



Broadcasting Public Notice CRTC 2006-150

Ottawa, 22 November 2006

*The Commission has received the following application. The deadline for submission of interventions/comments is **29 December 2006**.*

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Item Applicant and Locality

1. **Cogeco Cable Canada Inc, on its own behalf and on behalf of its subsidiary Cogeco Cable Quebec inc.**
Various locations in Ontario and Quebec
Application No. 2006-1309-3

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Application by **Cogeco Cable Canada Inc, on its own behalf and on behalf of its subsidiary Cogeco Cable Quebec inc.** (collectively Cogeco) to amend the broadcasting licences of its Class 1 cable broadcasting distribution undertakings serving various locations in Ontario and Quebec.

The licensee proposes to amend the individual licences for its Class 1 cable broadcasting distribution undertakings in Ontario as well as the regional licence for its Class 1 cable broadcasting distribution undertakings in Quebec in order to add the following condition of licence:

The licensee is authorized to distribute, at its option, on a discretionary digital basis, the audio programming services offered by Canada's two satellite subscription radio undertakings.

Cogeco submitted that the distribution of these services will result in a number of advantages for the Canadian broadcasting system. According to Cogeco, it will enhance the diversity of audio programming services available to Canadians and serve as an additional source of revenue for Canadian musicians. Furthermore, Cogeco stated that the distribution of these services by BDUs would not only incite existing analog subscribers to subscribe to digital services but would avoid those subscribers wanting these services from obtaining them through American distributors offering such services.

Licensee's address:

5 Place Ville Marie
Suite 915
Montréal, Quebec
H3B 2G2
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Examination of application:

At the licensee's address, and

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Burlington, Ontario

Public Participation

Deadline for Interventions/Comments

29 December 2006

The intervention must be received by the CRTC and by the applicant on or before the above-mentioned date. The Commission cannot be held responsible for postal delays.

Your intervention will be considered by the Commission, and will form part of the public record of the proceeding without further notification to you, provided the procedure set out below has been followed. You will be contacted only if your submission raises procedural questions.

Submit your written intervention to the Secretary General of the Commission in **only one** of the following formats:

by using the
[\[Broadcasting intervention/comments form\]](#)

or

by mail to
CRTC, Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0N2

or

by fax at
819-994-0218

A true copy must be sent to the applicant and proof that this has been done must accompany the intervention sent to the Commission.

The Commission advises those who file and serve by electronic mode to exercise caution when using e-mail for service of documents or notification, as it may be difficult to establish that service has occurred.

Before initiating service through electronic mode, please ensure that you will be able to satisfy the Commission, upon request, that service of the notification was completed.

Where the intervention is filed by electronic means, the line ***End of document*** should be entered following the last paragraph of the document, as an indication that the document has not been damaged during electronic transmission.

Each paragraph of the document should be numbered.

Your intervention should clearly identify the application and indicate whether you support or oppose the application, or if you propose changes to it, include the facts and grounds for your proposal.

Important notice

Note that all information that you provide as part of this public process, except information granted confidentiality, whether sent by postal mail, facsimile, e-mail or through the Commission's web site at www.crtc.gc.ca, becomes part of a publicly accessible file and will be posted on the Commission's web site. This information includes your personal information, such as your full name, e-mail address, postal/street address, telephone and facsimile number(s), and any other personal information you provide.

Documents received electronically or otherwise will be put on the Commission's web site in their entirety exactly as you send them, including any personal information contained therein, in the official language and format in which they are received. Documents not received electronically will be available in PDF format.

The personal information you provide will be used and may be disclosed for the purpose for which the information was obtained or compiled by the Commission, or for a use consistent with that purpose.

Examination of Documents

An electronic version of applications is available from the Commission's web site by selecting the application number within this notice.

A list of all interventions/comments will also be available on the Commission's Web site. An electronic version of all interventions/comments submitted will be accessible from this list. To access the list, select "Lists of interventions/comments" under "Public Proceedings" from the Commission's Web site.

Documents are also available during normal office hours at the local address provided in this notice and at the Commission offices and documentation centres directly involved with these applications or, upon request, within 2 working days, at any other CRTC offices and documentation centres.

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