

Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2020-312

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Canadian Broadcasting Corporation

Saguenay and Petit-Saguenay, Quebec

Public record for this application: 2020-0237-7

CBJ-FM Saguenay – New transmitter in Petit-Saguenay

- 1. The Commission has the authority, pursuant to section 9(1) of the *Broadcasting Act* (the Act), to issue licences for such terms not exceeding seven years and, in the case of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation (CBC), subject to such conditions as the Commission deems consistent with the provision of the programming contemplated by sections 3(1)(1) and 3(1)(m) of the Act, as well as to amend those conditions on application of the licensee.
- 2. Pursuant to this authority, the Commission **approves** the application by the CBC to amend the broadcasting licence for the French-language radio programming undertaking CBJ-FM Saguenay, Quebec, in order to operate a new transmitter in Petit-Saguenay to rebroadcast the programming of its national network service ICI Radio-Canada Première.
- 3. The Commission did not receive any interventions in regard to this application.
- 4. The new transmitter will operate at 101.3 MHz (channel 267A1) with an effective radiated power of 250 watts (non-directional antenna with an effective height of the antenna above average terrain of -196.4 metres).
- 5. The licensee aims to address a reception problem for its station CBJ-FM Saguenay in the community of Petit-Saguenay on the outskirts of the city of Saguenay.
- 6. Approval of this application will ensure that this community continues to receive the French-language radio programming broadcast by CBJ-FM Saguenay.
- 7. Pursuant to section 22(1) of the Act, this authority will be effective only when the Department of Industry notifies the Commission that its technical requirements have been met and that a broadcasting certificate will be issued.
- 8. The transmitter must be in operation by no later than **27 August 2022**. To request an extension, the licensee must submit a written request to the Commission at least 60 days before that date, using the form available on the Commission's website.

Secretary General

This decision is to be appended to the licence.

