

**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**  
**445 12<sup>th</sup> STREET, S.W.**  
**WASHINGTON, DC 20554**

MEDIA BUREAU  
AUDIO DIVISION  
APPLICATION STATUS: (202) 418-2730  
HOME PAGE: WWW.FCC.GOV/MMB/ASD

PROCESSING ENGINEER: Edna Prado  
TELEPHONE: (202) 418-2609  
FACSIMILE: (202) 418-1410  
MAIL STOP: 1800B3  
INTERNET ADDRESS: [Edna.Prado@fcc.gov](mailto:Edna.Prado@fcc.gov)

APR - 2 2008

Citicasters Licenses, L.P.  
2625 S. Memorial Drive  
Suite A  
Tulsa, OK 74129

In re: WKZP(FM), Walden, TN  
Facility ID# 14735  
Citicasters Licenses, L.P. ("Citicasters")  
BPH-20030113ACG

Dear Applicant:

This is in reference to: (1) the above captioned application filed by Citicasters to implement change pursuant the *Report & Order* in MB-Docket 01-62; (2) the February 20, 2003 Informal Objection filed by KEA Radio, Inc. ("KEA"), licensee of WKEA-FM, Scottsboro, AL; (3) the April 15, 2004 Informal Objection filed by James E. Price ("Price") against WKZP's application; and (4) all other related pleadings. For the reasons set forth below, we will dismiss the Informal Objections and grant WKZP's application.

**Informal Objections**

On February 20, 2003, KEA filed an objection against WKZP's application. KEA states that there is a pending Petition for Reconsideration of the *Report & Order* in MB Docket 01-62 that would directly affect Citicasters' allotment at Walden, TN. KEA also indicates that if the Petition for Reconsideration is granted, WKEA-FM would be forced to change from Channel 252A to Channel 278A and the allotment at 279C3, Walden, TN, would be short-spaced to the WKEA-FM authorized sites. Therefore, KEA believes that the application should be returned until the allotment proceeding is resolved.

On April 15, 2004, Price filed an objection against WKZP's application. Price states that the application violates the community coverage provisions of 47 CFR § 73.315. Specifically, Price claims that there is a major obstruction between the transmitter site and the community of license of Walden, TN. Price alleges that 471 feet of mountain is a major obstruction to the signal path of this station to serve Walden, TN. Therefore, Price believes that the proposed facility fails to provide line-of-site to Walden, TN and thus, the application should be dismissed.

## Discussion

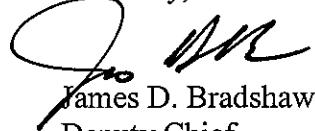
On August 28, 2002 a *Report & Order* was adopted in MB Docket 01-62. On October 15, 2002, a Joint Petition for Reconsideration of the *Report & Order* was filed. On April 2, 2003, a *Memorandum Opinion & Order* was adopted denying the October 15, 2002 Joint Petition for Reconsideration. Since this proceeding is terminated and there are currently no pending issues, the Informal Objection filed by KEA will be denied.

We forwarded the Price objection to our propagation expert at the Office of Engineering and Technology ("OET") to perform an independent study. OET concluded that there is no major terrain obstruction and the application demonstrates compliance with 47 C.F.R. § 73.315. Furthermore, our engineering review of the application reveals that Citicasters' application demonstrates compliance with all necessary rules. Therefore, Price's April 15, 2007 Informal Objection will be dismissed.

## Conclusion

Accordingly, the February 20, 2003 Informal Objection and all related pleadings filed by KEA ARE HEREBY DENIED and the April 15, 2004 Informal Objection and all related pleadings filed by Price ARE HEREBY DENIED. Furthermore, application BPH-20030113ACG IS HEREBY GRANTED.

Sincerely,



James D. Bradshaw  
Deputy Chief  
Audio Division  
Media Bureau

cc: Dorann Bunkin, Esq.  
Frank R. Jazzo, Esq.  
James E. Price