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## License To Cover for DTV Application

File Number: **0000138509** | Submit Date: **03/11/2021** | Call Sign: **WGBH-TV** | Facility ID: **72099** | FRN: **0003764560**  
 State: **Massachusetts** | City: **BOSTON**  
 Service: **DTV** | Purpose: **License To Cover 0000130067** | Status: **Granted** | Status Date: **03/18/2021** | Expiration Date:  
**04/01/2023** | Filing Status: **InActive**

### General Information

Section	Question	Response
<b>Attachments</b>	Are attachments (other than associated schedules) being filed with this application?	No

### Fees, Waivers, and Exemptions

Section	Question	Response
<b>Fees</b>	Is the applicant exempt from FCC application Fees?	Yes
	Indicate reason for fee exemption:	Noncommercial licensee
	Is the applicant exempt from FCC regulatory Fees?	Yes
<b>Waivers</b>	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

**Applicant  
Information**

**Applicant Name, Type, and Contact Information**

<b>Applicant</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Phone</b>	<b>Email</b>	<b>Applicant Type</b>
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**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  
(4)**

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**Alien Ownership**

Question	Response
1) 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

**Basic Qualifying Questions**

Section	Question	Response
<b>Revoked Application</b>	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
<b>State or Federal Convictions</b>	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

## Channel Sharing

Section	Question	Response													
Channel Sharing	Is this filing to dissolve a Channel Sharing Arrangement?	No													
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**Channel and  
Facility  
Information**

<b>Section</b>	<b>Question</b>	<b>Response</b>
<b>Proposed Community of License</b>	Facility ID	72099
	State	Massachusetts
	City	BOSTON
	DTV Channel	5
	Designated Market Area	BOSTON (MANCHESTER)
<b>Facility Type</b>	Facility Type	Noncommercial Educational
	Station Type	Main
<b>Zone</b>	Zone	1

**Antenna Location Data**

Section	Question	Response
<b>Antenna Structure Registration</b>	Do you have an FCC Antenna Structure Registration (ASR) Number?	Yes
	ASR Number	1004233
<b>Coordinates (NAD83)</b>	Latitude	42° 18' 10.7" N+
	Longitude	071° 13' 04.9" W-
	Structure Type	GTOWER-Guyed Structure Used for Communication Purposes
	Overall Structure Height	366.0 meters
	Support Structure Height	335.6 meters
	Ground Elevation (AMSL)	46.0 meters
<b>Antenna Data</b>	Height of Radiation Center Above Ground Level	360.3 meters
	Height of Radiation Center Above Average Terrain	362.7 meters
	Height of Radiation Center Above Mean Sea Level	406.3 meters

**Antenna  
Technical Data**

Section	Question	Response
<b>Antenna Type</b>	Antenna Type	Non-Directional
	Do you have an Antenna ID?	
	Antenna ID	1001428
<b>Antenna Manufacturer and Model</b>	Manufacturer:	DIE
	Model	TDM-3A5
	Rotation	
	Electrical Beam Tilt	1.0
	Mechanical Beam Tilt	Not Applicable
	toward azimuth	
	Polarization	Circular
<b>DTV and DTS: Elevation Pattern</b>	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	



**Operating  
Constants**

Section	Question	Response
Transmitter and Transmission Line	Transmitter Power Output (TPO): <i>(average power at input to transmission line, after any filter attached to the transmitter, if used)</i>	14.80 dBk 30.2 kW
	Transmission Line Loss (LL):	1.08 dB
	Antenna Input Power (AIP):	13.72 dBk
	Max. Antenna Power Gain (AG)	1.59 dB
	Effective Radiated Power (ERP) <i>(Average Power)</i>	15.31 dBk 34 kW

**Parties to the  
Application (0)**

Information not provided.

**Attributable Interest**

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<b>Equity and Financial Interests</b>	Applicant certifies that equity and financial interests not set forth by the applicant parties are non-attributable.	
<b>Other Authorizations</b>	Does the applicant or any party to the application have an attributable interest in any other broadcast station(s).	

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**License Certifications**

**Facility ID: 72099**

Section	Question	Response
<b>Main Studio Location</b>	The main studio location complies with 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1125.	Yes
	Country	US
	PO Box	
	Address Line 1	1 Guest Street
	Address Line 2	
	City	Boston
	State	MA
	Zip Code	02135
	Phone	+1 (617) 300-2000
<b>Constructed Facility</b>	The facility constructed as authorized in the underlying construction permit.	Yes
<b>Special Operating Conditions</b>	The facility was constructed in compliance with all special operating conditions, terms, and obligations described in the construction permit. <b>An exhibit may be required.</b> Review the underlying construction permit.	Yes
<b>Transmitter</b>	The transmitter complies with 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1660.	Yes
<b>Changing Transmitter Power Output</b>	Is this application being filed to authorize a change in transmitter power output caused by the replacement of an omnidirectional antenna with another omnidirectional antenna or an alteration of the transmission line system? See 47 C.F.R. Sections 73.1690(c)(1) and (c)(10).	No
<b>Replacing a Directional Antenna</b>	Is this application being filed pursuant to 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1690(c)(3) to replace a directional antenna with another directional antenna?	No
	The proposed theoretical antenna pattern complies with 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1690(c)(3).	

<b>Use a formerly licensed main facility as an auxiliary facility</b>	Is this application being filed pursuant to 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1675(c)(1) to request authorization to use a formerly licensed main facility as an auxiliary facility and/or change the ERP of the proposed auxiliary facility?	No
	The proposed auxiliary facility complies with 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1675(a).	
	Would a Commission grant of Authorization for this location be an action which may have a significant environmental effect? (See 47 C.F.R. Section 1.1306)	

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**Legal  
Certifications**

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Section	Question	Response
<b>Obligations</b>	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
<b>Character Issues</b>	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.	Yes
<b>Adverse Findings</b>	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

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<b>Statement of Eligibility</b>	Licensee certifies that it has filed a statement of eligibility on or before January 28, 2000, which has been found to be acceptable by the Commission.	Yes
<b>Continued Eligibility</b>	Licensee certifies that its station does, and will continue to, broadcast: (a) a minimum of 18 hours per day; and (b) an average of at least 3 hours per week of programming each quarter produced within the market area served by the station, or the market area served by a group of commonly controlled low-power or Class A stations that carry common local programming produced within the market area served by such groups.	Yes
<b>Main Studio</b>	Licensee certifies that it has constructed and maintains a main studio at a location in compliance with the requirements of 47 C.F.R. Section 3.1125.	Yes
<b>Public Inspection File</b>	Licensee certifies that it maintains for its station a public inspection file that includes the documentation required by 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3526.	Yes

**Certification**

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<p><b>General Certification Statements</b></p>	<p>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.).</p>	
	<p>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.</p>	
<p><b>Authorized Party to Sign</b></p>	<p><b>FAILURE TO SIGN THIS APPLICATION MAY RESULT IN DISMISSAL OF THE APPLICATION AND FORFEITURE OF ANY FEES PAID</b></p> <p>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.</p> <p>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).</p>	
	<p>I certify that this application includes all required and relevant attachments.</p>	<p>Yes</p>
	<p>I declare, under penalty of perjury, that I am an authorized representative of the above-named applicant for the Authorization(s) specified above.</p>	<p><b>Eric Brass</b> <i>Clerk</i></p> <p>03/11/2021</p>

## Attachments

File Name	Uploaded By	Attachment Type	Description
<a href="#">LMS Null Attachment.pdf</a>	Applicant	All Purpose	Null Attachment to Clear LMS Error