

Radio Market Analysis – Chicago, IL

Upon a grant of the instant application, Cumulus Media Inc. (“CMI”), the ultimate indirect parent of Radio License Holdings LLC, will control the following radio stations in the Chicago, Illinois radio market:

Station	Community of License	Facility ID	County of License
WLS(AM)	Chicago, IL	73227	Cook
WLS-FM	Chicago, IL	73228	Cook
WLUP-FM	Chicago, IL	73233	Cook
WKQX(FM)	Chicago, IL	19525	Cook

As reflected in the attached “FCC Geographic Market Definition for Chicago, IL,” there are 137 authorized full-power commercial and noncommercial radio stations in the Chicago, IL radio market. Section 73.3555(a)(1)(i) of the Commission’s rules (47 C.F.R. § 73.3555(a)(1)(i)) provides that in radio markets with 45 or more full-power, commercial and noncommercial radio stations, a single entity may hold a cognizable interest in no more than eight (8) commercial stations, not more than five (5) of which may be in the same service. As demonstrated above, upon a grant of the instant application, CMI will control one (1) AM station and three (3) FM stations in the Chicago radio metro, which will comply with the Commission’s local radio ownership rule.