

PUBLIC NOTICE

Since license for all 7 of the Triad Family Network, Inc. North Carolina Translator Stations were renewed on the same form with the Primary Station WBFJ-FM, no further publication was made. See Attached.

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filing a license renewal application for an FM translator, the licensee must publish a public notice of the filing at least once in a daily, weekly or biweekly newspaper published or having circulation in the community served by the translator. If there is no such newspaper, the licensee must determine an appropriate means of providing the required notice to the general public, such as posting it in the local post office or other public place. Broadcasters can find sample FM translator notices and other information specific to FM translator license renewals in our recent **Advisory on meeting these obligations**.

~~The FCC has indicated that broadcasters who are eligible to seek license renewal for both their FM translator station and the full power station it rebroadcasts using the same application form can forgo running the newspaper public notice of the FM translator's license renewal filing.~~

~~Once all license renewal announcements have been aired or published, both full power and FM translator licensees must, within seven days of the last announcement, place a certificate in their Public Inspection File attesting to the station's compliance with the FCC's public notice requirements.~~

Schedule 303-S: Application for Renewal of Broadcast Station License

The license renewal application is Schedule 303-S of Form 2100 (instructions and sample form available [here](#)). Broadcasters should not make the mistake of rushing through the application or guessing when filling it out. While the application form itself is only about 8 printed pages, it comes with 18 pages of instructions and 11 additional pages of worksheets intended to assist applicants in correctly filling out the form.

The FCC advises that applicants should not certify a statement in the application as being correct unless they are absolutely certain the statement is indeed accurate. A station licensee seeking a waiver of a particular rule or policy, or that is uncertain whether it has fully complied with the rule or policy for which the form seeks a certification of compliance, should answer "No" to that certification. Schedule 303-S includes spaces for explanations and exhibits; and according to the FCC, a "No" response to any of the questions "**will not** cause the immediate dismissal of the application provided that an appropriate exhibit is submitted." An applicant should review any such exhibits or explanations with counsel prior to filing.

In answering questions in the Schedule 303-S, the relevant reporting period is the licensee's entire 8-year license term. If the license was assigned or transferred via FCC Form 314 or 315 during the license term, the instructions to the license renewal

station does not operate. See 47 CFR Section 73.3580(d)(4)(i)(B)(3).
(http://edocket.access.gpo.gov/cfr_2013/octqtr/pdf/47cfr73.3580.pdf).

Timing of Post-Filing Renewal Announcements for Radio Broadcast Stations

Commercial and **Noncommercial Educational Stations

First 2 1/2 hrs

1. At least three of the required announcements between 7 AM to 9 AM and/or 4 PM to 6 PM.
2. At least one announcement between 9 AM to noon.
3. At least one announcement between noon to 4 PM.
4. At least one announcement between 7 PM to midnight.
5. ~~If the station doesn't operate between 7 AM to 9 AM of 4 PM to 6 PM then at least three of the required announcements during the first two hours of operation.~~

See 47 CFR Section 73.3580(d)(4)(ii)(B). (http://edocket.access.gpo.gov/cfr_2013/octqtr/pdf/47cfr73.3580.pdf).

**Noncommercial educational stations need not broadcast the announcements during any month in which the station does not operate. In such instances noncommercial educational stations shall meet the requirements as specified in 47 CFR Section 73.3580(d)(4)(ii)(B)(3).

(http://edocket.access.gpo.gov/cfr_2013/octqtr/pdf/47cfr73.3580.pdf).

Silent AM, FM, and LPFM stations must publish the text of the Post-Filing Announcement in a newspaper of general circulation in the community or area served on the same scheduled dates as indicated above for operating stations. A copy of the published announcement should be placed in the station's local public inspection file.

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FM Translators not being renewed with the primary station being rebroadcast must publish the text of the Post-Filing Announcement at least once immediately after the filing of the license renewal application. The notice should be published in a daily, weekly, or biweekly newspaper of general circulation in the community or area served. If there is no newspaper the licensee should post the required notice in a public place and keep a copy of the local public notice for reference.

Sample PRE-Filing Announcement

The following is a sample of the text of a pre-filing announcement. (You may cut and paste this text.) Stations broadcasting in a foreign language should broadcast the announcements in that language. Additional information can be found on the FCC's Web site at <https://www.fcc.gov/guides/license-renewal-applications-radio-broadcast-stations> (/guides/license-renewal-applications-radio-broadcast-stations).

On _____ (date of the last renewal grant), _____ (station's call letters) was granted a license by the Federal Communications Commission to serve the public interest as a public trustee until _____ (license expiration date). Our license will expire on _____ (date). We must file an application for license renewal with the FCC on _____ (date, four months prior to the