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Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D.C 20554

FCC 96M-135
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In the Matter of : MM DOCKET NO. 96-118
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Communications Enterprises, Inc. : File No. BR-950809YB
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For Renewal of License :
for Station WRAH (AM) :
Easley, South Carolina :

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FCC MAIL SECTION

PREHEARING CONFERENCE ORDER

Issued: May 30, 1996 ; Released: June 3, 1996

A Prehearing Conference will be conducted on July 10, 1996, at 9:00 a.m. in a Commission courtroom in Washington, D.C. (Order FCC 96M-133).

The burden of proceeding and the burden of proof with respect to the issues have been assigned to the licensee (DA 96-815). Counsel, or the licensee filing a Notice of Appearance to appear pro se, shall be prepared at the Prehearing Conference to establish:

- A. A discovery schedule including a schedule for the production of documents that are to be used at hearing.
- B. Procedures for the presentation of a stipulated record to the greatest extent feasible.
- C. Presentations of the cases of the Mass Media Bureau and Communications Enterprises, Inc. including documents and witnesses.
- D. To the extent agreed, testimonial evidence that is sponsored by the parties should be presented by written statements that are signed under oath, with witnesses made available for cross-examination

The related procedural dates ARE HEREBY SET:

August 9, 1996 - Complete all discovery.

Interrogatories and/or depositions may not be utilized unless authorized by the Presiding Judge

- September 6, 1996 - Exchange affirmative direct case exhibits.² If oral direct testimony is to be presented, the witnesses shall be fully identified and a complete summary of their expected testimony shall be provided.
- September 11, 1996 - Notification of witnesses desired for cross-examination.³
- September 13, 1996 - Objections to witness notification.
- September 25, 1996 - Commencement of hearing at 10:00 a.m. in a Commission courtroom in Washington, D.C.

SO ORDERED.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION



Richard L. Sippel
Administrative Law Judge

² Hearing exhibits must be serially numbered, separately paginated, and assembled in a binder with a tab preceding each document. A prefix will be used to identify the party sponsoring the exhibit. Each exhibit (or series of exhibits of a common sponsor) must be accompanied by affidavit or declaration under penalty of perjury of a sponsoring witness. If official notice is to be requested of materials in Commission files, the materials shall be assembled, tabbed, identified by source, assigned an exhibit number, and exchanged on the exchange date.

³ Notification and objections may be communicated by facsimile or by telephone call confirmed the same day in writing or by facsimile.