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StudioStream L.P.
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San Angelo, TX 76904

File No. SES-STA-20120822-00774

Dear Mr. Kent:

On July 22, 2012, StudioStream L.P. (StudioStream) filed the above-captioned application for Special Temporary Authority (STA) to operate a Fixed-Satellite Transmit/Receive Earth Station in San Angelo, TX. For the reasons stated below, we dismiss the STA application as defective, without prejudice to refiling.[1]

Section 25.112(a) of the Commission's rules requires the Commission to return, as unacceptable for filing, any earth station application that is not substantially complete, contains internal inconsistencies, or does not substantially comply with the Commission's rules.[2] The Studio Steam application is incomplete, and subject to dismissal, for the following reasons:

Section 25.120(a) of the Commission's rules requires STA requests to contain "the full particulars of the proposed operation."[3] This includes frequency bands, powers and points of communication. StudioStream did not submit any information relating to the frequency bands requested for operations, the type of equipment to be used, the proposed powers, the points of communications (satellites) with which Studio Stream intends to operate, or the duration of the special temporary operations.

In addition, Section 25.120(a) of the Commission's rules requires STA requests to include all facts sufficient to justify the temporary authority sought.[4] StudioStream did not provide any such information in its STA request. Without this information, we cannot make a finding that extraordinary circumstances require immediate operation and a delay in these operations would seriously prejudice the public interest.[5]

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[1] If Studio Stream L.P. refiles an application identical to the one dismissed, with the exception of supplying the missing information, it need not pay an application fee. *See* 47 C.F.R. § 1.1111(d).

[2] 47 C.F.R. § 25.112(a).

[3] 47 C.F.R. § 25.120(a).

[4] *Id.*

[5] *See* 47 C.F.R. § 25.120(b)(1).

Accordingly, pursuant to Section 25.112 (a)(1) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §25.112(a), and Section 0.261 of the Commission's rules on delegations of authority, 47 C.F.R. §0.261, we dismiss this application without prejudice.

Sincerely,

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