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FCC ANNOUNCES DETAILS FOR MAY 16, 2012, LOW POWER FM and FM TRANSLATOR PUBLIC FORUM

Washington, D.C.: The Commission today announced details for its May 16, 2012, Low Power FM (LPFM) and FM translator public forum. The focus of the forum will be how pending FM translator applicants from the 2003 Auction 83 window and pending and prospective FM translator modification applicants will be processed, in accordance with changes implemented by the Commission in the LPFM proceeding (MM Docket 99-25). Time will be provided for audience questions and comments.

The forum will be held in the Commission Meeting Room at the FCC's headquarters in Washington, DC, at 2:00 p.m. It is free and open to the public, with seating available on a first-come, first-served basis. The session will be broadcast live over the Internet at <http://www.fcc.gov/live>. Questions from the Internet audience can be submitted via email to livequestions@fcc.gov.

Panelists

Peter Doyle, Division Chief, Audio Division, Media Bureau
Jim Bradshaw, Deputy Chief, Engineering, Audio Division, Media Bureau
Tom Hutton, Deputy Chief, Legal, Audio Division, Media Bureau
Kelly Donohue, Assistant Chief, Audio Division, Media Bureau

Agenda

2:00 – 2:05 p.m.	Opening Remarks and Overview
2:05 – 2:10 p.m.	Summary of 4 th Report and Order
2:10 – 2:15 p.m.	Summary of 5 th Report and Order
2:15 – 2:45 p.m.	Discussion of the LPFM Grid Tool, FM Translator Non-Preclusion Showings, and Processing Differences Between Spectrum Limited and Spectrum Available Markets
2:45 – 3:30 p.m.	Audience Questions
3:30 p.m.	Adjournment

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