



Broadcasting Public Notice CRTC 2005-74-1

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Call for comments on a request by the Canadian Cable Telecommunications Association to repeal section 22 of the *Broadcasting Distribution Regulations*

1. In *Call for comments on a request by the Canadian Cable Telecommunications Association to repeal section 22 of the Broadcasting Distribution Regulations*, Broadcasting Public Notice CRTC 2005-74, 25 July 2005 (Public Notice 2005-74), the Commission requested comments on a proposal by the Canadian Cable Telecommunications Association (CCTA) to repeal section 22 of the *Broadcasting Distribution Regulations* (the Regulations). This section of the Regulations sets out the requirements of Class 1 and Class 2 broadcasting distribution undertakings with respect to the distribution of local radio stations.
2. The Commission received a number of submissions in response to Public Notice 2005-74, some of which proposed alternative measures that the Commission might undertake in lieu of repealing section 22. In a 31 August 2005 letter to the Commission, the CCTA requested the opportunity to reply to the comments received by the Commission. The CCTA stated that it wished to address the alternative measures proposed by interested parties as well as the accuracy and validity of arguments made in opposition to its request.
3. The Commission wishes to ensure that all parties have the opportunity to address the issues raised by interested parties in this proceeding. Accordingly, the Commission invites comments on the submissions received in response to Public Notice 2005-74. The Commission will accept the comments that it receives on or before 24 October 2005.

Procedures for filing comments

4. Interested parties can file their comments to the Secretary General of the Commission:
 - **by using the**
Broadcasting Intervention/Comments Form

OR
- **by mail to**
CRTC, Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0N2

OR

- **by fax at**
(819) 994-0218

5. Submissions longer than five pages should include a summary.
6. Please number each paragraph of your submission. In addition, please enter the line ***End of document*** following the last paragraph. This will help the Commission verify that the document has not been damaged during transmission.

Important notice

7. All information submitted, including email address, name and any other personal information, will be placed on the public examination file and can be examined on the Commission's web site at www.crtc.gc.ca.
8. Comments filed in electronic form or on paper will be available in the *Public Proceedings* section of the Commission's web site in the official language and format in which they are submitted. Paper versions will be converted to electronic versions by the Commission for this purpose. All comments will be placed on the public examination file.
9. The Commission encourages interested parties to monitor the public examination file and the Commission's web site for additional information that they may find useful when preparing their comments.

Examination of public comments and related documents at the following Commission offices during normal business hours

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