



Broadcasting Notice of Consultation CRTC 2015-52

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Notice of applications received

Various locations

Renewal of the broadcasting licences for certain native radio stations – Licensees in apparent non-compliance

Deadline for submission of interventions/comments/answers: 25 March 2015

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The Commission announces that it has received applications to renew the broadcasting licences for certain native radio stations, which expire 31 August 2015. Information regarding each application is set out in the tables below.

The licensees propose to continue the operation of the operation of their undertakings under the same terms and conditions as those in effect under the current licences.

The licensees will be required to adhere to the requirements set out in *Changes to conditions of licence for certain native radio undertakings*, Public Notice CRTC 2001-70, 15 June 2001.

In each case, the Commission has examined the licensee's compliance with the requirements set out in section 9(2) of the *Radio Regulations, 1986* relating to the filing of annual returns.

Based on this examination, the Commission notes that the licensees listed below are in apparent non-compliance with this regulatory requirement for the current licence term and that they have been so informed.

The Commission intends to consider the renewal of the broadcasting licences for these stations according to the approach set out in *Update on the Commission's approach to non-compliance by radio stations*, Broadcasting Information Bulletin CRTC 2014-608, 21 November 2014. The Commission will consider the use of any or all of the measures set out at paragraph 7 of that information bulletin, as appropriate, given the facts of each application.

Native radio stations

Licensee name ¹	Application number, call sign and location	Type of apparent non-compliance	Email address/website to request an electronic version of the application
CKRK K-103 FM Mohawk Radio Kahnawake Association	2014-0700-0 CKRK-FM Kahnawake, Quebec	Annual returns	cheryldeer@sympatico.ca programming@k103radio.com
Comité de la Radio communautaire huronne Wyandot inc.	2014-0769-3 CIHW-FM Village-des-Hurons, Quebec	Annual returns	www.cihw.org
Membertou Radio Association Inc.	2014-0916-0 CJJ-FM Sydney, Nova Scotia	Annual returns	gcorsano@sampsonmcdougall.com
Native Communication Inc.	2014-0923-5 CINC-FM Thompson, Manitoba, and its transmitters CICP-FM Cranberry Portage CIFF-FM Flin Flon CINR-FM Norway House CISI-FM South Indian Lake CIST-FM St. Theresa Point CISV-FM Swan River CITP-FM The Pas Indian Reserve CIWM-FM Brandon CIWR-FM Waterhen VF2106 Lac Brochet	Annual returns	hbui@ncifm.com

¹ The addresses of all the licensees identified in this notice are available upon request at Commission offices.

	<p>VF2107 Poplar River VF2108 Red Sucker Lake VF2109 Tadoule Lake VF2167 Pukatawagan VF2168 Wabowden VF2174 Gods Lake Narrows VF2175 God's River VF2195 Cross Lake VF2196 Berens River VF2198 Garden Hill VF2199 Shamattawa VF2220 Brochet VF2222 Nelson House VF2261 Cormorant VF2262 Duck Bay VF2263 Grand Rapids VF2264 Pikwitonei VF2265 Split Lake VF2312 Churchill VF2313 Moose Lake VF2314 Oxford House VF2333 Gillam VF2334 Fox Lake, Alberta VF2335 Lake Manitoba VF2336 Griswold VF2337 Easterville VF2338 Thicket Portage VF2339 Bloodvein VF2340 Hollow Water First Nations VF2342 Sherridon</p>		
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	VF2382 Long Plain VF2404 Jackhead VF2405 Pauingassi First Nation VF2406 Leaf Rapids VF2407 Little Grand Rapids VF2420 Camperville VF2421 Dauphin River VF2422 Ilford VF2423 Lynn Lake VF2462 Snow Lake VF2503 Fisher River VF2504 Paint Lake		
Native Communication Inc.	2014-0928-5 CIUR-FM Winnipeg, Manitoba	Annual returns	hbui@ncifm.com
Natotawin Broadcasting Inc.	2014-0765-1 CJLR-FM La Ronge, Saskatchewan, and its transmitters CIRN-FM Saskatoon CJLR-FM-1 Montreal Lake CJLR-FM-2 Denare Beach CJLR-FM-3 Prince Albert CJLR-FM-4 Regina CJLR-FM-5 Yorkton CJLR-FM-6 North Battleford CJLR-FM-7 Meadow Lake VF2298 Black Lake VF2299 Fond Du Lac	Annual returns	mbradio@mbradio.com

	VF2300 James Smith Reserve VF2301 Shoal Lake VF2332 Beardy's First Nation Reserve (Duck Lake)		
Radio Broadcaster of the Kitigan Zibi Anishinabeg First Nation Band (Charles Morin)	2014-0876-6 CKWE-FM Maniwaki, Quebec	Annual returns	scommanda@kza.qc.ca Jo-Ann.dumont@kza.qc.ca
Southern Onkwehon:we Nishinabec Indigenous Communications Society Inc.	2014-0870-9 CKRZ-FM Ohsweken, Ontario	Annual returns	finance@CKRZfm.com

Procedure

Deadline for interventions, comments or answers

25 March 2015

The *Canadian Radio-television and Telecommunications Commission Rules of Practice and Procedure* (the Rules of Procedure) apply to the present proceeding. The Rules of Procedure set out, among other things, the rules for content, format, filing and service of interventions, replies, answers of respondents and requests for information; the procedure for filing confidential information and requesting its disclosure; and the conduct of public hearings. Accordingly, the procedure set out below must be read in conjunction with the Rules of Procedure and its accompanying documents, which can be found on the Commission's website under "Statutes and Regulations." *Guidelines on the CRTC Rules of Practice and Procedure*, Broadcasting and Telecom Information Bulletin CRTC 2010-959, 23 December 2010, provides information to help interested persons and parties understand the Rules of Procedure so that they can more effectively participate in Commission proceedings.

An intervention or answer from a respondent must be received by the Commission and by the applicant on or before the above-mentioned date. An answer from a respondent must also be served on any other respondent.

Interventions and answers 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.

The Commission encourages interested persons and parties to monitor the record of the proceeding, available on the Commission's website, for additional information that they may find useful when preparing their submissions.

Submissions longer than five pages should include a summary. Each paragraph of all submissions should be numbered, and the line ***End of document*** should follow the last paragraph. This will help the Commission verify that the document has not been damaged during electronic transmission.

Submissions must be filed by sending them to the Secretary General of the Commission using **only one** of the following means:

by completing the
[\[Intervention/comment/answer form\]](#)

or

by mail to
CRTC, Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0N2

or

by fax at
819-994-0218

A true copy of each intervention or answer from a respondent must be sent to the applicant and, in the case of a respondent to an application, to any other respondent.

Parties who send documents electronically must ensure that they will be able to prove, upon Commission request, that service/filing of a particular document was completed. Accordingly, parties must keep proof of the sending and receipt of each document for 180 days after the date on which the document is filed. The Commission advises parties who file and serve documents by electronic means to exercise caution when using email for the service of documents, as it may be difficult to establish that service has occurred.

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure, a document must be received by the Commission and all relevant parties by 5 p.m. Vancouver time (8 p.m. Ottawa time) on the date it is due. Parties are responsible for ensuring the timely delivery of their submissions and will not be notified if their submissions are received after the deadline. Late submissions, including those due to postal delays, will not be considered by the Commission and will not be made part of the public record.

The Commission will not formally acknowledge submissions. It will, however, fully consider all submissions, which will form part of the public record of the proceeding, provided that the procedure for filing set out above has been followed.

Important notice

All information that parties provide as part of this public process, except information designated confidential, whether sent by postal mail, facsimile, email 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, email addresses, postal/street addresses, telephone and facsimile numbers, etc.

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.

Availability of documents

Electronic versions of the applications are available on the Commission's website at www.crtc.gc.ca by selecting the application number within this notice. They are also available from the applicants, either on their websites or upon request by contacting the applicants at their email addresses, provided above.

Electronic versions of the interventions and answers, as well as of other documents referred to in this notice, are available on the Commission's website at www.crtc.gc.ca by visiting the "Participate" section, selecting "Submit Ideas and Comments," and then selecting "our open processes." Documents can then be accessed by clicking on the links in the "Subject" and "Related Documents" columns associated with this particular notice.

Documents are also available from Commission offices, upon request, during normal business hours.

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