

Number of Respondents: 1,500.
Estimated Time Per Response: 1.0 to 5.166 hours.

Frequency of Response: On occasion reporting requirements.

Total Annual Burden: 4,625 hours.

Total Annual Costs: \$902,400.

Needs and Uses: FCC Form 313 is used by licensees or permittees of AM, FM, and TV broadcast stations and eligible networks when applying for a remote pickup, aural microwave, television microwave, and other various auxiliary broadcast stations. Statutory authority for this collection of information is contained in Sections 154(I) and 308 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. This form is required by 47 CFR 73.3511 and 73.3533. This form has been revised to delete the fee payment information as FCC Form 159, Fee Remittance Advice, is now required with any payment to the FCC. The Fee Remittance Advice duplicates this information. Due to changes in the Antenna Structure Registration procedures under Part 17 of the FCC Rules, this form will collect the seven digit antenna structure registration number assigned by the Commission. This form has also been revised to collect metric measurements only. These changes should not affect the estimated average burden per respondent.

The information will be used by the Commission to determine if the proposal will meet statutory requirements; to determine eligibility for a license; to aid in frequency spectrum management; and to ensure interference will not be caused by existing stations. The data will be used to issue an authorization and may be used for enforcement purposes when necessary.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Public Information Collections Approved by Office of Management and Budget

January 5, 1999.

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has received Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval for the following public information collections pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, Public Law 104-13. An agency may not conduct or sponsor and a person is not

required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid control number. For further information contact Shoko B. Hair, Federal Communications Commission, (202) 418-1379.

Federal Communications Commission

OMB Control No.: 3060-0149.

Expiration Date: 11/30/2001.

Title: Application and Supplemental Information Requirements—Part 63, Section 214, Sections 63.01-63.601.

Form No.: N/A.

Respondents: Business or other for-profit;

Estimated Annual Burden: 255 respondents; 10.5 hours per response (avg.); 2550 total annual burden hours for all collections.

Estimated Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Cost Burden: \$0.

Frequency of Response: On occasion.

Description: Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. Section 214, requires that a carrier must first obtain FCC authorization either to (1) construct, operate, or engage in transmission over a line of communication, or (2) discontinue, reduce, or impair service over a line of communication. 47 CFR Part 63 implements Section 214. See 47 CFR Sections 63.01-63.601 for information collection requirements. Part 63 also implements provisions of the Cable Communications Policy Act of 1984 pertaining to video programming by telephone common carriers. This approval also covers the information collections proposed in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, issued in CC Docket No. 97-11, *Implementation of Section 402(b)(2)(A) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996* (Section 214—Extensions of Lines), released January 13, 1997. In the NPRM, the Commission proposed to modify 47 CFR Part 63 to eliminate information submission requirements entirely for some categories of communications carriers and to reduce the submission requirements for other categories. The Commission proposed entirely eliminating the requirement for carriers to file applications for line "extensions" because Congress has exempted line "extensions" from the requirements of 47 U.S.C. 214, under Section 402(b)(2)(A) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996. The Commission also proposed eliminating the requirement for reports submitted by carriers identified by the Commission as domestic non-dominant carriers, small carriers, and carriers proposing small projects. Congress enacted section 214 to prevent unnecessary duplication of

facilities that could result in increased rates being imposed on captive telephone ratepayers, and the Commission tentatively concluded that these carriers are not likely to construct, operate, or acquire duplicative facilities. For carriers identified by the Commission as domestic dominant rate-of-return carriers, the Commission proposed reducing (but not entirely eliminating) the information submission requirements in applications for "new" lines, because the information is collected elsewhere, is unnecessary, is confusing in light of the provisions of section 402(b)(2)(A), or is no longer of decisional significance to the Commission. See CC Docket No. 97-11. The information received in applications from dominant carriers (proposed to be reduced) has been used by the Commission to determine if the facilities are needed. The information contained in reports from non-dominant carriers (proposed to be eliminated) has been used to monitor the growth of the networks and the availability of common carrier services in this segment of the telecommunications market, to relieve these carriers and the Commission of a before-the-fact review of each subsequent facility addition. These collections of information were deemed necessary to enable the Commission to comply with its mandate. Because Congress has changed the Commission's mandate in the Telecommunications Act of 1996, the information proposed to be reduced and eliminated may no longer be warranted. Obligation to respond: Required to obtain or retain benefits.

Public reporting burden for the collections of information is as noted above. Send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of the collections of information, including suggestions for reducing the burden to Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Washington, D.C. 20554.

Federal Communications Commission.

Magalie Roman Salas,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL HOUSING FINANCE BOARD

[No. 99-N-1]

Federal Home Loan Bank Members Selected for Community Support Review

AGENCY: Federal Housing Finance Board.

ACTION: None.