GA: GREELEY BROADCASTING CORPORATION, Station KFVR–FM, Facility ID 81305, BPH–20080311ACG, From LA JUNTA, CO, To BEULAH, CO; HUNT BROADCASTING, INC., Station KJKB, Facility ID 855, BPH–20080402ACC, From JACKSBORO, TX, To SCOTLAND, TX; JER LICENSING LLC, Station NEW, Facility ID 170963, BNP–20070502AEZ, From FLAGLER, CO, To LOG LANE VILLAGE, CO; LARIMIE MOUNTAIN BROADCASTING, LLC, Station KRGQ, Facility ID 164299, BPH–20080404ACC, From YUMA, CO, To MERINO, CO; LC KCM RADIO LICENSES, L.P., Station KKAJ–FM, Facility ID 11181, BPH–20080402ABY, From ARDMORE, OK, To DAVIS, OK; LC KCM RADIO LICENSES, L.P., Station KFWF, Facility ID 31062, BPH–20080402ABZ, From MINERAL WELLS, TX, To JACKSBORO, TX; MICHAEL RADIO GROUP, Station KKKR, Facility ID 89114, BPH–20080408AEH, From NEWCASTLE, WY, To BLACK HAWK, SD; MILLER COMMUNICATIONS, INC., Station WWHQ, Facility ID 43833, BP–20080404ACC, From SUMTER, SC, To WEDGEFIELD, SC; MILLER COMMUNICATIONS, INC., Station WBZB, Facility ID 55266, BPH–20080404ACÊ, From WEDGEFIELD, SC, To QUINBY, SC; MILLER COMMUNICATIONS, INC., Station WIGL, Facility ID 54576, BPH–20080411AAÊ, From ST. MATTHEWS, SC, To WINNSBORO, SC; PACIFIC WEST BROADCASTING, INC., Station KNCU, Facility ID 81725, BPH–20080331ACV, From NEWPORT, OR, To GLENEEDEN, OR; PATHFINDER COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION, Station WBYY, Facility ID 55659, BPH–20080324AAW, From VAN WERT, OH, To WOODBURN, IN; SCOTT POWELL, Station KHNH, Facility ID 161192, BMP–20080401AQR, From BIG HORN, WY, To HUNTLEY, MT; STEPHANIE LINN, Station KSLS, Facility ID 63205, BPH–20080331ACW, From GLENEEDEN BEACH, OR, To COBURG, OR; YOUNGERS COLORADO BROADCASTING LLC, Station KEZZ, Facility ID 165959, BMPH–20080312ADS, From WALDEN, CO, To BERTHOUD, CO.

DATES: Comments may be filed through July 14, 2008.


FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Tung Bui, 202–418–2790.


James D. Bradshaw, Deputy Chief, Audio Division, Media Bureau.

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FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

[Notice 2008–08]

Notification and Federal Employees Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act (No FEAR Act) Notice

AGENCY: Federal Election Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Federal Election Commission (FEC) is providing notice to its employees, former employees and applicants for Federal employment about the rights and remedies available to them under the applicable Federal antidiscrimination laws and whistleblower protection laws. This notice fulfills the FEC’s notification obligations under the Notification and Federal Employees Antidiscrimination and Retaliation Act of 2002 (No FEAR Act or the Act), as implemented by the Office of Personnel Management regulations at 5 CFR part 724. The FEC’s No Fear Act notice is available on the FEC’s Web site at http://www.fec.gov/eeo/nofear/nofear.html.

EFFECTIVE DATE: May 14, 2008.


The Act also requires the FEC to provide this notice to Federal employees, former Federal employees and applicants for Federal employment to inform you of the rights and protections available to you under Federal antidiscrimination and whistleblower protection laws.

Antidiscrimination Laws

The FEC cannot discriminate against an employee or applicant with respect to the terms, conditions or privileges of employment on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, marital status or political affiliation. Generally, discrimination on these bases is prohibited by one or more of the following statutes: 5 U.S.C. 2302(b)(1), 29 U.S.C. 206(d), 29 U.S.C. 631, 29 U.S.C. 633a, 29 U.S.C. 791 and 42 U.S.C. 2000e–16.

If you believe that you have been the victim of unlawful discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin or disability, you must contact an Equal Employment Opportunity (EEO) counselor within 45 calendar days of the alleged discriminatory action, or, in the case of a personnel action, within 45 calendar days of the effective date of the action, before you can file a formal complaint of discrimination against the FEC. See 29 CFR part 1614.

If you believe that you have been the victim of unlawful discrimination on the basis of age, you must either contact an EEO counselor as noted above or give notice of intent to sue to the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) within 180 calendar days of the alleged discriminatory action. If you are alleging discrimination based on marital status or political affiliation, you may file a written complaint with the U.S. Office of Special Counsel (OSC) (see contact information below).

Whistleblower Protection Laws

A Federal employee with authority to take, direct others to take, recommend or approve any personnel action must not use that authority to take or fail to take, or threaten to take or fail to take, a personnel action against an employee or applicant because of disclosure of information by that individual that is reasonably believed to evidence violations of law, rule or regulation; gross mismanagement; gross waste of funds; an abuse of authority; or a substantial and specific danger to public
Retaliation against an employee or applicant for making a protected disclosure is prohibited by 5 U.S.C. 2302(b)(8). If you believe that you have been the victim of whistleblower retaliation, you may file a written complaint (Form OSC–11) with the U.S. Office of Special Counsel at 1730 M Street, NW., Suite 507, Washington, DC 20036–4505 or online through the OSC Web site at http://www.osc.gov.

Retaliation for Engaging in Protected Activity

The FEC cannot retaliate against an employee or applicant because that individual exercises his or her rights under any of the Federal antidiscrimination or whistleblower protection laws listed above. If you believe that you are the victim of retaliation for engaging in protected activity, you must follow, as appropriate, the procedures described in the Antidiscrimination Laws and Whistleblower Protection Laws sections, or, if applicable, the administrative or negotiated grievance procedures in order to pursue any legal remedy.

Disciplinary Actions

Under the existing laws, the FEC retains the right, where appropriate, to discipline a Federal employee for conduct that is inconsistent with Federal antidiscrimination and whistleblower protection laws up to and including removal. If OSC has initiated an investigation under 5 U.S.C. 1214, however, according to 5 U.S.C. 1214(f), agencies must seek approval from the Special Counsel to discipline employees for, among other activities, engaging in prohibited retaliation. Nothing in the No FEAR Act alters existing laws or permits the FEC to take unfounded disciplinary action against a Federal employee or to violate the procedural rights of a Federal employee who has been accused of discrimination.

Additional Information


Existing Rights Unchanged

Pursuant to section 205 of the No FEAR Act, neither the Act nor this notice creates, expands or reduces any rights otherwise available to any employee, former employee or applicant under the laws of the United States, including the provisions of law specified in 5 U.S.C. 2302(d).


David M. Mason,
Chairman, Federal Election Commission.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Notice of Agreement Filed

The Commission hereby gives notice of the filing of the following agreement under the Shipping Act of 1984. Interested parties may submit comments on agreements to the Secretary, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, DC 20573, within ten days of the date this notice appears in the Federal Register. Copies of agreements are available through the Commission’s Web site (http://www.fmc.gov) or contacting the Office of Agreements (202)–523–5793 or tradeanalysis@fmc.gov.

Agreement No.: 011579–012
Title: Inland Shipping Service Association Agreement.
Parties: Crowley Liner Services, Inc.; and Seaboard Marine, Ltd. and Seaboard Marine of Florida, Inc.
Filing Party: Gerald A. Malia, Esq.; 1660 L Street, NW., Suite 506; Washington, DC 20036.
Synopsis: The amendment would add five countries in Central America to the scope, add APL Co. PTE Ltd. as a party to the agreement, provide for coastal ranges within the Inland Transportation section of the agreement, and make miscellaneous changes in the agreement.
Dated: May 9, 2008.
By Order of the Federal Maritime Commission.
Karen V. Gregory,
Assistant Secretary.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Ocean Transportation Intermediary License Applicants

Notice is hereby given that the following applicants have filed with the Federal Maritime Commission an application for license as a Non-Vessel Operating Common Carrier and Ocean Freight Forwarder—Ocean Transportation Intermediary pursuant to section 19 of the Shipping Act of 1984 as amended (46 U.S.C. Chapter 409 and 46 CFR part 515).

Persons knowing of any reason why the following applicants should not receive a license are requested to contact the Office of Transportation Intermediaries, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, DC 20573.

Non-Vessel Operating Common Carrier
Ocean Transportation Intermediary Applicant

EZ Logistics LLC, 120 Sylvan Avenue, Ste. 3, Englewood Cliffs, NJ 07632.
Officer: Yong Zhao, Member (Qualifying Individual).

Non-Vessel Operating Common Carrier
and Ocean Freight Forwarder
Transportation Intermediary Applicant

AA Contract Customs Brokers USA, Inc., 2–12th Street, Blaine, WA 98230.
Officer: Carlos Verduzco, Vice President (Qualifying Individual).