

Before the  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554

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In re Applications of	)	MM Docket No. 97-128
	)	
Martin W. Hoffman,	)	File No. BRCT-881201LG
Trustee-in-Bankruptcy for	)	
Astroline Communications Company	)	
Limited Partnership	)	
	)	
For Renewal of License of	)	
Station WHCT-TV,	)	
Hartford, Connecticut	)	
	)	
and	)	
	)	
Shurberg Broadcasting of Hartford	)	File No. BPCT-831202KF
	)	
For Construction Permit for a New	)	
Television Station to Operate on	)	
Channel 18, Hartford, Connecticut	)	

**ORDER**

**Issued: December 16, 1997**

**Released: December 18, 1997**

Under consideration is the Second Consent Motion for Further Extension of Procedural Dates filed by Shurberg Broadcasting of Hartford (SBH) on December 5, 1997.

SBH alleges that it has been engaged in extensive discussions concerning the potential settlement of this proceeding and believes that there is reasonable basis for optimism that a settlement may be achieved. SBH states that it would be appropriate to extend the procedural dates herein in order to permit the parties to focus their attention on settlement efforts and requests that all procedural dates in this proceeding be extended sixty (60) days. All the other parties have consented to the requested extension. Good cause exists for the grant of the motion.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that the SBH motion IS GRANTED and the Procedural Schedule herein IS EXTENDED sixty days. The following schedule will control.

- March 16, 1998 - Completion of discovery
- March 30, 1998 - Exchange of applicant's direct case.
- April 6, 1998 - Notification of witnesses desired for cross-examination.
- April 30, 1998 - Commencement of hearing at 10:00 a.m. in the offices of the Commission, Washington, D.C.

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*John M. Frysiak*  
 John M. Frysiak  
 Administrative Law Judge