

Amendment to Renewal of License

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 WANI
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 State:

 Alabama
 City:
 OPELIKA
 Service:
 AM
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 Renewal of License Amendment
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General Information	Section	Question	Response
	Attachments	Are attachments (other than associated schedules) being filed with this application?	No
Fees, Waivers, and Exemptions	Section	Question	Response
	Fees	Is the applicant exempt from FCC application Fees?	No
		Indicate reason for fee exemption:	
		Is the applicant exempt from FCC regulatory Fees?	No
	Waivers	Does this filing request a waiver of the Commission's rule(s)?	No
		Total number of rule sections involved in this waiver request:	

Applicant Information

Applicant Name, Type, and Contact Information

Applicant	Address	Phone	Email	Applicant Type
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Renewal	Section	Question	Response
Certification	Character Issues	Licensee certifies that neither the licensee nor any party to the application has or has had any interest in, or connection with, any broadcast application in any proceeding where character issues were left unresolved, or were resolved adversely against the applicant or any party to the application;	Yes
		Licensee certifies that neither the licensee nor any party to the application has or has had any interest in, or connection with, any pending broadcast application in which character issues have been raised	Yes
	Adverse Findings	Licensee certifies that, with respect to the licensee and each party to the application, no adverse finding has been made, nor has an adverse final action been taken by any court or administrative body in a civil or criminal proceeding brought under the provisions of any laws related to any of the following: any felony; mass media-related antitrust or unfair competition; fraudulent statements to another governmental unit; or discrimination.	No
	FCC Violations during the Preceding License Term	Licensee certifies that, with respect to the station(s) for which renewal is requested, there have been no violations by the licensee of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, or the rules or regulations of the Commission during the preceding license term. If "No", the licensee must submit an explanatory exhibit providing complete descriptions of all violations.	Yes
	Ownership	The licensee certifies that, with respect to the station(s) for which renewal is requested, it complied with 47 CFR Section 73.3555.	Yes
	Alien Ownership and Control	Licensee certifies that it complies with the provisions of Section 310 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, relating to interests of aliens and foreign governments.	Yes
	Non-Discriminatory Advertising Sales Agreements	Commercial licensee certifies that its advertising sales agreements do not discriminate on the basis of race or ethnicity and that all such agreements held by the licensee contain non-discrimination clauses. Noncommercial licensees should select "not applicable."	Yes

Section	Question	Response
Biennial Ownership Report	Licensee certifies that the station's Biennial Ownership Report (FCC Form 323 or 323-E) has been filed with the Commission, as required by 47 C.F.R. Sections 73.3615 and 74.797.	Yes
EEO Program	The station's Broadcast EEO Program Report (FCC Form 396), has been filed with the Commission, as required by 47 C.F.R. Section 73.2080(f)(1).	Yes File Number: 0000088038
	The station has posted its most recent Broadcast EEO Public File Report on the station's website, as required by 47 C.F.R. Section 73.2080(c)(6).	Yes
Online Public Inspection File	Licensee certifies that the documentation required by 47 C.F. R. Section 73.3526 or 73.3527, as applicable, has been uploaded to the station's public inspection file as and when required.	Yes
Adherence to Minimum Operating Schedule	Licensee certifies that, during the preceding license term, the station has not been silent (or operating for less than its prescribed minimum operating hours) for any period of more than 30 days.	Yes
Silent Station	Licensee certifies that the station is currently on the air broadcasting programming intended to be received by the public.	Yes
Discontinued Operations	Licensee certifies that during the preceding license term, the station has not been silent for any consecutive 12-month period.	Yes
Environmental Effects	Licensee certifies that the specified facility complies with the maximum permissible radio frequency electromagnetic exposure limits for controlled and uncontrolled environments.	Yes

AM/FM/LPFM Certification

Other BroadCast	Section	Question	Response
Certifications	Other BroadCast	Does this application include one or more FM translator	Yes
	Certifications	station(s) or TV translator station(s) or LPTV station(s), in addition to the station listed at the top of this section?	

Other Broadcast Station(s):

Call Sign	Facility Id	Service Code
W254AY	138347	FX
W294AR	141199	FX
W242AX	146140	FX

FM Translator Certifications (3)

Section	Question		Response
Operational Status	Silent Stations Licensee certifies that the s	Silent Stations Licensee certifies that the station is currently on the air.	
	Rebroadcast Status Licensee certifies that the station is currently rebroadcasting the signal of an FM, AM, or LPFM station.		Yes
	Rebroadcast Station(s)	Rebroadcast Station(s):	
	Call Sign Facility Id		
	WGZZ	15283	
	Rebroadcast Consent Licensee certifies that it ha the licensee of the primary retransmitting the primary s		Yes
Licensee Compliance	Licensee certifies that it is in compliance with 47 C.F.R. Section 74.1232(d), which prohibits the common ownership of: (1) a commercial primary FM station and a FM translator station whose coverage contour extends beyond the protected contour of the commercial FM primary station being broadcast, and (2) a commercial primary AM Station and a FM translator station whose 60 dBu contour exceeds the greater of either: (a) the 2 mV/m daytime contour of the commercial AM primary station being rebroadcast, or (b) a 25-mile radius centered at the transmitter site of the commercial primary AM station being rebroadcast. This restriction also applies to any person or entity having any interest in, or any connection with, the primary FM station or primary AM station.		Yes
	Section 74.1232(e) which p station whose coverage co protected contour of the co being rebroadcast, and (2) dBu contour exceeds the g contour of the commercial broadcast, or (b) a 25-mile site of the commercial prim rebroadcast, from receiving technical assistance), befo directly or indirectly, from the	mmercial FM primary station a FM translator station whose 60 reater of: (a) the 2 mV/m daytime AM primary station being radius centered at the transmitter	Yes
Environmental Effects	maximum permissible radio	specified facility complies with the o frequency electromagnetic ed and uncontrolled environments.	Yes

Call Sign: W294AR

Section	Question	Response
Operational Status	Silent Stations Licensee certifies that the station is currently on the air.	Yes

	Rebroadcast Status Licensee certifies that the station is currently rebroadcasting the signal of an FM, AM, or LPFM station.		Yes
	Rebroadcast Station(s):		
	Call Sign	Facility Id	
	WGZZ	15283	
	Rebroadcast Consent Licensee certifies that it has the licensee of the primary retransmitting the primary s		Yes
Licensee Compliance	Licensee Compliance Licensee certifies that it is in compliance with Section 74.1232(d), which prohibits the composition of: (1) a commercial primary FM station and station whose coverage contour extends bey protected contour of the commercial FM prime being broadcast, and (2) a commercial primar and a FM translator station whose 60 dBu count the greater of either: (a) the 2 mV/m daytime commercial AM primary station being rebroad 25-mile radius centered at the transmitter site commercial primary AM station being rebroad restriction also applies to any person or entite interest in, or any connection with, the primary AM station.		Yes
	Section 74.1232(e) which p station whose coverage con protected contour of the con being rebroadcast, and (2) dBu contour exceeds the g contour of the commercial prime site of the commercial prime rebroadcast, from receiving technical assistance), befor directly or indirectly, from th	mmercial FM primary station a FM translator station whose 60 reater of: (a) the 2 mV/m daytime AM primary station being radius centered at the transmitter	Yes
Environmental Effects	maximum permissible radio	pecified facility complies with the frequency electromagnetic ad and uncontrolled environments.	Yes

Call Sign: W242AX

Section	Question		Response
Operational Status	Silent Stations Licensee certifies that the station is currently on the air.		Yes
	Rebroadcast Status Licensee certifies that the station is currently rebroadcasting the signal of an FM, AM, or LPFM station. Rebroadcast Station(s):		Yes
	Call Sign	Facility Id	
	WGZZ	15283	

	Rebroadcast Consent Licensee certifies that it has obtained written authority from the licensee of the primary station identified above for retransmitting the primary station's programming	Yes
Licensee Compliance	Licensee certifies that it is in compliance with 47 C.F.R. Section 74.1232(d), which prohibits the common ownership of: (1) a commercial primary FM station and a FM translator station whose coverage contour extends beyond the protected contour of the commercial FM primary station being broadcast, and (2) a commercial primary AM Station and a FM translator station whose 60 dBu contour exceeds the greater of either: (a) the 2 mV/m daytime contour of the commercial AM primary station being rebroadcast, or (b) a 25-mile radius centered at the transmitter site of the commercial primary AM station being rebroadcast. This restriction also applies to any person or entity having any interest in, or any connection with, the primary FM station or primary AM station.	Yes
	Licensee certifies that it is in compliance with 47 C.F.R. Section 74.1232(e) which prohibits: (1) a FM translator station whose coverage contour extends beyond the protected contour of the commercial FM primary station being rebroadcast, and (2) a FM translator station whose 60 dBu contour exceeds the greater of: (a) the 2 mV/m daytime contour of the commercial AM primary station being broadcast, or (b) a 25-mile radius centered at the transmitter site of the commercial primary AM station being rebroadcast, from receiving support (except for specified technical assistance), before, during, or after construction, directly or indirectly, from the primary station, or any person or entity having any interest in, or any connection with, the primary station.	Yes
Environmental Effects	Licensee certifies that the specified facility complies with the maximum permissible radio frequency electromagnetic exposure limits for controlled and uncontrolled environments.	Yes

	Section	Question	Response
	General Certification Statements	The Applicant waives any claim to the use of any particular frequency or of the electromagnetic spectrum as against the regulatory power of the United States because of the previous use of the same, whether by authorization or otherwise, and requests an Authorization in accordance with this application (See Section 304 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.).	
		The Applicant certifies that neither the Applicant nor any other party to the application is subject to a denial of Federal benefits pursuant to §5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. §862, because of a conviction for possession or distribution of a controlled substance. This certification does not apply to applications filed in services exempted under §1.2002(c) of the rules, 47 CFR . See §1. 2002(b) of the rules, 47 CFR §1.2002(b), for the definition of "party to the application" as used in this certification §1.2002 (c). The Applicant certifies that all statements made in this application and in the exhibits, attachments, or documents incorporated by reference are material, are part of this application, and are true, complete, correct, and made in good faith.	
	Authorized Party to Sign	 FAILURE TO SIGN THIS APPLICATION MAY RESULT IN DISMISSAL OF THE APPLICATION AND FORFEITURE OF ANY FEES PAID Upon grant of this application, the Authorization Holder may be subject to certain construction or coverage requirements. Failure to meet the construction or coverage requirements will result in automatic cancellation of the Authorization. Consult appropriate FCC regulations to determine the construction or coverage requirements that apply to the type of Authorization requested in this application. WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS FORM OR ANY ATTACHMENTS ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND /OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. Code, Title 18, §1001) AND/OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION AUTHORIZATION (U.S. Code, Title 47, §312(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. Code, Title 47, §503). 	
		I certify that this application includes all required and relevant attachments.	Yes
		I declare, under penalty of perjury, that I am an authorized representative of the above-named applicant for the Authorization(s) specified above.	Michael G. Hubbard President 05/11/2020

File Name	Uploaded By	Attachment Type	Description
AMENDMENT TO LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATION OF WANI.pdf	Applicant	Amendment	Cross Ownership Compliance Certification
Detail of Adverse Findings.docx	Applicant	Renewal Certification	Explanation of Adverse Findings and Pending Appeal in front of the Alabama Supreme Court
<u>Update as to Pending Adverse Findings.</u> pdf	Applicant	Amendment	Update of Explanation of Adverse Findings and Pending Appeal in Alabama Supreme Court