

### **NEWSLETTER**

# **November/December 2012 FCC Deadlines**

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## 4th Quarter Deadlines

Form 317 DTV Ancillary/Supplementary Services Report-By December 1, all commercial and noncommercial DTV licensees and permittees-including digital low power television stations; digital translator television stations and digital Class A television stations-must file Form 317 reporting whether ancillary or supplementary services were provided during the preceding twelve-month period ending September 30.

## **Ownership Reports**

Non-Commercial Radio Stations: By December 1, non-commercial radio stations located in Colorado, Minnesota, Montana, North Dakota and South Dakota must file a biennial ownership report on the Form 323-E.

**Non-Commercial Television Stations:** By December 1, non-commercial television stations located in **Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont, Alabama** and **Georgia** must file a biennial ownership report on the Form 323-E.

## **EEO Public File Reports**

All radio and television stations with more than five full-time employees located in **Alabama**, **Georgia**, **Colorado**, **Minnesota**, **Montana**, **North Dakota**, **South Dakota**, **Connecticut**, **Maine**, **Massachusetts**, **New Hampshire**, **Rhode Island** and **Vermon**t must place its EEO Public File Report in the station's public inspection files by **December 1**. Please remember, if your station has a website, then the EEO Report must be posted on the website as well.

### **Radio Renewals**

**Post-filing announcements:** Radio stations in **lowa** and **Missouri** must air post-filing renewal announcements on the 1st and 16th days of October, November and December. Within seven days of broadcasting the last post-filing announcement, stations must place a statement certifying compliance with the public announcement requirement in the public inspection file.

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**Pre-filing announcements:** Radio stations in **Colorado**, **Minnesota**, **Montana**, **North Dakota** and **South Dakota** must air pre-filing renewal announcements on the 1st and 16th days of October and November.

Renewal filing deadline: By December 1, radio stations in Colorado, Minnesota, Montana, North Dakota and South Dakota must electronically file a renewal application on FCC Form 303-S.

**Post-filing announcements:** Radio stations in **Colorado**, **Minnesota**, **Montana**, **North Dakota** and **South Dakota** must air post-filing renewal announcements on the 1st and 16th days of December 2012 and January and February 2013. Within seven days of broadcasting the last post-filing announcement, stations must place a statement certifying compliance with the public announcement requirement in the public inspection file.

**Pre-filing announcements:** Radio stations in **Kansas**, **Nebraska** and **Oklahoma** must air pre-filing renewal announcements on the 1st and 16th days of December 2012 and January 2013.

#### **Television Renewals**

**Post-filing announcements:** Television stations in **Florida**, **Puerto Rico** and the **Virgin Islands** must air post-filing renewal announcements on the 1st and 16th days of October, November and December.

**Pre-filing announcements:** Television stations in **Alabama** and **Georgia** must air pre-filing renewal announcements on the 1st and 16th days of October and November.

**Renewal filing deadline:** By **December 1**, television stations in **Alabama** and **Georgia** must electronically file a renewal application on FCC Form 303-S.

**Post-filing announcements:** Television stations in **Alabama** and **Georgia** must air post-filing renewal announcements on the 1st and 16th days of December 2012 and January and February 2013.

**Pre-filing announcements:** Television stations in **Arkansas**, **Louisiana** and **Mississippi** must air pre-filing renewal announcements on the 1st and 16th days of December 2012 and January 2013.

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