

Before the  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of )  
 )  
Amendment of Section 73.202(b), ) MIM Docket No. 97-63  
Table of Allotments, ) RM-9000  
FM Broadcast Stations. )  
(Greenwood, Arkansas) )

**REPORT AND ORDER**  
(Proceeding Terminated)

Adopted: June 18, 1997

Released: June 27, 1997

By the Chief, Allocations Branch:

1. Before the Commission for consideration is the *Notice of Proposed Rule Making*, (*Notice*), 12 FCC Rcd 1951 (1997), issued in response to a petition for rule making filed by Fred R. Morton, Jr., ("petitioner") proposing the allotment of Channel 268A to Greenwood, Arkansas, as that community's second local FM transmission service. Petitioner filed supporting comments in response to the *Notice*. No other comments were received.<sup>1</sup>

2. In view of the interest expressed in providing a second local FM transmission service to Greenwood, Arkansas, we will allot Channel 268A to that community, as requested.

3. As stated in the *Notice*, Channel 268A can be allotted to the Greenwood consistent with the minimum distance separation requirements of Section 73.207(b)(1) of the Commission's Rules, without a site restriction, utilizing the city reference location at coordinates 35-12-54 and 94-15-30.

4. Accordingly, pursuant to the authority contained in Sections 4(i), 5(c)(1), 303(g) and (r) and 307(b) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, and Sections 0.61, 0.204(b) and 0.283 of the Commission's Rules, IT IS ORDERED, That effective August 11, 1997, the FM Table of Allotments, Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's Rules, IS AMENDED with respect to Greenwood, Arkansas, as follows:

<u>City</u>	<u>Channel No.</u>
Greenwood, Arkansas	268A, 292C3

<sup>1</sup>Petitioner's comments were received after the date established therefor in this proceeding. However, in accord with our policy of generally accepting late-filed comments in uncontested proceedings, we have accepted the comments to allow petitioner to reaffirm his interest in applying for Channel 268A at Greenwood, Arkansas. See *Santa Isabel, Puerto Rico*, 3 FCC Rcd 2336 (1988).

5. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That this proceeding IS TERMINATED.

6. The window period for filing applications for Channel 268A at Greenwood, Arkansas, will open on August 11, 1997 and close on September 11, 1997.

7. For further information concerning the above, contact Nancy Joyner, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2180. Questions related to the window application filing process for Channel 268A at Greenwood, Arkansas, should be addressed to the Audio Services Division, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 418-2700.

**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**

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