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## FCC FORMS 301, 314 AND 315 APPROVED AND AVAILABLE FOR USE; MEDIA BUREAU ANNOUNCES END TO FREEZE ON THE FILING OF FORM 301, 314, AND 315 APPLICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS

The following revised forms have been approved for use by the Office of Management and Budget ("OMB"):

- FCC 301, Application for Construction Permit for Commercial Broadcast Station (July 2003 Edition)
- FCC 314, Application for Consent to Assignment of Broadcast Station Construction Permit or License (July 2003 Edition)
- FCC 315, Application for Consent to Transfer Control of Entity Holding Broadcast Station Construction Permit or License (July 2003 Edition)

Today the Commission is publishing notice of OMB's approval of these forms in the *Federal Register*. The revised forms are effective immediately. They are now available and may be accessed through the Media Bureau's Consolidated Database System (CDBS). This system enables the public to complete and file these forms via the Internet from the Media Bureau's Web Site, <u>http://www.fcc.gov/mb/elecfile.html</u>. Electronic filing is mandatory for these three forms. All previous editions of FCC Forms 301, 314, and 315 are obsolete and may not be used.

OMB has also approved the information collection requirements associated with amendments to pending applications on FCC Forms 301, 314 and 315 ("Pending Applications") to demonstrate compliance with the media ownership rules adopted by the Commission on June 2, 2003. *See* Public Notice, *Media Bureau Announces Processing Guidelines for Broadcast Station Applications*, DA 03-1877 (June 2, 2003). Parties may now amend their Pending Applications electronically to demonstrate compliance with the new rules using the revised Forms 301, 314 and 315.

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