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MEDIA BUREAU ANNOUNCES EFFECTIVE DATE FOR REVISED FCC FORMS 301, 314, 315 AND 345

MB DOCKET NOS. 07–294; 06–121; 02–277; 04–228, MM Docket Nos. 01–235; 01–317; 00–244; FCC 07–217

Effective Date: May 21, 2009

On December 18, 2007, the Commission adopted a Report and Order and Third Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (the "Order") in MB Docket Nos. 07–294; 06–121; 02–277; 04–228, MM Docket Nos. 01–235; 01-317; 00–244; FCC 07–217. The *Order* adopted measures to increase participation in the broadcasting industry by small businesses and new entrants, including minority- and women-owned businesses. Some of these rule and policy changes necessitated changes to relevant FCC Forms. On May 16, 2008, the *Order* was published in the Federal Register. On April 6, 2009, the Commission received OMB approval for proposed changes to FCC Forms 301, 314, 315 and 345 resulting from the changes adopted in the *Order*. On April 21, 2009, notice of OMB approval was published in the Federal Register. Therefore, pursuant to the *Order*, the effective date for the revised forms is May 21, 2009.

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¹ In re Promoting Diversification of Ownership in the Broadcasting Services, Report and Order and Third Further Notice of Proposed Rule Making, 23 FCC Rcd 5922 (2008).

² Order, 73 Fed. Reg. 28,361 (2008).

³ See OMB Control Numbers 3060–0027 (FCC Form 301), 3060–0031 (FCC Forms 314 and 315), and 3060–0075 (FCC Form 345).

⁴ 74 Fed. Reg. 18,233 (2009).

⁵ *Order* at ¶ 118.