Needs and Uses: The information will be used by the Commission to determine if the applicant is legally, technically and financially qualified to participate in an FCC auction. The rules and requirements are designed to ensure that the competitive bidding process is limited to serious qualified applicants and deter possible abuses of the bidding and licensing process. The information will also be used to ensure that licensees that acquire their licenses through competitive bidding are not unjustly enriched by the premature transfer of their licenses. The Commission plans to use this form for all upcoming auctions.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Notice of Public Information Collection(s) Submitted to OMB for Review and Approval

May 22, 1998.

SUMMARY: The Federal Communications Commission, as part of its continuing effort to reduce paperwork burden invites the general public and other Federal agencies to take this opportunity to comment on the following information collection(s), as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104–13. An agency may not conduct or sponsor a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. No person shall be subject to any penalty for failing to comply with a collection of information subject to the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) that does not display a valid control number. Comments are requested concerning (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the Commission, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the Commission's burden estimate; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on the respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Written comments should be submitted on or before July 2, 1998. If you anticipate that you will be submitting comments, but find it difficult to do so within the period of time allowed by this notice, you should advise the contact listed below as soon as possible.

ADDRESSES: Direct all comments to Judy Boley, Federal Communications Commission, Room 234, 1919 M St., NW., Washington, DC 20554 or via internet to jboley@fcc.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For additional information or copies of the information collection(s), contact Judy Boley at 202–418–0214 or via internet at jboley@fcc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

OMB Control No.: 3060–0185.

Title: Section 73.3613, Filing of Contracts.

Form No.: N/A.

Type of Review: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit.

Number of Respondents: 3,180.

Estimated Time Per Response: .75 hours reporting requirement (.25 hours licensee/0.5 hours contract time); 0.5 hours recordkeeping requirement.

Frequency of Response: On occasion reporting requirement; recordkeeping requirement.

Cost to Respondents: $74,000.

Total Annual Burden: 1,450 hours.

Needs and Uses: Section 73.3613 requires licensees of TV and low power TV broadcast stations to file network affiliation contracts with the FCC. All broadcast stations are required to file contracts relating to ownership or control and personnel. Radio licensees are required to file time brokerage agreements which result in arrangement being counted in compliance with local and national radio multiple ownership rules. Certain contracts must be retained at the station. Data is used by FCC staff to assure that the licensee maintains full control over the station.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

[CC Docket Nos. 96–45 and 97–160; DA 98–987]

Commission To Hold En Banc Hearing June 8, 1998 on Proposals To Revise the Methodology for Determining Universal Service Support

AGENCY: Federal Communications Commission.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: The Federal Communications Commission will hold an *en banc* hearing on Monday, June 8, 1998, from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., in the Commission meeting room, Room 856 at 1919 M Street, NW, Washington, DC. The Commission has invited the state members of the Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service to also preside at this *en banc.* At the *en banc* hearing, the Commission and the state members of the Joint Board will review certain proposals for revising the methodology for determining federal universal service support for non-rural carriers.

Pursuant to the Commission's April 15, 1998 public notice, several parties filed with the Commission alternative proposals to the Commission's initial decision in the Universal Service Order that federal universal support would cover 25 percent of the total support necessary for non-rural carriers. At the *en banc,* the Commission and the state Joint Board members will hear from and question the parties that filed proposals.

The *en banc* is open to the public, and seating will be available on a first come, first served basis. A transcript of the *en banc* will be available 10 days after the event on the FCC's Internet site. The URL address for the FCC's Internet Home Page is <http://www.fcc.gov>. The *en banc* will also be carried live on the Internet. Internet users may listen to the real-time audio feed of the *en banc* by accessing the FCC Internet Audio Broadcast Home Page. Step-by-step instructions on how to listen to the audio broadcast, as well as information regarding the equipment and software needed, are available on the FCC Internet Audio Broadcast Home Page. The URL address for this home page is http://www.fcc.gov/realaudio/.

DATES: The meeting will be held on June 8, 1998, from 9:30 a.m–4:30 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Commission Meeting Room, Rm 856, at 1919 M Street, NW, Washington, DC.

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Dated: May 28, 1998.

Federal Communications Commission.

Lisa Gelb,

Chief, Accounting Policy Division, Common Carrier Bureau.

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