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Re: Comments  
MM Dkt. No. 01-19, RM-10048  
Saint Joseph, LA  
FM Table of Allotments

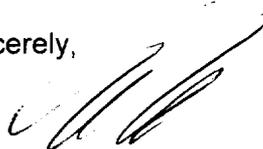
Dear Ms. Salas:

Transmitted herewith, on behalf of Saint Joseph Broadcasting Company, are an original and four copies of its Comments in the above-referenced rulemaking proceeding.

Additionally, attached is a copy of the filing with the notation "Please stamp and return to Fletcher, Heald & Hildreth." Please stamp the copy and return it to the courier.

If questions arise, please contact the undersigned attorney.

Sincerely,



Ann Bavender  
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)  
Amendment of Section 73.202(b) )  
Table of Allotments )  
FM Broadcast Stations )  
(Saint Joseph, Louisiana) )

MM Docket No. 01-19

RM-10048

To: Chief, Allocations Branch  
Policy and Rules Division  
Mass Media Bureau

**COMMENTS**

Saint Joseph Broadcasting Company ("Saint Joseph"), by its attorney, hereby submits its comments in response to the Notice Of Proposed Rulemaking ("NPRM") released January 26, 2001 in the above-captioned rulemaking proceeding.

**Comments**

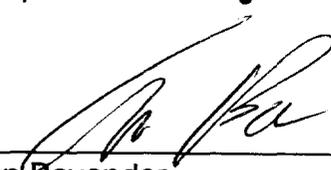
In response to a Petition For Rulemaking filed by Saint Joseph, the NPRM proposed to allot FM Channel 257C3 to Saint Joseph, Louisiana as Saint Joseph's first local service. Saint Joseph hereby incorporates by reference its Petition For Rulemaking and restates its present intention to apply for Channel 257C3 at Saint Joseph, Louisiana if allotted, and, if authorized, to build the station promptly.

Respectfully submitted,

Saint Joseph Broadcasting Company

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