



Broadcasting Notice of Consultation CRTC 2010-739

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Notice of applications received

Various locations

Deadline for submission of interventions/comments: 26 October 2010

The Commission has received the following applications:

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Applicant and Locality

1. **Canadian Broadcasting Corporation**
Québec, Quebec
Application No. 2010-1399-5
 2. **Canadian Broadcasting Corporation**
Ottawa, Ontario
Application No. 2010-1398-7
 3. **Canadian Broadcasting Corporation**
Halifax, Nova Scotia
Application No. 2010-1421-6
 4. **Canadian Broadcasting Corporation**
Winnipeg, Manitoba
Application No. 2010-1423-2
 5. **Canadian Broadcasting Corporation**
Winnipeg, Manitoba
Application No. 2010-1425-8
 6. **Canadian Broadcasting Corporation**
Edmonton, Alberta
Application No. 2010-1389-6
1. **Québec, Quebec**
Application No. 2010-1399-5

Application by the **Canadian Broadcasting Corporation** to amend the broadcasting licence for the French-language conventional television programming undertaking CBVT-TV Québec.

The licensee proposes to add a new digital transmitter to serve the Québec area.

The licensee currently operates a transitional DTV transmitter on channel 12 with an average effective radiated power (ERP) of 1,020 watts (maximum ERP of 2,450 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 500.1 metres). The licensee proposes to continue the operation of this transmitter at its current operating parameters after 31 August 2011.

The Commission notes that this application is in compliance with Notice No. SMBR-006-08 – *Publication of the Digital Television (DTV) Post-Transition Allotment Plan* of the Department of Industry.

The Commission also notes that this application would have an impact on the population within the regional service area. The population would decrease by 10% (from 1,015,928 to 919,832).

Furthermore, upon approval of this amendment and at the licensee's request, the Commission would be **revoking** the broadcasting licence for the transitional digital television programming undertaking CBVT-DT as of the date of the decision regarding this application.

Licensee's address:

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Ottawa, Ontario
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Examination of application:

888 St-Jean Street
Québec, Quebec

2. Ottawa, Ontario
Application No. 2010-1398-7

Application by the **Canadian Broadcasting Corporation** to amend the broadcasting licence for the English-language conventional television programming undertaking CBOT-TV Ottawa.

The licensee proposes to add a new digital transmitter to serve the Ottawa area.

The licensee currently operates a transitional DTV transmitter on channel 25 with an average effective radiated power (ERP) of 90,700 watts (maximum ERP of 165,000 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 332.9 metres). The licensee proposes to continue the operation of this transmitter at its current operating parameters after 31 August 2011.

The Commission notes that this application is in compliance with Notice No. SMBR-006-08 – *Publication of the Digital Television (DTV) Post-Transition Allotment Plan* of the Department of Industry.

The Commission also notes that this application would have an impact on the population within the regional service area. The population would decrease by 15% (from 1,566,150 to 1,330,617).

Furthermore, upon approval of this application and at the licensee's request, the Commission would be **revoking** the broadcasting licence for the transitional digital television programming undertaking CBOT-DT as of the date of the decision regarding this application.

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Examination of application:

At the licensee's address

3. Halifax, Nova Scotia Application No. 2010-1421-6

Application by the **Canadian Broadcasting Corporation** to amend the broadcasting licence for the English-language conventional television programming undertaking CBHT-TV Halifax.

The licensee proposes to add a new digital transmitter to serve the Halifax area.

The new transmitter would operate on channel 39 with an average effective radiated power (ERP) of 92,590 watts (maximum ERP of 157,540 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 266.47 metres).

The Commission notes that this application is in compliance with Notice No. SMBR-006-08 – *Publication of the Digital Television (DTV) Post-Transition Allotment Plan* of the Department of Industry.

The Commission also notes that this application would have an impact on the population within the regional service area. The population would decrease by 17% (from 547,624 to 452,958).

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Examination of application:

1840 Bell Road
 Halifax, Nova Scotia

4. Winnipeg, Manitoba
Application No. 2010-1423-2

Application by the **Canadian Broadcasting Corporation** to amend the broadcasting licence for the English-language conventional television programming undertaking CBWT-TV Winnipeg.

The licensee proposes to add a new digital transmitter to serve the Winnipeg area.

The new transmitter would operate on channel 27 with an effective radiated power of 42,000 watts (non-directional antenna with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 138.6 metres).

The Commission notes that this application is in compliance with Notice No. SMBR-006-08 – *Publication of the Digital Television (DTV) Post-Transition Allotment Plan* of the Department of Industry.

The Commission also notes that this application would have an impact on the population within the regional service area. The population would decrease by 10% (from 872,923 to 782,283).

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Examination of application:

514 Portage Avenue
 Winnipeg, Manitoba

5. Winnipeg, Manitoba
Application No. 2010-1425-8

Application by the **Canadian Broadcasting Corporation** to amend the broadcasting licence for the French-language conventional television programming undertaking CBWFT-TV Winnipeg.

The licensee proposes to add a new digital transmitter to serve the Winnipeg area.

The new transmitter would operate on channel 51 with an effective radiated power of 7,600 watts (non-directional antenna with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 138.9 metres).

The Commission notes that this application is in compliance with Notice No. SMBR-006-08 – *Publication of the Digital Television (DTV) Post-Transition Allotment Plan* of the Department of Industry.

The Commission also notes that this application would have an impact on the population within the regional service area. The population would decrease by 12.7% (from 867,162 to 756,925).

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Examination of application:

514 Portage Avenue
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6. Edmonton, Alberta
Application No. 2010-1389-6

Application by the **Canadian Broadcasting Corporation** to amend the broadcasting licence for the English-language conventional television programming undertaking CBXT-TV Edmonton.

The licensee proposes to add a new digital transmitter to serve the Edmonton area.

The new transmitter would operate on channel 42 with an average effective radiated power (ERP) of 94,110 watts (maximum ERP of 131,710 watts with an effective height of antenna above average terrain of 233.1 metres).

The Commission notes that this application is not in compliance with Notice No. SMBR-006-08 – *Publication of the Digital Television (DTV) Post-Transition Allotment Plan* of the Department of Industry. The licensee is proposing to use channel 42 instead of their allotted channel (channel 11).

The Commission also notes that the application would have an impact on the population within the regional service area. The population would decrease by 6.35% (from 1,161,826 to 1,088,022).

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Examination of application:

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123, Edmonton City Centre East
Edmonton, Alberta

Public participation

Deadline for interventions

26 October 2010

The intervention must be received by the Commission and by the applicant on or before the above-mentioned date. The Commission cannot be held responsible for postal delays and will not notify a party whose intervention is received after the deadline date. The intervention will not be considered by the Commission and will not be part of the public file.

Interventions will be considered by the Commission and will form part of the public record of the proceeding without further notification to intervening parties, provided the procedure set out below has been followed. Parties will be contacted only if their submissions raise procedural questions.

Written interventions should be submitted to the Secretary General of the Commission in **only one** of the following formats:

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

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.

Parties must ensure that, before initiating service through electronic mode, they will be able to satisfy the Commission, upon request, that service of the notification was completed.

Submissions longer than five pages should include a summary.

Each paragraph of the submission should be numbered. In addition, 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.

Interventions should clearly identify the application referred to and indicate whether parties support or oppose the application, or, if they propose changes to it, include the facts and grounds for their proposal.

Important notice

All information that parties provide as part of this public process, except information granted confidentiality, whether sent by postal mail, facsimile, e-mail or through the Commission's website at www.crtc.gc.ca, becomes part of a publicly accessible file and will be posted on the Commission's website. This information includes personal information, such as full names, e-mail addresses, postal/street addresses, telephone and facsimile numbers, and any other personal information parties provide.

The personal information that parties 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.

Documents received electronically or otherwise will be put on the Commission's website in their entirety exactly as received, 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 information that parties provide to the Commission as part of this public process is entered into an unsearchable database dedicated to this specific public process. This database is accessible only from the web page of this particular public process. As a result, a general search of the Commission's website with the help of either its own

search engine or a third-party search engine will not provide access to the information that was provided as part of this public process.

The Commission encourages interested parties to monitor the public examination file and the Commission's website for additional information that they may find useful when preparing their interventions.

Examination of documents

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

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

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 two (2) working days, at any other Commission offices and documentation centres.

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