# **Broadcasting Public Notice CRTC 2005-101**

Ottawa, 9 November 2005

The Commission has received the following application. The deadline for submission of interventions/comments is 14 December 2005.

Across Canada Application No. 2005-1152-8

Application by **Le Réseau des sports** (**RDS**) inc. to amend the licence of the national Category 1 specialty programming undertaking known as Réseau Info Sports (RIS).

RIS is currently authorized to broadcast sports programs drawn from program category 6(a) (professional sports) and 6(b) (amateur sports), subject to the following conditions of licence:

- 1(d) No more than 15% of all programming broadcast during each broadcast week shall be devoted to the live broadcast of sporting events.
- 1(e) The broadcast of live sporting events shall be limited to events that are not covered live by other conventional or specialty French-language television services.
- 1(f) The licensee shall limit the broadcast of sporting events to week-ends (Saturdays and Sundays).
- 1(g) The licensee shall interrupt its live coverage of sporting events every 15 minutes to present sports highlights and results, as well as sports news, through the insertion of audio and video components.

The licensee proposes to withdraw condition of licence 1(f).

RDS stated that RIS will continue to comply with all remaining conditions of licence in respect to the broadcast of sports events.

Licensee's address:

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Fax: (514) 599-2299 E-Mail: webmaster@rds.ca



Examination of application:

At the licensee's address

[Broadcasting intervention/comments form]

# **Public Participation**

## **Deadline for Interventions/Comments**

#### **14 December 2005**

The intervention must be received by the CRTC and by the applicant on or before the above-mentioned date. The Commission cannot be held responsible for postal delays.

Your intervention will be considered by the Commission, and will form part of the public record of the proceeding without further notification to you, provided the procedure set out below has been followed. You will be contacted only if your submission raises procedural questions.

Submit your written intervention to the Secretary General of the Commission in **only one** of the following formats:

## by using the

**Broadcasting Intervention/Comments Form** located below the description of each application within this public notice

or

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

or

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

A true copy must be sent to the applicant and proof that this has been done must accompany the intervention sent to the Commission.

The Commission advises those who file and serve by electronic mode to exercise caution when using e-mail for service of documents or notification, as it may be difficult to establish that service has occurred.

Before initiating service through electronic mode, please ensure that you will be able to satisfy the Commission, upon request, that service of the notification was completed.

Where the intervention is filed by electronic means, the line \*\*\*End of document\*\*\* should be entered following the last paragraph of the document, as an indication that the document has not been damaged during electronic transmission.

Each paragraph of the document should be numbered.

Your intervention should clearly identify the application and indicate whether you support or oppose the application, or if you propose changes to it, include the facts and grounds for your proposal.

## **Important**

All information submitted, including your email address, name and any other personal information as provided, will become part of the public record and can be viewed on the Commission's Web site.

Documents sent in electronic format will be put on the Commission's Web site exactly as we received them, and in the official language and format in which they are sent. Documents not received electronically will be scanned and put on the Web site.

## **Examination of Documents**

An electronic version of applications is available from the Commission's web site by selecting the application number within this notice.

A list of all interventions/comments will also be available on the Commission's Web site. An electronic version of all interventions/comments submitted will be accessible from this list. To access the list, select "Lists of interventions/comments" under "Public Proceedings" from the Commission's Web site.

Documents are also available during normal office hours at the local address provided in this notice and at the Commission offices and documentation centres directly involved with these applications or, upon request, within 2 working days, at any other CRTC offices and documentation centres.

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Secretary General

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