

and the basis therefore and agrees that it is unnecessary to test the ability of a senior-adult or younger-adult to open and properly reseal a package not designed or intended to be opened or activated. No benefits in terms of improved child safety would be gained by such testing. Therefore, the Agency hereby grants a 5-year exemption Order from the senior-adult test and younger-adult test effectiveness specifications, described in 16 CFR 1700.15(b)(2) for prefilled, nonrefillable termite insecticide bait stations not designed or intended to be opened or activated in a manner that exposes the contents to human contact. The Agency has authority under 40 CFR 157.24(b)(3) to grant an exemption from any CRP requirement, including the testing requirements, based on technical considerations.

IV. Exemption

A 5-year exemption is granted from the senior-adult test and younger-adult test effectiveness specifications, described in 16 CFR 1700.15(b)(2), for prefilled, nonrefillable termite insecticide bait stations not designed or intended to be opened or activated in a manner that exposes the contents to human contact. Products that qualify for this exemption must fully comply with all other CRP effectiveness, compatibility, and durability standards as well as all other requirements of 40 CFR part 157. CRP certification for products relying on this exemption must specify that the package does not comply with the senior and younger adult effectiveness specifications per this exemption. This exemption becomes effective on February 20, 1998 and expires on February 20, 2003.

V. Regulatory Assessment Requirements

This exemption Order does not impose any requirements. As such, this action does not require review by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) under Executive Order 12866, entitled *Regulatory Planning and Review* (58 FR 51735, October 4, 1993), the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA), 44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*, or Executive Order 13045, entitled *Protection of Children from Environmental Health Risks and Safety Risks* (62 FR 19885, April 23, 1997). For the same reason, it does not require any action under Title II of the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995 (UMRA) (Pub. L. 104-4), Executive Order 12875, entitled *Enhancing the Intergovernmental Partnership* (58 FR 58093, October 28, 1993), or Executive Order 12898, entitled *Federal Actions to Address Environmental Justice in*

Minority Populations and Low-Income Populations (59 FR 7629, February 16, 1994). In addition, since this type of action does not require any proposal, no action is needed under the Regulatory Flexibility Act (RFA) (5 U.S.C. 601 *et seq.*).

VI. Submission to Congress and the Comptroller General

The Congressional Review Act, 5 U.S.C. 801 *et seq.*, as added by the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996, does not apply because this action is not a rule, as that term is defined in 5 U.S.C. 804(3).

List of Subjects

Administrative practice and procedure, Infants and children, Packaging and containers, Pesticides and pest, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Dated: February 9, 1998.

James Jones,

Director, Registration Division, Office of Pesticide Programs.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 43

[IB Docket No. 96-261; FCC 97-280]

International Settlement Rates

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Final rule; announcement of effective date.

SUMMARY: The Commission amended its rules to revise its international settlement benchmarks. Section 43.61(b) of these rules contained new and modified information collection requirements and became effective on January 23, 1998.

EFFECTIVE DATE: The amendment to 47 CFR § 43.61(b) published at 62 FR 45758, August 29, 1997, became effective on January 23, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kathryn O'Brien, Attorney-Advisor, Policy and Facilities Branch, Telecommunications Division, International Bureau, (202) 418-1470.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On August 7, 1997, the Commission adopted an order revising its international settlement rate benchmarks, a summary of which was published in the **Federal Register**. See 62 FR 45758, August 29, 1997. Section 43.61(b) of the

Commission's rules imposed new or modified information collection requirements. We stated that "the information collection requirements adopted in this Order will become effective following Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval. The Commission will publish a document at a later date establishing the effective date." The information collections were approved by OMB on January 23, 1998. See OMB No. 3060-0106. This publication satisfies our statement that the Commission would publish a document announcing the effective date of the rules.

List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 43

Communications common carriers, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,
Secretary.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No. 94-116, RM-8507, RM-8567]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Jefferson City, Cumberland Gap, Elizabethton, TN, and Jonesville, VA

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: This document denies a Petition for Reconsideration filed by Eaton P. Govan, III and Berton B. Cagle directed to the *Report and Order* in this proceeding. The *Report and Order* denied their proposals for a reallocation of a channel from Jefferson City to Cumberland Gap, Tennessee, and an upgrade at Elizabethton. Instead, the *Report and Order* allotted Channel 256A to Jonesville, Virginia. See 60 FR 57368, published November 15, 1995. With this action the proceeding is terminated.

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 20, 1998.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Robert Hayne, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2177.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's *Memorandum Opinion and Order* in MM Docket No. 94-116, adopted January 21, 1998, and released January 30, 1998. The full text of this decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the

FCC Dockets Branch (Room 230), 1919 M Street, NW., Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, International Transcription Service, (202) 857-3805, 1231 M Street, NW., Washington, DC 20036.

List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

1. The authority citation for part 73 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 47 U.S.C. 154, 303, 334, 336.

Federal Communications Commission.

Charles W. Logan,

Acting Chief, Policy and Rules Division, Mass Media Bureau.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No. 96-202; RM-8879, RM-8963, RM-8964]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Mount Vernon, Stanford and Brodhead, KY

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission, at the request of Rock Communications of Mount Vernon, allots Channel 270A at Brodhead, Kentucky, as the community's first local aural transmission service (RM-8879). See 61 FR 54142, October 17, 1996. Channel 270A can be allotted to Brodhead in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 4.2 kilometers (2.6 miles) southwest to avoid short-spacings to the licensed site of Station WLJC(FM), Channel 271A, Beattyville, Kentucky. The coordinates for Channel 270A at Brodhead are North Latitude 37-22-29 and West Longitude 84-26-41. With this action, this proceeding is terminated.

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 30, 1998. A filing window for Channel 270A at Brodhead, Kentucky, will not be opened at this time. Instead, the issue of opening a filing window for this channel will be addressed by the Commission in a subsequent order.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Sharon P. McDonald, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's Report and Order, MM Docket No. 96-202,

adopted February 4, 1998, and released February 13, 1998. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Center (Room 239), 1919 M Street, NW., Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractors, International Transcription Service, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 1231 20th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20036.

List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

Part 73 of Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations is amended as follows:

PART 73—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for part 73 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 47 U.S.C. 154, 303, 334, 336.

§ 73.202 [Amended]

2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under Kentucky, is amended by adding Brodhead, Channel 270A.

Federal Communications Commission.

John A. Karousos,

Chief, Allocations Branch, Policy and Rules Division, Mass Media Bureau.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No. 97-224; RM-9177]

Radio Broadcasting Services; Monroe, UT

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission, at the request of Charles D. Hall, allots Channel 257C2 to Monroe, Utah, as the community's first local aural transmission service. See 62 FR 61719, November 19, 1997. Channel 257C2 can be allotted to Monroe, Utah, in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements with a site restriction of 1.3 kilometers (0.8 miles) south of the community in order to avoid a short-spacing conflict with vacant Channel 256A at Levan, Utah. The coordinates for Channel 257C2 at Monroe are 38-37-21 NL and 112-07-29 WL. With this action, this proceeding is terminated.

EFFECTIVE DATE: March 30, 1998. A filing window for Channel 257C2 at Monroe,

Utah, will not be opened at this time. Instead, the issue of opening a filing window for this channel will be addressed by the Commission in a subsequent order.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Pam Blumenthal, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This is a synopsis of the Commission's Report and Order, MM Docket No. 97-224, adopted February 4, 1998, and released February 13, 1998. The full text of this Commission decision is available for inspection and copying during normal business hours in the FCC Reference Center (Room 239), 1919 M Street, NW, Washington, DC. The complete text of this decision may also be purchased from the Commission's copy contractor, ITS, Inc., (202) 857-3800, 1231 20th Street, NW, Washington, DC 20036.

List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73

Radio broadcasting.

Part 73 of title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations is amended as follows:

PART 73—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for Part 73 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 47 U.S.C. 154, 303, 334, 336.

§ 73.202 [Amended]

2. Section 73.202(b), the Table of FM Allotments under Utah, is amended by adding Monroe, Channel 257C2.

Federal Communications Commission.

John A. Karousos,

Chief, Allocations Branch, Policy and Rules Division, Mass Media Bureau.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

47 CFR Part 73

[MM Docket No. 97-230; RM-9185]

Radio Broadcasting Services; New Albany, MS

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: The Commission, at the request of George G. Callicut, allots Channel 268A to New Albany, Mississippi, as an additional FM service to the community. See 62 FR 61721, November 19, 1997. Channel 268A can be allotted to New Albany in compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation