

EXHIBIT 17
Multiple Ownership

This application seeks Commission consent to the assignment of licenses of three full-power television stations (collectively, the “Stations”),¹ three television translator stations² and related auxiliary and other facilities from Newport Television License LLC (“Newport”) to KMTR Television, LLC (“KTLLC”). The manager and sole member of KTLLC is Roberts Media, LLC, which is owned and operated by Larry Roberts.³ Mr. Roberts does not currently hold any media interests.

The three full-power stations are located in the Eugene, Oregon, Designated Market Area (“DMA”). The Commission has previously approved the common ownership of the Stations in the DMA. Specifically, the Commission issued an Order in 2007 stating:

that use of the Longley-Rice terrain shielding methodology indicates that there exists no actual Grade B overlap between the stations and, thus, that common ownership is consistent with the local television ownership rule...we agree that there is no actual Grade B contour overlap between station KMTR(TV) and station KTCW(TV).⁴

and

the applicant has adequately demonstrated that the Grade B contour of KMCB(TV) does not overlap the predicted contour of either KMTR(TV) or KTCW(TV).⁵

¹ KMTR(TV), Eugene, Oregon, Facility ID 35189, KTCW(TV), Roseburg, Oregon, Facility ID 35187, and KMCB(TV), Coos Bay, Oregon, Facility ID 35183.

² K22GX-D, Tri City, Oregon, Facility ID 35184, K31AE, Sutherlin, Oregon, Facility ID 35172, and K46AS, Coos Bay, Oregon, Facility ID 35188.

³ Fisher Broadcasting – Oregon TV, L.L.C. (“Fisher”) agreed to purchase and acquire the licenses and certain assets of the Stations from Newport pursuant to an Asset Purchase Agreement dated November 20, 2012. On November 20, 2012, Fisher assigned its rights to acquire the Stations’ licenses and certain designated assets to KTLLC.

⁴ *Clear Channel Broadcasting Licenses, Inc., et al. and Newport Television LLC*, 22 FCC Rcd 21196, 21199 (2007).

⁵ *Id.* at n.9.

The circumstances underlying the Commission's approval have not materially changed. Consequently, KTLLC respectfully requests that the Bureau grant the instant application as consistent with the public interest.