245LP) with an effective radiated power of 14 watts (non-directional antenna/effective antenna height of 119.5 metres).

The transmitter at Wabasca would operate on frequency 95.5 MHz (channel 238LP) with an effective radiated power of 45 watts (non-directional antenna/effective antenna height of 63.25 metres).

The transmitter at Fort Chipewyan would operate on frequency 95.5 MHz (channel 238LP) with an effective radiated power of 30 watts (non-directional antenna/effective antenna height of 79.5 metres).

The licensee argues that the Northern communities in Alberta are closely connected and that many people spend hours driving to and from the villages within the areas sought to be served. The licensee expressed the desire to re-broadcast the CIAM signal so that the northern area will be covered from an overall community perspective.

Licensee's address:

Box 609
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Fort Vermilion, Alberta
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Examination of applications:

At the licensee's address, and

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Meander River, Alberta

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Wabasca (Peerless Lake), Alberta

121-4th Street South West
Manning, Alberta

808 Highway Drive
Cleardale, Alberta

32022 Chateh Drive
Chateh, Alberta

2077 Mistassiniy
Wabasca, Alberta

152 McKenzie Avenue
Fort Chipewyan, Alberta

Public Participation

Deadline for Interventions/Comments

19 August 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.

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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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.

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