

### **Description of Transaction and Public Interest Statement**

Merlin Media License, LLC (“Assignor”) and Radio License Holdings LLC (“Assignee”) request Commission consent to one application seeking the assignment of the following Commission broadcast licenses and authorizations held by Assignor that are associated with Station WLUP-FM, Chicago, Illinois (Facility ID 73233) and WKQX(FM), Chicago, Illinois (Facility ID 19525) (the “Stations”). The specific authorizations sought to be assigned are as follows:

Station WLUP-FM, Chicago IL (Facility ID 73233)

Licensee: Merlin Media License, LLC

License Expiration Date: 12/1/2020

Commission Authorizations:

- FM Broadcast Station License BMLH-20110629BQR
- FM Broadcast Station License Auxiliary Antenna BXMLH-20050323AAQ
- Digital Notification BDNH-20110715ACF

Station WKQX, Chicago, IL (Facility ID 19525)

Licensee: Merlin Media License, LLC

License Expiration Date: 12/1/2020

Commission Authorizations:

- FM Broadcast Station License BMLH-20110629BQS, as renewed, BRH-20120801AJU
- FM Broadcast Station License Auxiliary Antenna BXMLH-20050322AJD
- Digital STA BSTA-20110603ABU
- Digital Notification BDNH-20101203AAT
- WLF555 (Studio Transmitter Link) expires 12/1/2020

Assignor and Assignee, and affiliated entities, entered into a Put and Call Agreement as of January 2, 2014, pursuant to which Buyers will purchase from Sellers all assets, properties, rights and interests of Sellers that are used or held for use in the operation of the Stations, including all licenses, auxiliary and ancillary authorizations for transmitting and/or receiving facilities, boosters and repeaters associated with the Stations. As a result of the proposed transaction, subject to Commission approval, the Assignee will directly hold and control the broadcast and associated FCC licenses of the Stations currently held by Assignor.

Approval of the subject transaction is in the public interest, as it will ensure continuity of service by the Stations to the community they serve.