

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

In the Matter of)
)
Additional Spectrum for Unlicensed Devices) ET Docket No. 02-380
Below 900 MHz and in the 3 GHz Band)
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ORDER GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

Adopted: March 28, 2003

Released: March 31, 2003

By the Chief, Office of Engineering and Technology

1. On March 24, 2003, the Association for Maximum Service Television, Inc. (MSTV) submitted a motion to the Commission to extend the comment and reply comment deadlines in the above captioned proceeding by ten days, from April 7, 2003 and May 6, 2003 to April 17, 2003 and May 16, 2003, respectively. MSTV states that additional time is required to permit review and discussion of its comments by its board of directors before they can be approved and filed with the Commission.

2. The Commission does not routinely grant extensions of time in rule making proceedings. However, we find MSTV's circumstances compelling and we believe that providing more time will enable MSTV to submit information that will be beneficial to the record in this proceeding. In addition, such a brief extension will not cause undue delay. Therefore, we agree to extend the comment and reply comment deadlines by ten days.

3. Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that the deadline for filing comments in the above captioned proceeding IS EXTENDED to April 17, 2003, and that the deadline for filing reply comments in the above captioned proceeding IS EXTENDED to May 16, 2003.

4. This action is taken pursuant to the authority found in Section 4(i) and 303 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. §§ 154(i) and 303; and pursuant to Sections 0.31, 0.241 and 1.46 of the Commission's Rules, 47 CFR §§ 0.31, 0.241 and 1.46.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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