



Federal Communications Commission
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In reply refer to: 1800B3-VM

Mr. Eddie J. Rackley, Administrator
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Mr. Jimmie L. Hopson
3815 10th Avenue
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In re: WNBC(AM), Meridian, MS
Facility ID No. 22294
File No. BR-20120210ABF

Dear Mr. Rackley and Mr. Hopson:

This is in reference to the application for renewal of license for Station WNBC(AM), Meridian, Mississippi (Station), filed on February 10, 2012, putatively by the licensee, Frank Rackley, Jr. On or about February 29, 2012, the Commission, received information that Mr. Rackley had died. Public records show that Mr. Rackley died on January 25, 2011.¹ We note that the application for renewal of license did not indicate that Mr. Rackley had died, and has not been amended since its filing to update the licensee's status.

We hereby dismiss the application as improperly filed because the application for renewal of license was filed in Mr. Rackley's name over one year after his death without acknowledging his death or otherwise notifying the Commission in an amendment to the application. The Station's license therefore expired by its own terms on June 1, 2012.²

Accordingly, File No. BR-20120210ABF IS DISMISSED. The license for Station WNBC IS CANCELED.

Sincerely,

Albert Shuldiner
Chief, Audio Division
Media Bureau

¹ See Social Security Death Index for Frank Rackley, Jr. (<https://www.socialsecuritydeathindex-search.com/>).

² 47 CFR § 73.1020(a)(1)(5).