(4) Any change in channel.

(c) The following LPFM modifications may be made without prior authorization from the Commission. A modification of license application (FCC Form 319) must be submitted to the Commission within 10 days of commencing program test operations pursuant to §73.1620. For applications filed pursuant to paragraph (c)(1) of this section, the modification of license application must contain an exhibit demonstrating compliance with the Commission's radiofrequency radiation guidelines. In addition, for applications filed solely pursuant to paragraphs (c)(1) or (2) of this section, where the installation is on or near an AM tower, as defined in §1.30002, an exhibit demonstrating compliance with §1.30003 or §1.30002, as applicable, is also required.

(1) Replacement of an antenna with one of the same or different number of antenna bays, provided that the height of the antenna radiation center is not more than 2 meters above or 4 meters below the authorized values. Program test operations at the full authorized ERP may commence immediately upon installation pursuant to §73.1620(a)(1).

(2) Replacement of a transmission line with one of a different type or length which changes the transmitter operating power (TPO) from the authorized value, but not the ERP, must be reported in a license modification application to the Commission.

(3) Changes in the hours of operation of stations authorized pursuant to time-share agreements in accordance with §73.872.

 $[65\ {\rm FR}\ 7640,\ {\rm Feb}.\ 15,\ 2000,\ {\rm as}\ {\rm amended}\ {\rm at}\ 78$ ${\rm FR}\ 66298,\ {\rm Nov.}\ 5,\ 2013]$

§73.877 Station logs for LPFM stations.

The licensee of each LPFM station must maintain a station log. Each log entry must include the time and date of observation and the name of the person making the entry. The following information must be entered in the station log:

(a) Any extinguishment or malfunction of the antenna structure obstruction lighting, adjustments, repairs, or replacement to the lighting system, or related notification to the FAA. See §§ 17.48 and 73.49 of this chapter. 47 CFR Ch. I (10–1–15 Edition)

(b) Brief explanation of station outages due to equipment malfunction, servicing, or replacement;

(c) Operations not in accordance with the station license; and

(d) EAS weekly log requirements set forth in 1.61(a)(1)(v) of this chapter.

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§73.878 Station inspections by FCC; availability to FCC of station logs and records.

(a) The licensee of a broadcast station shall make the station available for inspection by representatives of the FCC during the station's business hours, and at any time it is in operation. In the course of an inspection or investigation, an FCC representative may require special equipment or program tests.

(b) Station records and logs shall be made available for inspection or duplication at the request of the FCC or its representatives. Such logs or records may be removed from the licensee's possession by an FCC representative or, upon request, shall be mailed by the licensee to the FCC by either registered mail, return receipt requested, or certified mail, return receipt requested. The return receipt shall be retained by the licensee as part of the station records until such records or logs are returned to the licensee. A receipt shall be furnished when the logs or records are removed from the licensee's possession by an FCC representative and this receipt shall be retained by the licensee as part of the station records until such records or logs are returned to the licensee. When the FCC has no further need for such records or logs, they shall be returned to the licensee. The provisions of this rule shall apply solely to those station logs and records that are required to be maintained by the provisions of this part.

(1) Where records or logs are maintained as the official records of a recognized law enforcement agency and the removal of the records from the possession of the law enforcement agency will hinder its law enforcement activities, such records will not be removed pursuant to this section if the chief of the law enforcement agency promptly certifies in writing to the FCC that removal of the logs or records

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will hinder law enforcement activities of the agency, stating insofar as feasible the basis for his decision and the date when it can reasonably be expected that such records will be released to the FCC.

§73.879 Signal retransmission.

An LPFM licensee may not retransmit, either terrestrially or via satellite, the signal of a full-power radio broadcast station.

§73.881 Equal employment opportunities.

General EEO policy. Equal employment opportunity shall be afforded by all LPFM licensees and permittees to all qualified persons, and no person shall be discriminated against because of race, color, religion, national origin, or sex.

Subpart H—Rules Applicable to All Broadcast Stations

§73.1001 Scope.

(a) The rules in this subpart are common to all AM, FM, TV and Class A TV broadcast services, commercial and noncommercial.

(b) Rules in part 73 applying exclusively to a particular broadcast service are contained in the following: AM, subpart A; FM, subpart B; Noncommercial Educational FM, subpart C; TV, subpart E; LPFM, subpart G; and Class A TV, subpart J.

(c) Certain provisions of this subpart apply to International Broadcast Stations (subpart F, part 73), LPFM (subpart G, part 73), and Low Power TV, TV Translator and TV Booster Stations (subpart G, part 74) where the rules for those services so provide.

(d) The provisions of this part applying to licensees also apply to holders of construction permits (permittees).

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FR 31399, Aug. 20, 1987; 65 FR 7648, Feb. 15, 2000; 65 FR 30003, May 10, 2000]

§73.1010 Cross reference to rules in other parts.

Certain rules applicable to broadcast services, some of which are also applicable to other services, are set forth in the following Parts of the FCC Rules and Regulations.

(a) Part 1, "Practice and Procedure."

(1) Subpart A, "General Rules of Practice and Procedure". (§§1.1 to 1.117).

(2) Subpart B, "Hearing Proceedings". (§§ 1.201 to 1.364)

(3) Subpart C, "Rulemaking Proceedings". (§§ 1.399 to 1.430).

(4) Subpart G, "Schedule of Statutory Charges and Procedures for Payment". (§§1.1101 to 1.1117.)

(5) Subpart H, "Ex Parte Communications". (\$1.1200 to 1.1216).

(6) Subpart I, "Procedures Implementing the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969". (§§1.1301 to 1.1319).

(7) Subpart P, "Implementation of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988". (§§ 1.2001-1.2003.)

(8) Subpart Q, "Competitive Bidding Proceedings" (§§ 1.2101-1.2112).

(9) Part 1, Subpart W of this chapter, "FCC Registration Number". (§§1.8001– 1.8005.)

(b) Part 2, "Frequency Allocations and Radio Treaty Matters, General Rules and Regulations", including Subparts A, "Terminology"; B, "Allocation, Assignments and Use of Radio Frequencies"; C, "Emissions"; D, "Call Signs and Other Forms of Identifying Radio Transmissions"; and J, "Equipment Authorization Procedures".

(c) [Reserved]

(d) Part 17, "Construction, Marking and Lighting of Antenna Structures".

(e) Part 74, "Experimental, Auxiliary and Special Broadcast and Other Program Distributional Services" including:

(1) Subpart A, "Experimental Broadcast Stations";

(2) Subpart D, "Remote Pickup Broadcast Stations";

(3) Subpart E, "Aural Broadcast Auxiliary Stations";

(4) Subpart F, "Television Broadcast Auxiliary Stations";

(5) Subpart G, "Low Power TV, TV Translator and TV Booster Stations":

(6) Subpart H, "Low Power Auxiliary Stations";