

Cohen, Dippell and Everist, P.C.

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

In the Matter of)	
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Revisions to Rules Authorizing the)	WT Docket No. 08-166
Operation of Low Power Auxiliary Stations)	
in the 698-806 MHz Band)	
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Public Interest Spectrum Coalition, Petition)	WT Docket No. 08-167
for Rulemaking Regarding Low Power)	
Auxiliary Stations, Including Wireless)	
Microphones, and the Digital Television)	
Transition)	
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Amendment of Parts 15, 74 and 90 of the)	ET Docket No. 10-24
Commission's Rules Regarding Low)	
Power Auxiliary Stations, Including)	
Wireless Microphones)	

Reply Comments
on Behalf of
Cohen, Dippell and Everist, P.C.

These reply comments are submitted on behalf of Cohen, Dippell and Everist, P.C. ("CDE"). CDE and its predecessors have practiced before the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") for over 75 years in broadcast and telecommunications matters. The firm or its predecessors have been located in Washington, DC since 1937 and performed professional consulting engineering services to the communications industry.

This firm has examined a number of comments received in this proceeding. Of particular interest are the comments by Sennheiser Electronics Corporation.¹ As noted in its comments,

¹Entitled, "Comments of Sennheiser Electronic Corporation" dated January 25, 2013 in Docket No. 12-268.

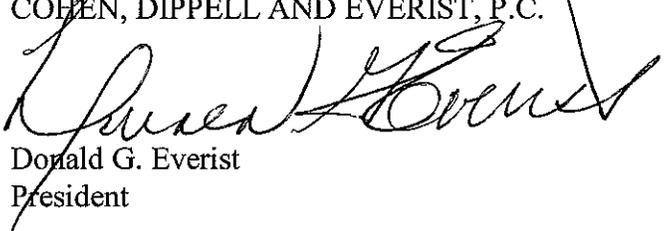
“Wireless microphone operating in the TV bands are an essential tool for the creation of nearly all entertainment, news and sports programming and motion picture production.” This firm agrees.

This firm urges the FCC to retain a minimum of two channels for wireless microphone use for the foreseeable future. The reasons are simple (1) not to hamper this vital tool to be used in reporting news and (2) to encourage the broadcast industry to license all current devices in use today without having to subsequently have to purchase new devices and go through the licensing process again. As indicated in this firm’s comments, these devices if given proper care will last for many years.

In this firm’s opinion, the continuing appearance of FCC regulation upheaval is not helpful in this licensing process.

Respectfully Submitted,

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