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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
Washington, DC 20554

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In the Matter of )  
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Amendment of Section 73.202(b), )  
Table of Allotments )  
FM Broadcast Stations. )  
(Hagerstown and Myersville, Maryland) )

Federal Communications Commission  
Office of Secretary

MM Docket No. 05-4  
RM-11133

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To: Office of Secretary  
Attn: Chief, Audio Division  
Media Bureau

**COMMENTS OF MANNING BROADCASTING, INC.**  
**IN SUPPORT OF NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE MAKING**

Manning Broadcasting, Inc. ("Manning"), licensee of WARX(FM), Channel 295B, Hagerstown, Maryland, by its undersigned attorneys and in response to the Commission's *Notice of Proposed Rule Making* in the above-captioned proceeding, DA 05-4 (released January 10, 2005) (the "*NPRM*"), hereby files these Comments in support of the *NPRM*'s proposal to amend the FM Table of Allotments, Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules, to reallocate Channel 295B from Hagerstown to Myersville, Maryland and to modify the license of WARX(FM) to reflect the new community.

As Manning previously demonstrated, the adoption of the proposal contained in the *NPRM* is in the public interest as it will enable Manning to provide the community of Myersville, an incorporated town that is not located within any urbanized area, with its first local aural transmission service without depriving Hagerstown of local broadcast service or depriving any existing listeners of reception service. Manning hereby incorporates herein by reference the

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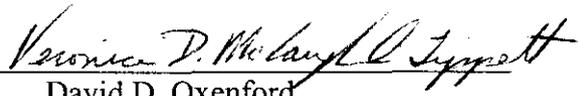
pleadings it has filed and reiterates its expression of interest in the reallocation of Channel 295B to Myersville and the modification of WARX(FM) to reflect the new community.

Manning notes that the FCC has granted the application to assign WARX(FM) from Manning to Nassau Broadcasting III, L.L.C. ("Nassau"). *See* FCC File No. BALH-20041230ABU. Nassau has filed Comments expressing its interest in the reallocation. *See* Nassau's Comments and Statement of Intention, filed March 1, 2005. In the event, however, that the assignment of WARX(FM) to Nassau is not consummated, Manning hereby affirms its intent, should the proposal set forth in the instant proceeding be adopted, to expeditiously file an application for modification of the license of WARX(FM) to reflect Myersville as the station's community of license and, upon grant of the application, to promptly construct the modification as proposed.

Based on the foregoing, Manning urges the Commission to adopt expeditiously the *NPRM's* proposal to reallocate Channel 295B from Hagerstown to Myersville, Maryland and to modify the license of WARX(FM) to reflect the new community.

Respectfully submitted,

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