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MEDIA BUREAU ANNOUNCES EXTENSION OF CERTAIN FILING DEADLINES

The Media Bureau (Bureau) announces an extension, until Friday, August 11, 2006, for the filing of the following forms:

- FCC Form 303-S Application for Renewal of Broadcast Station Licenses. California Television Stations.
- **FCC Form 396** Broadcast Equal Employment Opportunity Report. California Television Stations.
- FCC Forms 323/323E Biennial Ownership Reports. California, North Carolina and South Carolina Television Stations; and Illinois and Wisconsin Radio Stations.
- Consolidated Database System (CDBS) users have experienced electronic filing difficulties during the past several days. This filing extension is designed to provide a reasonable opportunity for impacted licensees and CDBS users to timely file these forms.

A petition to deny a California television station license renewal application filed after August 1, 2006, will be due ninety days from the release of the public notice accepting for filing the renewal application. Some applicants, permittees and licensees may have experienced difficulties in timely filing amendments, settlements, and contracts. The Bureau will waive these requirements in appropriate circumstances.

For further information, contact the Audio Division at 418-2700 or the Video Division at 418-1600.

Adopted by Deputy Chief, Media Bureau

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¹ See 47 C.F.R. § 73.3516 (e) (1).