



Broadcasting Notice of Consultation CRTC 2015-93

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Notice of applications received

Various locations

Renewal of the broadcasting licences for certain radio stations – Licensees in apparent repeated non-compliance

Deadline for submission of interventions/comments/answers: 21 April 2015

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The Commission announces that it has received applications to renew the broadcasting licences for certain radio stations, which expire 31 August 2015. Information regarding each application is set out in the tables below.

The licensees propose to continue the operation of their undertakings under the same terms and conditions as those in effect under the current licences.

The licensees of the commercial radio stations will be required to adhere to the conditions set out in *Conditions of licence for commercial AM and FM radio stations*, Broadcasting Regulatory Policy CRTC 2009-62, 11 February 2009.

The Commission notes that the stations were found in non-compliance with one or more of their regulatory requirements during their previous licence term. The licenses for these stations were therefore renewed for a short-term period at the time of their last licence renewal in order to allow for an earlier review of their compliance with their regulatory requirements.

In each case, the Commission has examined the licensee's compliance with the requirements set out in section 9(2) of the *Radio Regulations, 1986* (the Regulations).

In addition, the Commission has monitored logger tapes and music lists of certain stations to determine the licensees' compliance with requirements relating to the broadcast of Canadian musical selections and French-language vocal music, where applicable. In the list below, stations identified with an asterisk (*) have been monitored by the Commission. The monitoring report has been placed on each licensee's public examination file. A copy can be obtained by contacting one of the Commission's documentation centers.

Finally, the Commission has also examined the compliance of certain licensees with the requirements set out in section 15 of the Regulations and any Canadian content development condition of licence. These stations are identified by a double asterisk (**) in the list below.

Based on this examination, the Commission notes that the licensees listed below are in apparent non-compliance with certain of their regulatory requirements for the current licence term and that they have been so informed. The requirements in question are specified below.

The Commission notes the serious and repeated nature of this apparent non-compliance. The Commission intends to consider the renewal of the broadcasting licences for these services according to the approach set out in *Update on the Commission's approach to non-compliance by radio stations*, Broadcasting Information Bulletin CRTC 2014-608, 21 November 2014. The Commission will consider the use of any or all of the measures set out at paragraph 7 of that information bulletin, as appropriate, given the facts of each application.

Ethnic radio station

Licensee name¹	Application number, call sign and location	Type of apparent non-compliance	Email address to request an electronic version of the application
CPAM Radio Union.com inc.	2014-0834-4 **CJWI Montréal, Quebec	Annual returns Canadian content development	jeanernestpierre1410@gmail.com

Commercial radio station

Licensee name	Application number, call sign and location	Type of apparent non-compliance	Email address to request an electronic version of the application
9116-1299 Québec inc.	2014-0828-7 */**CFOR-FM Maniwaki, Quebec	Canadian content development	cfor993@b2b2c.ca

¹ Contact information for all the licensees identified in this notice are available upon request at Commission offices.

Non-commercial religious radio station

Licensee name	Application number, call sign and location	Type of apparent non-compliance	Email address to request an electronic version of the application
Aylesford Community Baptist Church	2014-0949-1 VF8023 Aylesford, Nova Scotia	Annual returns	cvcrgoodnews@gmail.com

Procedure

Deadline for interventions, comments or answers

21 April 2015

The *Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission Rules of Practice and Procedure* (the Rules of Procedure) apply to the present proceeding. The Rules of Procedure set out, among other things, the rules for content, format, filing and service of interventions, replies, answers of respondents and requests for information; the procedure for filing confidential information and requesting its disclosure; and the conduct of public hearings. Accordingly, the procedure set out below must be read in conjunction with the Rules of Procedure and its accompanying documents, which can be found on the Commission's website under "Statutes and Regulations." *Guidelines on the CRTC Rules of Practice and Procedure*, Broadcasting and Telecom Information Bulletin CRTC 2010-959, 23 December 2010, provides information to help interested persons and parties understand the Rules of Procedure so that they can more effectively participate in Commission proceedings.

An intervention or answer from a respondent must be received by the Commission and by the applicant on or before the above-mentioned date. An answer from a respondent must also be served on any other respondent.

Interventions and answers should clearly identify the application referred to and indicate whether parties support or oppose the application, or, if they propose changes to it, include the facts and grounds for their proposal.

The Commission encourages interested persons and parties to monitor the record of the proceeding, available on the Commission's website, for additional information that they may find useful when preparing their submissions.

Submissions longer than five pages should include a summary. Each paragraph of all submissions should be numbered, and the line *****End of document***** should follow the last paragraph. This will help the Commission verify that the document has not been damaged during electronic transmission.

Submissions must be filed by sending them to the Secretary General of the Commission using **only one** of the following means:

by completing the
[[Intervention/comment/answer form](#)]

or

by mail to
CRTC, Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0N2

or

by fax at
819-994-0218

A true copy of each intervention or answer from a respondent must be sent to the applicant and, in the case of a respondent to an application, to any other respondent.

Parties who send documents electronically must ensure that they will be able to prove, upon Commission request, that service/filing of a particular document was completed. Accordingly, parties must keep proof of the sending and receipt of each document for 180 days after the date on which the document is filed. The Commission advises parties who file and serve documents by electronic means to exercise caution when using email for the service of documents, as it may be difficult to establish that service has occurred.

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure, a document must be received by the Commission and all relevant parties by 5 p.m. Vancouver time (8 p.m. Ottawa time) on the date it is due. Parties are responsible for ensuring the timely delivery of their submissions and will not be notified if their submissions are received after the deadline. Late submissions, including those due to postal delays, will not be considered by the Commission and will not be made part of the public record.

The Commission will not formally acknowledge submissions. It will, however, fully consider all submissions, which will form part of the public record of the proceeding, provided that the procedure for filing set out above has been followed.

Important notice

All information that parties provide as part of this public process, except information designated confidential, whether sent by postal mail, facsimile, email or through the Commission's website at www.crtc.gc.ca, becomes part of a publicly accessible file and will be posted on the Commission's website. This information includes personal information, such as full names, email addresses, postal/street addresses, telephone and facsimile numbers, etc.

The personal information that parties provide will be used and may be disclosed for the purpose for which the information was obtained or compiled by the Commission, or for a use consistent with that purpose.

Documents received electronically or otherwise will be put on the Commission's website in their entirety exactly as received, including any personal information contained therein, in the official language and format in which they are received. Documents not received electronically will be available in PDF format.

The information that parties provide to the Commission as part of this public process is entered into an unsearchable database dedicated to this specific public process. This database is accessible only from the web page of this particular public process. As a result, a general search of the Commission's website with the help of either its own search engine or a third-party search engine will not provide access to the information that was provided as part of this public process.

Availability of documents

Electronic versions of the applications are available on the Commission's website at www.crtc.gc.ca by selecting the application number within this notice. They are also available from the applicants, either on their websites or upon request by contacting the applicants at their email addresses, provided above.

Electronic versions of the interventions and answers, as well as of other documents referred to in this notice, are available on the Commission's website at www.crtc.gc.ca by visiting the "Participate" section, selecting "Submit Ideas and Comments," and then selecting "our open processes." Documents can then be accessed by clicking on the links in the "Subject" and "Related Documents" columns associated with this particular notice.

Documents are also available from Commission offices, upon request, during normal business hours.

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