

Request for “Permit-But-Disclose” Status

The instant application is related to several transfer of control and assignment applications (collectively, the “Applications”) that were filed in conjunction with that certain Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated March 9, 2011, by and among Citadel Broadcasting Corporation, Cumulus Media Inc., Cumulus Media Holdings Inc. (FKA Cadet Holding Corporation) (“Holdco”), a wholly-owned subsidiary of CMI, and Cadet Merger Corporation, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Holdco. Those Applications were recently granted by the Commission. *See In the Matter of Existing Shareholders of Cumulus Media Inc. (Transferors) et al.*, DA 11-1546 (rel. September 14, 2011).

The parties hereby request that the instant application be processed through a “permit-but-disclose” proceeding under the Commission’s *ex parte* rules. *See* 47 C.F.R. § 1.1200 *et seq.* Designation as a permit-but-disclose proceeding would serve the public interest by facilitating a full exchange of information by and among the Commission, the parties to the applications, and any other interested parties. Classifying the proceeding as permit-but-disclose also would facilitate the development of a complete record upon which a well-reasoned decision can be made by the Commission. Accordingly, use of the permit-but-disclose *ex parte* procedures would satisfy the purposes of the *ex parte* rules set forth in Section 1.1200(a). *See* 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206.