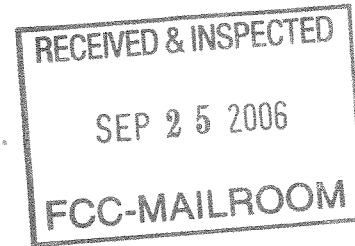


Louisiana Network
Interstate Communications, Inc.
10500 Coursey Boulevard, Suite 104
Baton Rouge, LA 70816

Secretary of The Commission
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554



Re: Petition for Reconsideration of Notice of Dismissal
License Renewal for E7107
File No: SES-RWL-20060209-00218

Dear Secretary:

Background:

On April 14, 2006, our application for renewal of E7107 was dismissed due to a "payment red-line" relating to another license, E6318, which had been dismantled on May 15, 2005 in order to move the transmitter system to be installed at a new third licensed location, ref: E050083.

E6318 had been surrendered by letter to the commission, dated September 15, 2005, later than anticipated due to hurricane Katrina in August 2005, and further, such surrender of authorization was not recognized until October 4, 2005, after the October 1st cutoff for annual administrative fee purposes, causing the financial "red-line" to appear when the renewal for E7107 was submitted in February 2007.

Basis for Petition for Reconsideration:

Although the surrender of authorization was not recognized until October 4, 2005, the earth station license was automatically terminated August 15, 2005, 90 days after its dismantling on May 15, 2005, pursuant to FCC rules 47 C.F.R. Section 25.161(c), Automatic termination of station authorization: (for) "The removal or modification of the facilities which renders the station not operational for more than 90 days, ..."

As such, the license was non-existent on October 1, 2005; the annual administrative fee was not applicable, and the dismissal of our renewal application should thereby respectfully be reconsidered, and the renewal of E7107 should be granted under the commission's rules.

Please note that all fees are currently paid, and the original coordination for E7107 is still valid. If you have any questions, please call me on my cell at 440-463-3928. I am,

Respectfully Yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Basil F. Pinzone, Jr.".

Basil F. Pinzone, Jr.
Technical Services

August 3, 2006

attachments enclosed



Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

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April 14, 2006

Mr. Rhett R McMahan
Interstate Communications, Inc.
10500 Coursey Boulevard
Suite 104
Baton Rouge, LA 70816

Re: **NOTICE OF DISMISSAL**
FRN: 0001722396
File Nos. SES-RWL-20060209-00218
Call Sign E7107

Dear Mr. McMahan:

On February 7, 2006, Interstate Communications, Inc. filed a renewal application for a C-Band¹ Fixed Earth Station license in Baton Rouge, LA. We dismiss the application without prejudice to refile for Interstate Communications, Inc.'s failure to pay delinquent Commission debts.

Pursuant to Section 1.1910(a)(1) of the Commission's rules, the Commission examines each application to determine whether the applicant is delinquent in any non-tax debt owed to the Commission.² On February 8, 2006, the Commission notified Interstate Communications, Inc. that it was delinquent on the payment of debts owed to the Commission.³ The letter stated that if full payment or satisfactory arrangement to pay the delinquent debt was not made within 30 days of the date of the letter, Interstate Communications, Inc.'s application would be dismissed pursuant to Section 1.1910(b)(3)

¹ 3700-4200 and 5925-6425 MHz bands.

² 47 C.F.R. § 1.1910(a)(1). See Amendment of Parts 0 and 1 of the Commission's Rules -- Implementation of the Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996 and Adoption of Rules Governing Applications or Requests for Benefits by Delinquent Debtors, 19 FCC 6540 (2004); 47 C.F.R. § 1.1910. For the purpose of determining if an applicant is delinquent, the Commission checks the status of all entities with whom an applicant shares the same tax payer identification number.

³ Letter from M. Washington, Acting Chief, Revenue and Receivables Operations Group, Office of Managing Director, FCC to Mr. Rhett R McMahan, Interstate Communications, Inc. (February 8, 2006).

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of the rules.⁴ The Commission has not received payment of the debts identified in the letter, nor has Interstate Communications, Inc. made other satisfactory payment arrangements with the Commission.

Accordingly, pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 1.1910(b)(3) and the Commission's rules on delegated authority, 47 C.F.R. § 0.261, the above-referenced application filed by Interstate Communications, Inc. is DISMISSED without prejudice to refile.

Sincerely,



Scott A. Kotler
Chief, Systems Analysis Branch
Satellite Division
International Bureau

⁴ See 47 C.F.R. § 1.1910(b)(3).

FORM 312-R APPLICATION
FOR RENEWAL OF RADIO LICENSE IN SPECIFIED SERVICES
FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

APPLICANT INFORMATION Enter a description of this application to identify it on the main menu:
Domestic Uplink Backup Site

1. Applicant

| | | | |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|------------------|
| Name: | Interstate Communications, Inc. | Phone Number: | 225-291-2727 x2 |
| DBA Name: | | Fax Number: | 225-297-7539 |
| Street: | 10500 Coursey Boulevard Suite 104 | E-Mail: | Rhett@la-net.net |
| City: | Baton Rouge | State: | LA |
| Country: | USA | Zipcode: | 70816 |
| Attention: | Mr Rhett R McMahan | | |

2. Contact

Name: Interstate Communications, Inc. **Phone Number:** 225-291-2727 x2
Company: **Fax Number:** 225-297-7539
Street: 10500 Coursey Boulevard **E-Mail:** Rhett@la-net.net
Suite 104
City: Baton Rouge **State:** LA
Country: USA **Zipcode:** 70816
Attention: Mr Rhett R McMahon **Relationship:**

RENEWAL INFORMATION

3. Rulepart under which this filing is made Rulepart 2.5

4. Is a fee submitted with this application?

If Yes, complete and attach FCC Form 159. **If No, indicate reason for fee exemption (see 47 C.F.R. Section 1.1114).**

- Governmental Entity Noncommercial educational licensee
- Other (please explain):

5. Application is for renewal of license in exact conformity with the existing license as specified below:

(a) File Number
SESRWL1996041601401

(b) Date Issued
1996-05-03 00:00:00.0

(c) Call Sign
E7107

(d) Location
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(e) Nature of Service
Domestic Fixed Satellite Service

(f) Class of Station
Fixed Satellite Transmit/Receive Earth Station (CGX)

| | |
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| <p>(g) Expiration Date 2006-05-02 00:00:00.0</p> | <p>Petition to reinstate:</p> |
| <p>6. Note any changes such as discontinuance of use of a frequency, or of a type of emission or of a transmitter which have been made since the last application covering this station was filed: none</p> | |

Items 7(a) and (b) apply to Part 21 licenses only.

7(a) Has there been removal of equipment or alteration of facilities as to render the Station not operational?

Yes
 No
 N/A

If YES when:

(b) If this is a Multipoint Distribution Service (MDS) station, is there a ownership interest in control by, affiliation with, or leasing arrangement with a cable television company?

Yes
 No
 N/A

8. Applicant represents that there has been no change in applicant's organization and that there has been no transfer of control or changes in the applicant's relation to the station, or financial responsibility; that applicants most recent application or report embodying this information, as identified below, is to be considered as a part of this application, and the truth of the statements therein contained is hereby reaffirmed. Note here any further exceptions, not already covered in question 6 or 7.

File Number Date

9. Would a Commission grant of this application come within 47 CFR 1.1307, such that it may have a significant environmental impact?

- Yes
 No
 N/A

If YES, attach as an Exhibit an Environmental Assessment required by 47 CFR 1.1311:

If NO, Explain briefly why not: on file

10. Certification: The applicant certifies that, in the case of an individual applicant, he or she is not subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to section 5301 of Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. 853a, or, in the case of a nonindividual applicant (e.g., corporation, partnership or other unincorporated association), no party to the application is subject to denial of federal benefits pursuant to that section. For the definition of a "party" for these purposes, see 47 CFR 1.2002(b).

- Yes
 No

a. Applicant waives any claim to the use of any particular frequency or of the electromagnetic spectrum as against the regulatory power of the United States because of the previous use of the same, whether by license or otherwise, and requests a station license in accordance with this application. Applicant acknowledges that all attached exhibits are a material part hereof.
b. The undersigned, individually and for the applicant, hereby certifies that the statements made in this application are true, complete and correct to the best of the signer's knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith.

11. Designate Appropriate Classification:

- Individual
 Unincorporated Association
 Partnership
 Corporation
 Governmental Entity
 Other (please specify)

12. Please supply any need attachments.

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| 1: | 2: | 3: |
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CERTIFICATION

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|---|---|
| 13. Typed Name of Person Signing Rhett McMahon | 14. Title of Person Signing Vice President of Technology |
| WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS FORM ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND / OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. Code, Title 18, Section 1001), AND/OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION AUTHORIZATION (U.S. Code, Title 47, Section 312(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. Code, Title 47, Section 503). | |

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