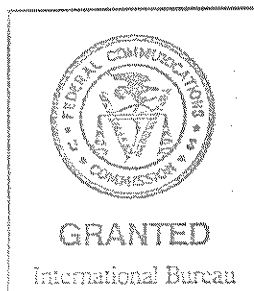


APPLICATION FOR EARTH STATION SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY

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April 2009 Request for Special Temporary Authority for E960253

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From 4/17/09 To: 6/15/09
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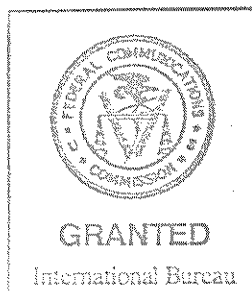
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However, during the fourth quarter of 2008, Westwood One's existing financial difficulties were exacerbated by the tightening of the credit markets and the declining economy. It was unable to pay its most recent semi-annual interest payments due in respect of its existing \$150,000,000 of ten-year notes that are due November 30, 2012, and \$50,000,000 of seven-year notes that are due November 30, 2009 (the foregoing notes, the "Senior Notes"). In addition, it was not in compliance with its maximum leverage ratio covenant at December 31, 2008. Both of these events constituted separate defaults under Westwood One's existing credit facility (the "Facility") and the Senior Notes. Moreover, on February 27, 2009, the principal amount under the Facility (\$41 million) matured and became due and payable in its entirety. Westwood One did not pay such amount, which also constituted an event of default under the Facility and the Senior Notes. As a result, Westwood One's management has concluded that there is substantial doubt about Westwood One's ability to continue as a going concern.

Westwood One has been negotiating with its creditors and its largest stockholder, Gores, to refinance its outstanding debt and to issue new equity. Such Transactions (as described in more detail above), if consummated, would result in Gores becoming Westwood One's controlling stockholder. If Westwood One is unable consummate the Transactions (all of which

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are conditioned upon one another) on an expedited basis, Westwood One would likely not be able to continue as a going concern and could potentially be forced to seek relief through a filing under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code. The Transactions are in the process of being negotiated and are proposed to be signed and closed at the same time. The parties intend to complete a “soft” close by Friday, April 17, 2009, with funding to follow on Monday, April 20, 2009. Therefore, the Applicant requests expedited Commission approval of the instant application by close of business on April 16, 2009.

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INDIRECT OWNERSHIP EXHIBIT OF TRANSFEREE
(Question #A20)

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The general partner of both Gores Capital II and Gores Co-Invest II is Gores Capital Advisors II, LLC (“Gores Advisors II”), a Delaware limited liability company. Gores Advisors II holds less than a 10% indirect ownership interest in Transferee Gores Radio. There are no limited partners of either Gores Capital II or Gores Co-Invest II who hold an indirect ownership interest of 10% or more in Transferee Gores Radio.

The Manager of Gores Advisors II is The Gores Group. No member of Gores Advisors II holds a controlling interest in Gores Advisors II or an indirect ownership interest of 10% or more in the Transferee Gores Radio.

The sole member of The Gores Group is AEG Holdings, LLC (“AEG”), a Delaware limited liability company. The Manager and 99.00% holder of AEG is Alec E. Gores, a United States citizen.

A chart showing the indirect ownership of Transferee Gores Radio is attached hereto.

**GORES RADIO HOLDINGS, LLC
INDIRECT OWNERSHIP CHART**

