

WNTN Online Public Inspection File

Delta Communications, LLC, (Licensee) is the licensee of WNTN (Facility ID No. 48781), Cambridge, MA. Licensee acquired WNTN in 2017, consummating the transaction on March 8, 2017. As such, it is responsible for public file materials only after that date. During the period since Licensee acquired WNTN, the station did not fully comply with certain online public inspection file (OPIF) requirements as provided in Section 73.3526 of the Commission's rules.¹

Issues Programs Lists. WNTN inadvertently uploaded several of its quarterly Issues/Programs lists late during the current license term. Its pre-transition lists were uploaded on July 16, 2018, after the OPIF transition deadline. In addition, the Q2 2018, Q2 2019, Q4 2019, Q1-Q4 2020, and Q1 2021 lists were also uploaded after the relevant deadlines. All of WNTN's Issues/Programs lists since Licensee acquired the station are now in the OPIF.

Licensee regrets the oversights that caused WNTN to upload the above referenced Issues/Programs lists late. However, it would note that in many cases, the lists were uploaded only days after the relevant deadline. In addition, as the Commission knows, the Covid-19 pandemic severely disrupted the operations of stations across the country. Delta Communications does not offer this explanation to excuse its failure to fully comply with the Commission's rules, but Licensee believes the public interest was not materially impacted by these late uploaded Issues/Programs lists. Moreover, Delta Communications appreciates its obligation to fully comply with the Commission's rules, including all deadlines for uploading required material to WNTN's OPIF. It has therefore consulted its communications counsel regarding OPIF compliance and adopted enhanced procedures to ensure its Issues/Programs lists are timely uploaded going forward.

¹ 47 C.F.R. § 73.3526 *et seq.*