**Before the**

Federal Communications Commission

Washington, D.C. 20554

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| In the Matter ofApplication for Consent to Assignment of License WQZS(FM), Meyersdale, PAFrom Roger Wahl to Wendy Sipple | **)****)****)****)****)** | File No. BALH-20200305AAHFacility ID No. 57424 |

order

**Adopted: July 13, 2020 Released: July 13, 2020**

By the Commission:

1. We have before us the captioned application (Application) filed on FCC Form 314 for consent to the assignment of the license of WQZS(FM), Meyersdale, PA. The Media Bureau granted the Application on June 1, 2020 and released a public notice of its action on June 4, 2020.[[1]](#footnote-3)
2. **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED**, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 155(c)(4) and 47 CFR § 1.117(b) and (c), that the Media Bureau action granting the Application **IS SET ASIDE** and the Application **IS RETURNED TO PENDING STATUS**.
3. **IT IS FURTHER ORDERED**, pursuant to 47 CFR § 1.117(c), that, in light of the status of the state criminal case in *Commonwealth of Pennsylvania v. Roger Dale Wahl*[[2]](#footnote-4) and the Character Policy Statement,[[3]](#footnote-5) that the captioned application proceeding be remanded to the Media Bureau for further proceedings.

 FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

 Marlene H. Dortch

 Secretary

1. Public Notice, *Broadcast Actions*, Report No. 49752, p.2 (rel. June 4, 2020). [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
2. Docket Number CP-56-CR-0000952-2019 (Court of Common Pleas of Somerset County, PA). [↑](#footnote-ref-4)
3. *Policy Regarding Character Qualification in Broadcast Licensing*, Report, Order and Policy Statement, 102 FCC 2d 1179 (1986), *recon. dismissed/denied*, Memorandum Opinion and Order, 1 FCC Rcd 421 (1986). *See also Character Qualifications in Broadcasting Licensing*, Policy Statement and Order, 5 FCC Rcd 3252 (1991), modified, Memorandum Opinion and Order, 6 FCC Rcd 3448 (1991), further modified, Memorandum Opinion and Order, 7 FCC Rcd 6564 (1992). [↑](#footnote-ref-5)