



## Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2003-184

Ottawa, 16 June 2003

### Canadian Broadcasting Corporation

St. John's, Bonne Bay, Cartwright, Churchill Falls, Cow Head, Hawkes Bay,  
Portland Creek and Trout River, Newfoundland and Labrador

*Application 2003-0039-3*

*Broadcasting Public Notice CRTC 2003-12*

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### CBNT St. John's – New transmitters

1. The Commission **approves** the application by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation (CBC) to amend the broadcasting licence for the television programming undertaking CBNT St. John's in order to operate transmitters in Bonne Bay, Cartwright, Churchill Falls, Cow Head, Hawkes Bay, Portland Creek and Trout River.
2. The transmitters will enable viewers in the above-mentioned communities to receive the programming of the CBC's English-language television network originating from CBNT St. John's. The transmitters will operate as follows:

Call sign	Location	ERP <sup>1</sup> (watts)	TP <sup>2</sup> (watts)	Channel
CBYT-3	Bonne Bay	1,848	–	2
CBNT-21	Cartwright	–	10	9
CBNLT-1	Churchill Falls	–	8.9	9
CBYT-6	Cow Head	4,300	–	8
CBYT-9	Hawkes Bay	1,100	–	4
CBYT-8	Portland Creek	1,944	–	13
CBYT-7	Trout River	–	8.9	13

3. The Commission did not receive any interventions in connection with this application.
4. The Commission notes that the above-noted transmitters are currently operated by the CBC as radiocommunication distribution undertakings (RDUs), which rebroadcast the programming of the CBC Northern Television Service.

<sup>1</sup>Effective radiated power

<sup>2</sup>Transmitter power

5. The CBC has advised that improvements in satellite feed technology now permit it to provide these communities with the full CBNT St. John's program schedule. The CBC noted that it is thus no longer necessary to hold separate RDU licences for these transmitters, and has asked that the licences be revoked.
6. Accordingly, the Commission, pursuant to sections 9(1)(e) and 24(2) of the *Broadcasting Act*, revokes the broadcasting licences issued to the CBC in respect of the above-noted RDUs.

Secretary General

*This decision is to be appended to the licence. It is available in alternative format upon request, and may also be examined at the following Internet site: <http://www.crtc.gc.ca>*