

Before the  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

MM Docket No. 88-25

In the Matter of

Amendment of Section 73.202(b), RM-6126  
Table of Allotments,  
FM Broadcast Stations.  
(Rural Retreat, Virginia)

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**FOOTNOTE**

<sup>1</sup> The restricted site coordinates are 36-53-39 and 81-14-20.

**REPORT AND ORDER**  
(Proceeding Terminated)

Adopted: December 21, 1988; Released: February 1, 1989

By the Deputy Chief, Policy and Rules Division:

1. At the request of Highlands Broadcasting, Inc. (petitioner), the Commission has before it for consideration the *Notice of Proposed Rule Making*, 3 FCC Rcd 667 (1988), proposing the allotment of Channel 276A to Rural Retreat, Virginia, as that community's first local FM service. Petitioner filed supporting comments restating its interest in applying for the channel.

2. Channel 276A can be allotted to Rural Retreat in compliance with the minimum separation requirements of Section 73.207(b) of the Commission's Rules, with a site restriction. A site restriction of 3.5 kilometers (2.2 miles) east of the community is necessary in order to avoid short spacings to Station WECL(FM), Channel 276A, Elkhorn City, Kentucky, vacant but applied for Channel 275A at Welch, West Virginia and Station WOLD-FM, Channel 273A at Marion, Virginia.<sup>1</sup>

3. We believe the public interest would be served by the allotment of Channel 276A to Rural Retreat, Virginia, as a first FM service. Accordingly, pursuant to the authority found in Sections 4(i), 5(c)(1), 303(g) and (r) and 307(b) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, and Sections 0.61, 0.204(b) and 0.283 of the Commission's Rules, IT IS ORDERED, That effective **March 20, 1989**, the FM Table of Allotments, Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's Rules, IS AMENDED for the community listed below, as follows:

City	Channel No.
Rural Retreat, Virginia	276A

4. The window period for filing applications will open on **March 21, 1989**, and close on **April 20, 1989**.

5. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That this proceeding IS TERMINATED.

6. For further information concerning this proceeding, contact Patricia Rawlings, Mass Media Bureau, (202) 634-6530.