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PRE-ELECTION CERTIFICATION FORM		- 20041105ATS
Must Be Filed by: November 5, 2004		
Read INSTRUCTIONS Before Filling Out Form		

Section I - General Information

Licensee/Permittee Information		
1. Legal Name of the Applicant WTWC LICENSEE, LLC		
Mailing Address C/O SHAW PITTMAN LLP ATTN K SCHMELTZER 2300 N STREET, NW		
City WASHINGTON	State or Country (if foreign address) DC	ZIP Code 20037 - 1128
Telephone Number (include area code) 2026638217	E-Mail Address (if available) KATHRYN.SCHMELTZER@SHAWPITTMAN.COM	
Station / Facility Information		
2. FCC Registration Number: 0004970901		
Call Sign WTWC-TV	Facility ID Number 66908	
Community of License: City TALLAHASSEE	State FL	
3. Currently Assigned Channels:		
a. DTV Channel: 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable		
b. NTSC Channel: 40 <input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable		
Contact Information (if different from licensee/permittee)		
4. Contact Representative (if other than Applicant) KATHRYN R. SCHMELTZER, ESQ.		Firm or Company Name SHAW PITTMAN LLP
Mailing Address 2300 N STREET, N.W.		
City WASHINGTON	State or Country (if foreign address) DC	ZIP Code 20037 - 1128
Telephone Number (include area code) 2026638217	E-Mail Address (if available) KATHRYN.SCHMELTZER@SHAWPITTMAN.COM	
Purpose of Form:		
5. The purpose of this Pre-Election Certification Form is for licensees/permittees to provide and certify the technical information that will be used to evaluate elections made during the channel election process. Licensees/permittees make these certifications regarding database accuracy and intent to replicate/maximize to provide certainty with respect to their technical data for consideration by others participating in the channel election process. (SELECT ONE) a. <input checked="" type="radio"/> Certification b. <input type="radio"/> Amendment		

Section II - CERTIFICATIONS

All broadcast licensees and permittees participating in the digital channel election process may make the following certifications. Licensees/permittees that do not submit this form by the deadline on page one will be presumed (1) to agree that their database technical information on file with the Commission is accurate and complete; and (2) not to intend to replicate or maximize, and such decision will be taken into account in the Commission's determination of final channel assignments.

Replication/Maximization Deadlines

By completing the appropriate certification below, licensee/permittee may certify its intent to construct and operate its allotted "replication" facilities or already-authorized "maximization" facilities on its post-transition channel. Licensees/permittees are reminded that false certifications may result in fines and loss of license. Additionally, licensee's/permittee's failure to replicate or maximize to the extent it certifies will result in the loss of interference protection to those service areas not replicated or maximized.

Licensee/permittee should also be aware of the following replication and maximization deadlines that pertain to current DTV facilities and that affect the right to "carry over" interference protection to its post-transition channel. (Failure to meet the replication/maximization requirements will cause the licensee/permittee to lose interference protection to the unused portion of the associated area as of the applicable interference protection deadline. Furthermore, a licensee/permittee failing to meet these deadlines will lose the ability to "carry over" its interference protection to its unserved DTV service area on its post-transition channel.):

- **July 1, 2005** -- Deadline for DTV licensees affiliated with the top-four networks (i.e., ABC, CBS, Fox, and NBC) in markets 1-100. Those licensees that receive a tentative DTV channel designation in the channel election process on their current digital channel must construct full, authorized facilities. Those licensees that receive a tentative DTV channel designation on a channel that is not their current DTV channel must serve at least 100 percent of the number of viewers served by the 1997 facility on which their replication coverage was based. The number of viewers served by a station's 1997 facility on which its replication is based will be determined using population data from the year 2000 census.
- **July 1, 2006** -- Deadline for all other commercial DTV licensees as well as noncommercial DTV licensees. Those licensees that receive a tentative DTV channel designation in the channel election process on their current digital channel must construct full, authorized DTV facilities. Those licensees that receive a tentative DTV channel designation on a channel that is not their current DTV channel must serve at least 80 percent of the number of viewers served by the 1997 facility on which their replication coverage was based. The number of viewers served by a station's 1997 facility on which its replication is based will be determined using population data from the year 2000 census.

1. Replication/Maximization Certifications		
Licensees/permittees must indicate how their channel elections should be evaluated for purposes of interference protection analysis. (SELECT ONE):		
a. <input checked="" type="radio"/>	Licensee/permittee hereby certifies that it will operate its post-transition DTV station at maximized facilities, as authorized by license or construction permit, FCC File No.	Licensee/permittee must provide FCC File No. here. BLCDT - 20030214ABB
b. <input type="radio"/>	Licensee/permittee hereby certifies that it will operate its post-transition DTV station pursuant to a pending DTV application for maximization facilities that has not been authorized because of a pending international coordination issue.	Licensee/permittee must provide FCC File No. here. -
c. <input type="radio"/>	Licensee/permittee hereby certifies that it will operate its post-transition DTV station based on its allotted replication facilities .	
d. <input type="radio"/>	Licensee/permittee hereby certifies that it does not have a DTV channel allotment , and will operate its post-transition DTV station based on its currently authorized NTSC license or construction permit, FCC File No.	Licensee/permittee must provide FCC File No. here. -

e. <input type="radio"/>	Licensee/permittee hereby certifies that it will neither replicate nor maximize , and will operate its post-transition DTV station pursuant to the following authorized DTV facilities: (SELECT ONE)	Licensee/permittee must provide FCC File No. here. -
i. <input type="radio"/>	License	
ii. <input type="radio"/>	Construction Permit	
iii. <input type="radio"/>	STA	

2 Database Certification.	
Licensee/permittee hereby certifies that it has reviewed its database information on file with the Commission and that its technical information is accurate and complete, to the best of its knowledge.	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
If no, licensee/permittee must attach an explanation, including appropriate engineering data, as an Exhibit to this form.	[Exhibit 1]

I certify that the statements and certifications in this form are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith.

Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing DAVID B. AMY	Typed or Printed Title of Person Signing SECRETARY OF SOLE MEMBER
Signature	Date 11/5/2004

WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS ON THIS FORM ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND/OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 18, SECTION 1001), AND/OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION LICENSE OR CONSTRUCTION PERMIT (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47, SECTION 312(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47, SECTION 503).

Exhibits