



Broadcasting Information Bulletin CRTC 2010-70

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Applications processed pursuant to streamlined procedures

In this information bulletin, the Commission sets out lists of applications that did not require a public process and that it processed from 1 November to 31 December 2009 pursuant to its streamlined procedures. These applications involved transfers of ownership and changes in the effective control of broadcasting undertakings, as well as amendments or extensions of deadlines.

1. The Commission has streamlined procedures for its consideration of applications that involve transfers of ownership and changes in the effective control of broadcasting undertakings, as well as amendments or extensions of deadlines that do not require a public process.¹ Under these procedures and on a case-by-case basis, the Commission may approve or deny such an application without first having issued a notice of consultation provided that:
 - a) its examination of the application reveals no significant policy concern; and
 - b) the Commission is convinced that approval or denial would be consistent with its approvals or denials of previous applications.
2. Where these two conditions are met, the Commission is generally satisfied that a process initiated by a notice of consultation is not required in the public interest and would unnecessarily delay implementation of the transaction contemplated or of other proposals by the applicant.
3. In the appendices to this information bulletin, the Commission sets out lists of applications that did not require a public process and that it processed between 1 November and 31 December 2009 pursuant to its streamlined procedures. The list of applications involving transfers of ownership and changes in the effective control of broadcasting undertakings is set out in Appendix 1. The list of applications involving amendments or extensions of deadlines is set out in Appendix 2.

Secretary General

Related documents

- *A guide to the CRTC processes for broadcasting applications and policy reviews*, Broadcasting Circular CRTC 2007-4, 7 June 2007

¹ As regards the Commission's streamlined approach for applications involving ownership issues, see Broadcasting Public Notice 2003-50. As regards the Commission's streamlined approach for applications involving amendments and extensions of deadlines, see Broadcasting Circular 2006-1.

- *Streamlined processes for certain broadcasting applications*, Broadcasting Circular CRTC 2006-1, 27 March 2006
- *Ownership applications granted approval*, Broadcasting Public Notice CRTC 2003-50, 19 September 2003

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Appendix 1 to Broadcasting Information Bulletin CRTC 2010-70

Ownership applications that did not require a public process and that were processed by the Commission from 1 November to 31 December 2009 pursuant to its streamlined procedure

None

Appendix 2 to Broadcasting Information Bulletin CRTC 2010-70

Applications for amendments or extensions of deadlines that did not require a public process and that were processed by the Commission from 1 November to 31 December 2009 pursuant to its streamlined procedure

	Licensee	Application number and date of decision	Decision and description of the application
1.	Persona Communications Inc.	2009-1381-5 2 November 2009	APPROVED – Change in the licensed area of the Class 1 terrestrial broadcasting distribution undertaking serving Delta, British Columbia.
2.	High Fidelity HDTV Inc. (OBCI)	2009-1375-8 4 November 2009	APPROVED – Extension to 1 February 2011 of the time limit to commence the operation of the national, English-language Category 2 high definition specialty programming undertaking to be known as Clash HD approved in <i>Clash HD – Category 2 specialty service</i> , Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2007-46, 1 February 2007. This is the final extension to be granted by the Commission.
3.	High Fidelity HDTV Inc. (OBCI)	2009-1376-6 4 November 2009 2009-1377-4 4 November 2009 2009-1379-0 4 November	APPROVED – Extension to 2 February 2011 of the time limit to commence the operation of the national, English-language Category 2 high definition (HD) specialty programming undertakings listed below: Eureka! HD authorized in <i>Eureka! HD – Category 2 specialty service</i> , Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2007-49, 2 February 2007. Centre Stage HD authorized in <i>Centre Stage HD – Category 2 specialty service</i> , Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2007-50, 2 February 2007. Aqua HD authorized in <i>Aqua HD – Category 2 specialty service</i> ,

		2009-1380-8 4 November 2009	<p>Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2007-52, 2 February 2007.</p> <p>Senior's Life HD authorized in <i>Seniors' Life HD – Category 2 specialty service</i>, Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2007-51, 2 February 2007.</p> <p>This is the final extension to be granted by the Commission for these undertakings.</p>
4.	My Broadcasting Corporation	2009-1390-7 9 November 2009	APPROVED – Change to the authorized contours of the English-language FM radio programming undertaking CIYM-FM Brighton, Ontario.
5.	CTV Limited	2009-1414-4 9 November 2009	APPROVED – Extension to 22 January 2010 of the time limit to commence the operation of the English-language commercial FM radio programming undertaking CKXE-FM Edmonton, Alberta authorized in <i>Licensing of new radio stations to serve Edmonton, Alberta</i> , Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2008-288, 17 October 2008, and <i>Use of Frequency 95.7 MHz by the new FM radio station in Edmonton</i> , Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2009-438, 23 July 2009.
6.	Canadian Broadcasting Corporation	2009-1445-9 16 November 2009	APPROVED IN PART – Extension to 12 December 2010 of the time limit to commence the operation of the transmitter CBH-FM-3 Yarmouth, Nova Scotia authorized in <i>CBH-FM Halifax – New transmitter at Yarmouth</i> , Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2007-425, 12 December 2007.
7.	TELUS Communications Inc., and 1219823 Alberta ULC in partnership with TELUS Communications Inc. in TELE-MOBILE Company, partners in a general partnership carrying on business as TELUS Communications Company	2009-1400-6 18 November 2009	APPROVED – Change in the licensed area of the regional Class 1 terrestrial broadcasting distribution undertaking serving Nanaimo, British Columbia.

8.	Frank Thibault (OBCI)	2009-1550-7 27 November 2009	APPROVED – Extension to 8 February 2011 of the time limit to commence the operation of the regional English-language Category 2 specialty programming undertaking to be known as Niagara News TV authorized in <i>Niagara News TV – Category 2 specialty service</i> , Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2007-56, 8 February 2007. This is the final extension to be granted by the Commission.
9.	Coopérative des travailleurs CHNC	2009-1491-2 10 December 2009	APPROVED – Extension to 1 November 2010 of the time limit for the simultaneous broadcasting of CHNC and CHNC-FM New Carlisle, Quebec and of the transmitters CHGM and CHGM-FM Gaspé, Quebec authorized in <i>CHNC New Carlisle and its transmitter CHGM Gaspé – Conversion to the FM band and addition of FM transmitters in Carleton, Chandler and Percé</i> , Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2008-51, 3 March 2008.
10.	Coopérative des travailleurs CHNC	2009-1461-5 10 December 2009	APPROVED – Extension to 1 November 2010 of the time limit to commence the operation of the FM transmitter CHNC-FM-3 Percé, Quebec authorized in <i>CHNC New Carlisle and its transmitter CHGM Gaspé – Conversion to the FM band and addition of FM transmitters in Carleton, Chandler and Percé</i> , Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2008-51, 3 March 2008.
11.	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	2009-1599-4 10 December 2009	APPROVED – Extension to 17 October 2011 of the time limit to commence the operation of the commercial English-language FM radio programming undertaking in Red Deer, Alberta approved in part in <i>Licensing of new radio stations to serve Red Deer and technical change relating to CJUV-FM Lacombe</i> ,

			Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2008-287, 17 October 2008.
12.	Northern Native Broadcasting (Terrace B.C.)	2009-1217-2 14 December 2009	APPROVED – Revocation of the authorization to operate CFNR-FM’s rebroadcasting transmitter VF2065 Kispiox, British Columbia.
13.	Fondation Radio Enfant	2009-1583-7 15 December 2009	APPROVED – Extension to 31 December 2009 of the time limit to commence the operation of the French-language Type B Community AM radio programming undertaking in Gatineau/Ottawa approved in <i>Community radio station in Gatineau/Ottawa</i> , Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2007-89, 19 March 2007.