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See MCI v. FCC, 515 F 2d 385 (D.C. Circ 1974).

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## **MEDIA BUREAU ANNOUNCES FILING OF APPLICATIONS TO TRANSFER CONTROL OF LOCAL TV HOLDINGS, LLC TO TRIBUNE BROADCASTING COMPANY II, LLC**

Washington, D.C. - On July 15, 2013, Local TV Holdings, LLC, and its subsidiaries (“Local TV”), Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC (“Tribune”), and Dreamcatcher Broadcasting, LLC (“Dreamcatcher”) filed transfer of control applications to facilitate the acquisition of Local TV by Tribune. The stations and application file numbers are listed in the Appendix to this Press Release.

The Parties are seeking the Commission’s consent to implement the Securities Purchase Agreement, as Amended, between Oak Hill Capital Partners II, L.P. (“Oak Hill”), as the Seller Representative, Local TV, Tribune, and the Tribune Company. In two markets, because of the Commission’s cross-ownership Rule,<sup>1</sup> the newly merged company would not be allowed to hold both the TV station licenses that are currently held by Local TV and the local daily newspapers that are currently owned by Tribune. In those markets, the parties propose to transfer the TV licenses to Dreamcatcher pursuant to an Asset Purchase Agreement between Tribune, Dreamcatcher, and Oak Hill. Tribune also proposes to enter into a combination of agreements with Dreamcatcher that will include an Option Contract and a Shared Services Agreement regarding the stations that Dreamcatcher would acquire. Finally, Tribune seeks a continuing failing station waiver in Eureka Springs, Arkansas and a continuing satellite television waiver in Ft. Collins, Colorado.

The applications for transfer were placed on public notice July 19, 2013 and are available in the Commission’s Consolidated Database System (“CDBS”). The proceeding has been assigned to MB Docket No. 13-190. All filings in this proceeding must be clearly labeled as such and must reference MB Docket No. 13-190.

Petitions to deny in this proceeding are due no later than August 19, 2013.<sup>2</sup> The petitions will be available through the Commission’s Electronic Comment Filing System (“ECFS”). Oppositions to the petitions to deny are due no later than September 4, 2013.<sup>3</sup> Replies to the oppositions are due no later than September 16, 2013.<sup>4</sup>

Persons and entities that file comments or petitions to deny become parties to the proceeding. They may participate fully in the proceeding, including seeking access to any confidential and/or highly confidential information that may be filed under a protective order. Persons and entities that do not file petitions to deny, including those who file comments, may not seek reconsideration of the Commission’s decision regarding the transfers of control at issue, nor appeal a final decision to the courts.

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<sup>1</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 73.3555(d).

<sup>2</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 73.3584.

<sup>3</sup> *Id.* at §§73.3584(b), 1.45(b), 1.4.

<sup>4</sup> *Id.* at §§73.3584(b), 1.45(c), 1.4.

All filings concerning matters referenced in this Press Release should refer to MB Docket No. 13-190, and if they pertain only to specific applications or matters, to the specific file numbers of the individual applications or matters as well.

Submissions in this matter may be filed electronically (*i.e.*, through ECFS) or by filing paper copies.

- Electronic Filers: Documents may be filed electronically using the Internet by accessing the ECFS: <http://fjallfoss.fcc.gov/ecfs2/>.
- Paper Filers: Parties who choose to file by paper must file an original and four copies of each filing. Filings may be sent by hand or messenger delivery, by commercial overnight courier, or by first-class or overnight U.S. Postal Service mail. All filings must be addressed to the Commission's Secretary, Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission.
  - All hand-delivered or messenger-delivered paper filings for the Commission's Secretary must be delivered to FCC Headquarters at 445 12th Street, S.W., Room TW-A325, Washington, D.C. 20554. All hand deliveries must be held together with rubber bands or fasteners. Any envelopes must be disposed of before entering the building.
  - Commercial overnight mail (other than U.S. Postal Service Express Mail and Priority Mail) must be sent to 9300 East Hampton Drive, Capitol Heights, Maryland 20743.
  - U.S. Postal Service first-class, Express, and Priority mail must be addressed to 445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20554.

**In addition, one copy of each submission must be sent, either electronically or via paper, to the following:**

- The Commission's duplicating contractor, Best Copy and Printing, Inc., Portals II, 445 12th Street, S.W., Room CY-B402, Washington, D.C. 20554, telephone 1-800-378-3160, e-mail [fcc@bcpiweb.com](mailto:fcc@bcpiweb.com);
- David Roberts, Video Division, Media Bureau, Room 2-A728, e-mail [david.roberts@fcc.gov](mailto:david.roberts@fcc.gov) .

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*Availability of Documents.* Documents in this proceeding will be available for public inspection and copying during business hours at the FCC Reference Information Center, Portals II, 445 12th Street, S.W., Room CY-A257, Washington, D.C. 20554. The documents may also be purchased from BCPI, telephone (202) 488-5300, facsimile (202) 488-5563, TTY (202) 488-5562, e-mail [fcc@bcpiweb.com](mailto:fcc@bcpiweb.com).

The applications are also available electronically through the Commission's ECFS, which can be accessed on the Commission's Internet website at <http://www.fcc.gov>.

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By: Chief, Media Bureau

**APPENDIX**

<b>STATION</b>	<b>ID NO.</b>	<b>COMMUNITY</b>	<b>TRANSFEROR</b>	<b>TRANSFeree</b>	<b>FILE NO.</b>
KDVR(TV)	126	Denver, CO	Community Television of Colorado, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AER
KFCT(TV)	125	Ft. Collins, CO	Community Television of Colorado, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AES
WJW(TV)	73150	Cleveland, OH	Community Television of Ohio, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AGA
KTVI(TV)	35693	St. Louis, MO	Community Television of Missouri, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AFA
WDAF-TV	11291	Kansas City, MO	WDAF License, Inc.	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AGC
KTSU(TV)	22215	Salt Lake City, UT	Community Television of Utah, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AGD
WITI(TV)	73107	Milwaukee, WI	Community Television of Wisconsin, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AGO
KFOR-TV	66222	Oklahoma City, OK	Local TV Oklahoma License, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AFF
KAUT-TV	50182	Oklahoma City, OK	Local TV Oklahoma License, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AFG
WTKR(TV)	47401	Norfolk, VA	Local TV Virginia License, LLC	Dreamcatcher Broadcasting, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AGP
WGNT(TV)	9762	Portsmouth, VA	Local TV Virginia License, LLC	Dreamcatcher Broadcasting, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AGQ
WGHP(TV)	72106	High Point, NC	Community Television of North Carolina License, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AFE
WREG-TV	66174	Memphis, TN	Local TV Tennessee License, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AGB
WNEP-TV	73318	Scranton, PA	Local TV Pennsylvania License, LLC	Dreamcatcher Broadcasting, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AGR
WTVR-TV	57832	Richmond, VA	Community Television of Virginia License, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AGN
WHO-DT	66221	Des Moines, IA	Local TV Iowa License, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AFD
WHNT-TV	48693	Huntsville, AL	Local TV Alabama License, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AEN

WQAD-TV	73319	Moline, IL	Local TV Illinois License, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AEZ
KFSM-TV	66469	Ft. Smith, AR	Local TV Arkansas License, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AEU
KXNW(TV)	81593	Eureka Springs, AR	Local TV Arkansas License, LLC	Tribune Broadcasting Company II, LLC	BTCCDT-20130715AEV

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