

License To Cover for Digital Replacement Translator Application

 File Number:
 000143350
 Submit Date:
 04/12/2021
 Call Sign:
 WPBN-TV
 Facility ID:
 21253
 FRN:
 0022491765

 State:
 Michigan
 City:
 TRAVERSE CITY
 Status:
 Granted
 Status Date:
 04/13/2021
 Expiration Date:

 Service:
 DRT
 Purpose:
 License To Cover 0000094906
 Status:
 Granted
 Status Date:
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 10/01/2021
 Filing Status:
 Active
 Status
 Status Date:
 04/13/2021
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General Information	Section	Question	Response
	Attachments	Are attachments (other than associated schedules) being filed with this application?	Yes
Fees, Waivers,	Section	Question	Response
and Exemptions	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:	
		Are the frequencies or parameters requested in this filing covered by grandfathered privileges, previously approved by waiver, or functionally integrated with an existing station?	No

Application Type	Fee Code	Fee Amount	
License To Cover	MEL	\$170.00	
	Total	\$170.00	

Applicant Information

Applicant Name, Type, and Contact Information

Applicant	Address	Phone	Email	Applicant Type
WPBN LICENSEE, LLC Doing Business As: Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP	Miles Mason PO Box 20036 Washington, DC 20036 United States	+1 (202) 663-8195	miles. mason@pillsburylaw. com	Limited Liability Company

Authorization Holder Name

Check box if the Authorization Holder name is being updated because of the sale (or transfer of control) of the Authorization(s) to another party and for which proper Commission approval has not been received or proper notification provided.

Contact Representatives (3)	Contact Name	Address	Phone	Email	Contact Type
	Harvey Arnold Sinclair Broadcast Group	Harvey Arnold 10706 Beaverdam Road Cockeysville, MD 21030 United States	+1 (410) 568- 1500	fcccontacts@sbgtv.com	Technical Representative
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	John E. Hidle , PE . Consulting Engineer Carl T. Jones Corporation	John E. Hidle, PE 7901 Yarnwood Court Springfield, VA 22153- 2827 United States	+1 (703) 569- 7704	jhidle@ctjc.com	Technical Representative

Alien Ownership	Question	Response
	 Is the applicant a foreign government or the representative of any foreign government as specified in Section 310(a) of the Communications Act? 	No
	2) Is the applicant an alien or the representative of an alien? (Section 310(b)(1))	No
	3) Is the applicant a corporation, or non-corporate entity, that is organized under the laws of any foreign government? (Section 310(b)(2))	No
	4) Is the applicant an entity of which more than one-fifth of the capital stock, or other equity or voting interest, is owned of record or voted by aliens or their representatives or by a foreign government or representative thereof or by any entity organized under the laws of a foreign country? (Section 310(b)(3))	No
	5) Is the applicant directly or indirectly controlled by any other entity of which more than one-fourth of the capital stock, or other equity or voting interest, is owned of record or voted by aliens, their representatives, or by a foreign government or representative thereof, or by any entity organized under the laws of a foreign country? (Section 310(b)(4))	No
	6) Has the applicant received a declaratory ruling(s) under Section 310(b)(4) of the Communications Act?	No
	7) In connection with this application, is the applicant filing a foreign ownership Petition for Declaratory Ruling pursuant to Section 310(b)(4) of the Communications Act?	No

Section	Question	Response
Revoked Application	Has the Applicant or any party to this application had any FCC station Authorization revoked or had any application for an initial, modification or renewal of FCC station Authorization denied by the Commission?	No
State or Federal Convictions	Has the Applicant or any party to this application, or any party directly or indirectly controlling the Applicant, ever been convicted of a felony by any state or federal court?	No

Basic Qualifying Questions

Channel and Facility Information	Section	Question	Response
	Proposed Community of License	Facility ID	21253
	License	State	Michigan
		City	TRAVERSE CITY
		DRT Channel	22
		Designated Market Area	Traverse City-Cadillac

Antenna Location	Section	Question	Response
Data	Antenna Structure Registration	Do you have an FCC Antenna Structure Registration (ASR) Number?	Yes
		ASR Number	1031841
	Coordinates (NAD83)	Latitude	44° 16' 33.2" N+
		Longitude	085° 42' 48.7" W-
		Structure Type	TOWER-A free standing or guyed struct
		Overall Structure Height	342.9 meters
		Support Structure Height	342.9 meters
		Ground Elevation (AMSL)	434.0 meters
	Antenna Data	Height of Radiation Center Above Ground Level	292 meters
		Height of Radiation Center Above Mean Sea Level	726.0 meters
		Effective Radiated Power	15 kW

Antenna	Section	Question	Response
Technical Data	Antenna Type	Antenna Type	Directional Custom
		Do you have an Antenna ID?	No
		Antenna ID	1008057
	Antenna Manufacturer and	Manufacturer:	Dielectric
	Model	Model	TLP-8M/VP
		Rotation	0 degrees
		Electrical Beam Tilt	1.0
		Mechanical Beam Tilt	Not Applicable
		toward azimuth	
		Polarization	Elliptical
	Elevation Radiation Pattern	Does the proposed antenna propose elevation radiation patterns that vary with azimuth for reasons other than the use of mechanical beam tilt?	No
		Uploaded file for elevation antenna (or radiation) pattern data	
		Out-of-Channel Emission Mask:	Full Service

Directional Antenna Relative Field Values (Pre-rotated Pattern)

Degree	Value	Degree	Value	Degree	Value	Degree	Value
0	0.184	90	0.599	180	0.918	270	0.94
10	0.226	100	0.688	190	0.901	280	0.865
20	0.257	110	0.778	200	0.895	290	0.775
30	0.227	120	0.873	210	0.908	300	0.684
40	0.183	130	0.951	220	0.921	310	0.593
50	0.194	140	0.993	230	0.942	320	0.497
60	0.278	150	0.998	240	0.974	330	0.392
70	0.393	160	0.976	250	0.995	340	0.28
80	0.502	170	0.944	260	0.985	350	0.197

Additional Azimuths

Degree	V _A
253	0.996
146	1

Information not provided.

Parties to the Application (0)

Attributable	Section	Question	Response
Interest		Applicant certifies that equity and financial interests not set forth by the applicant parties are non-attributable.	
	Other Authorizations	Does the applicant or any party to the application have an attributable interest in any other broadcast station(s).	

License Certifications	Section	Question	Response
	Constructed Facility	The facility constructed as authorized in the underlying construction permit.	Yes
	Special Operating Conditions	The facility was constructed in compliance with all special operating conditions, terms, and obligations described in the construction permit. An exhibit may be required. Review the underlying construction permit.	Yes

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	Obligations	Licensee/Permittee certifies that all terms, conditions, and obligations set forth in the underlying construction permit have been fully met.	Yes
		Licensee/Permittee certifies that, apart from changes already reported, no cause or circumstance has arisen since the grant of the underlying construction permit which would result in any statement or representation contained in the construction permit application to be now incorrect.	Yes
	Character Issues	 Applicant certifies that neither applicant nor any party to the application has or had any interest in, or connection with: (a) any broadcast application in any proceeding where character issues were left in unresolved or were resolved adversely against the applicant or party to the application; or (b) any pending broadcast application in which character issues have been raised. 	No
	Adverse Findings	Has the Applicant or any party to this application had an adverse finding or an adverse final action taken by any court or administrative body in a civil or criminal proceeding brought under any law related to the following: any felony; mass media-related antitrust or unfair competition; fraudulent statements to another governmental unit; or discrimination?	No

Certification	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.	Lucy Rutishauser CFO 04/12/2021

Attachments

File Name	Uploaded By	Attachment Type	Description
20201104_WPBN- DRT_22_Transmitter Proof.pdf	Applicant	License Certifications	WPBN-TV - channel 22 Digital Replacement Translator Proof of Performance.
CHARACTER EXHIBIT.pdf	Applicant	All Purpose	