Response



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Assignments

Lead File Number: BALH-2	20050314AIM Submit Date: 03/14/2005	Lead Call Sign: WII	_Q FRN: 0028605319	
Service: Full Power FM	Purpose: Assignment of Authorization	Status: Granted	Status Date: 03/21/2005	Filing Status:
Active				

General Information	Section	Question	Response
	Attachments	Are attachments (other than associated schedules) being filed with this application?	

Fees, Waivers, and Exemptions

Section	Question	Response
Fees	Is the applicant exempt from FCC application Fees?	No
	Indicate reason for fee exemption:	
Waivers	Does this filing request a waiver of the Commission's rule(s)?	
	Total number of rule sections involved in this waiver request:	

Assignments Type

Question	Response
Is this application a pro forma Assignment of Authorization?	Yes
By answering "Yes" the Applicant certifies that the use of short form pro forma application is appropriate for thi transaction?	s Yes
Is the Assignment Voluntary or Involuntary:	Voluntary

Authorizations to be Assigned

Selected Call Signs

Call Sign	Facility ID	File Number	Service	City, State
WWPA	58315	BAL-20050314AIN	AM	WILLIAMSPORT, PA
WILQ	52192	BALH-20050314AIM	FM	WILLIAMSPORT, PA
WBZD-FM	72793	BALH-20050314AIO	FM	MUNCY, PA
WZXR	61180	BALH-20050314AIP	FM	SOUTH WILLIAMSPORT, PA
WCXR	15187	BALH-20050314AIQ	FM	LEWISBURG, PA
WRVH	3633	BALH-20050314AIR	FM	WILLIAMSPORT, PA

Assignment Questions

Question

Were any of the authorizations that are the subject of this application obtained through the Commission's competitive bidding procedures (see 47 C.F.R. Sections 1.2111(a) and 73.5000)?

Were any of the authorizations that are the subject of this application obtained through the Commission's point system for reserved channel noncommercial educational stations (see 47 C.F.R. Sections 73.7001 and 73.7003)?

Were any of the authorizations that are the subject of this a	polication obtained after award of a dispositive
Section 307(b) preference using the Tribal Priority, through	
ribal Priority as applied before the NCE fair distribution an	
Have all such stations operated for at least 4 years with a n	ninimum operating schedule since grant?
Do both the assignor and assignee qualify for the Tribal Pri	ority in all respects?
LPFM Licenses Only: Has it been at least 18 months since was granted?	the initial construction permit for the LPFM station
LPFM Licenses Only: Does the assignment of the LPFM au CFR Section 73.865(a)(1)?	uthorization satisfy the consideration restrictions of 47
LPFM Licenses Only: Were any of the LPFM authorizations the Commission's point system for low power FM stations (
If yes to question above, have all such LPFM stations opera point system?" (options – Y/N. If Yes, nothing further requir sub question, list pertinent authorizations in an Exhibit and consistent with the requirements of 47 CFR Section 73.865	ed. No requires attachment as follows)"If no to new include in the Exhibit a showing that the transaction is

Assignor Information

Assignor Name, Type, and Contact Information

Assignor	Туре	Address	Phone	Email	FRN
SOUTH WILLIAMSPORT SABRECOM, INC. Assignor Doing Business As: SOUTH WILLIAMSPORT SABRECOM, INC.	Other	1852 REISTERSTOWN ROAD SUITE 208 BALTIMORE, MD 21208 United States	+1 (410) 580- 5888		0003249620

Assignor Contact
Representatives
(1)

Contact Name	Address	Phone	Email	Contact Type
GREGORY L. MASTERS, ESQ. WILEY, REIN & FIELDING	1776 K STREET, N.W. WASHINGTON, DC 20006	+1 (202) 719- 7370	GMASTERS@WRF. COM	

Assignor Legal	Section	Question	Response
Certifications	Agreements for Sale /Transfer of Station	Assignor certifies that: (i) it has placed in Assignor's public inspection file(s) and submitted to the Commission as an Exhibit to this application copies of all agreements for the assignment /transfer of the station(s); (ii) these documents embody the complete and final understanding between Assignor and Assignee; and (iii) these agreements comply fully with the Commission's rules and policies	Yes
		If the transaction is involuntary, the Assignor certifies that court orders or other authorizing documents have been issued and that it has placed in the licensee's/permittee's public inspection file(s) and submitted to the Commission copies of such court orders or other authorizing documents.	

Other Authorizations	Please upload an attachment detailing the call signs, locations, and facility identifiers of all other broadcast stations in which assignor or any party to the application has an attributable interest.	
Character Issues	Assignor certifies that neither licensee/permittee nor any party to the application has or has had any interest in, or connection with: (a) 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 or (b) any pending broadcast application in which character issues have been raised	Yes
Adverse Findings	Assignor certifies that, with respect to the Assignor 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 law related to any of the following: any felony; mass media-related antitrust or unfair competition; fraudulent statements to another governmental unit; or discrimination.	Yes
Local Public Notice	Assignor certifies that it has or will comply with the public notice requirements of 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3580.	
Auction Authorization	Assignor certifies that more than five years have passed since the issuance of the construction permit for the station being assigned, where that permit was acquired in an auction through the use of a bidding credit or other special measure.	
Anti-Discrimination Certification	Assignor certifies that neither licensee/permittee nor any party to the application have violated the Commission's prohibition against discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin or sex in the sale of commercially operated AM, FM, TV, Class A TV or international broadcast stations.	

Assignee Information

Assignee Name, Type, and Contact Information

Assignee	Туре	Address	Phone	Email FRN
BACKYARD BROADCASTING WILLIAMSPORT	Other	1852	+1 (410)	
LICENSEE, LLC		REISTERSTOWN	580-5888	
Assignee		ROAD		
Doing Business As: BACKYARD BROADCASTING		SUITE 208		
WILLIAMSPORT LICENSEE, LLC		BALTIMORE, MD		
		21208		
		United States		

Section	Question	Response	File Number
Radio Station Applicants Only	If the station(s) being assigned is noncommercial educational or LPFM, the Assignee certifies that the Commission had previously granted a broadcast application, identified here by file number, that found this Assignee qualified as a noncommercial educational entity with a qualifying educational program, and that the Assignee will use the station(s) to advance a program similar to that the Commission has found qualifying in the Assignee's previous application.		

Assignee Contact Representatives	Contact Name	•	Addre	SS		Phone	Email		Contact Type
(1)	GREGORY L. ESQ. WILEY, REIN			K STREET HINGTON, 3		+1 (202) 719 7370	- GMAS COM	TERS@WRF.	
Changes in	Party Name	Citizenship	Address	Phone	Email	Interest Before	Assignment	Interest After A	ssignment
Interest (0)						Empty			
Changes in	Question								Response
Interest Certification	Applicant certil	fies that equity	and financia	al interests	not set f	orth by the assig	nee are nonatti	ibutable.	Yes
Parties to the	Party Name	Citize	nship	Add	ress	Phone	Email	Positional Interest	
Application (0)						Empty			
Parties to the	Question								Response
Application Certification	Applicant certifies that equity and financial interests not set forth by the assignee are nonattributable.								
Assignee Legal Certifications	Section		Questior					Response	
Certifications	Agreements f	or Sale	 (a) the w inspectic complete station(s (b) these 	on file and a e and final); and	ements in submitteo agreeme	n the Assignee's d to the Commiss nt for the sale or ly fully with the C	ion embody th transfer of the	Yes	
	Other Authori	izations	Please upload an attachment detailing the call signs, locations, and facility identifiers of all other broadcast stations in which Assignee or any party to the application has an attributable interest.						
	Multiple Owne	ership	an attribu radio or (s) subje	utable radi television t ct to this a	o joint sa ime brok pplicatior	to the application les agreement or erage agreement or with any othe s) subject to this	an attributable with the statio station in the	n	
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	Does the Assignee claim status as an "eligible entity," that is, an entity that qualifies as a small business under the Small Business Administration's size standards for its industry grouping (as set forth in 13 C.F.R. § 121-201), and holds (1) 30 percent or more of the stock or partnership interests and more than 50 percent of the voting power of the corporation or partnership that will own the media outlet; or (2) 15 percent or more of the stock or partnership interests and more than 50 percent of the voting power of the corporation or partnership that will own the media outlet, provided that no other person or entity owns or controls more than 25 percent of the outstanding stock or partnership interests; or (3) More than 50 percent of the voting power of the corporation that will own the media outlet (if such corporation is a publicly traded company)?	N/A
	Does this assignment include a grandfathered cluster of stations?	N/A
	Applicant certifies that it will come in compliance by divesting the necessary station(s) within 12 months of the consummation of this transaction to:	
	A) An Eligible Entity (as defined in Item 6d, above).	
	B) An Irrevocable Trust that will assign the station(s) to an Eligible Entity.	
	NCE Diversity of Ownership Points. Does the assignee or any party to the application have an attributable interest in an NCE FM or NCE TV station received through the award of "diversity of ownership" points in the point system analysis?	N/A
	If 'Yes,' the assignee certifies that (1) its attributable NCE FM or NCE TV station has been on the air for at least four years; and/or (2) none of the proposed assigned stations overlap the principal community contour of the NCE FM or NCE TV station received through the award of diversity points in the point system analysis (see 47 CFR Section 73.7005(c)).	
Acquisition of Control	Please upload an attachment listing the file number and date of grant of FCC Form 301, 314, or 315 application by which the Commission approved the qualifications of the individual or entity with a pre-existing interest in the licensee/permittee that is now acquiring control of the licensee/permittee as a result of the grant of this application.	N/A
Character Issues	Assignee certifies that neither assignee nor any party to the application has or has had any interest in, or connection with: (a) 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; or (b) any pending broadcast application in which character issues have been raised.	Yes

Adverse Findings	Assignee certifies that, with respect to the assignee 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 law related to any of the following: any felony; mass media-related antitrust or unfair competition; fraudulent statements to another governmental unit; or discrimination.	Yes
Financial Qualifications	Assignee certifies that sufficient net liquid assets are on hand or are available from committed sources to consummate the transaction and operate the station(s) for three months.	
Program Service Certification	Assignee certifies that it is cognizant of and will comply with its obligations as a Commission licensee to present a program service responsive to the issues of public concern facing the station's community of license and service area.	
Auction Authorization	Assignee certifies that where less than five years have passed since the issuance of the construction permit and the permit had been acquired in an auction through the use of a bidding credit or other special measure, it would qualify for such credit or other special measure.	
Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO)	If the applicant proposes to employ five or more full-time employees, applicant certifies that it is filing simultaneously with this application a Model EEO Program Report on FCC Form 396-A.	

Assignee 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? 	
2) Is the applicant an alien or the representative of an alien? (Section 310(b)(1))	
3) Is the applicant a corporation, or non-corporate entity, that is organized under the laws of any foreign government? (Section 310(b)(2))	
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))	
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))	
6) Has the applicant received a declaratory ruling(s) under Section 310(b)(4) of the Communications Act?	
6a) Enter the citation of the applicable declaratory ruling by DA/FCC number, FCC Record citation, release date, or any other identifying information.	
7) Has there been any change in the applicant's foreign ownership since issuance of the declaratory ruling(s) cited in response to Question 6?	
8) Does the applicant certify that it is in compliance with the terms and conditions of the foreign ownership declaratory ruling(s) cited in response to Question 6?	
9) 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?	
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Certification	General Certification Statements	Assignee certifies that it has answered each question in this application based on its review of the application instructions and worksheets. Assignee further certifies that where it has made an affirmative certification below, this certification constitutes its representation that the application satisfies each of the pertinentstandards and criteria set forth in the application instructions and worksheets.	
		The Assignee certifies that neither the Assignee 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 Assignee 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. I declare, under penalty of perjury, that I am an authorized representative of the above-named applicant for the Authorization(s) specified above.	ROBIN A. SMITH VICE PRESIDENT/CFO 03/14/2005

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Attachments

File Name	Uploaded By	Attachment Type	Description	Upload Status
<u>1051169_293508.txt</u>	Applicant	All Purpose	AGREEMENTS	Done with Virus Scan and/or Conversion
1051169_6184062.pdf	Applicant	All Purpose	Changes in Interest	Done with Virus Scan and/or Conversion
1051169_6184064.pdf	Applicant	All Purpose	Broadcast Interests	Done with Virus Scan and/or Conversion