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Wednesday, September 27, 2006

Regent Gets FTC Nod For CBS Buffalo Deal



REGENT COMMUNICATIONS has received FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION approval of its purchase of five Buffalo market stations from CBS for \$125 million.

The approval clears the way for REGENT to take over the stations in an LMA in OCTOBER; the FTC has granted early termination of the antitrust waiting period for closing of the deal. REGENT is buying Urban WBLK, Adult Hits WBUF (92.9 JACK FM), AC WJYE, Country WYRK, and Classic Country WECK-A from CBS.

Monday, September 18, 2006

Voiceover stud JOE KELLY reups with Classic Rock WGRF (97ROCK)

Monday, September 11, 2006

Classic Country WXRL/ Buffalo middayer WAYNE STONE has departed after over seven years. He's accepted a position in marketing/website design for the BATAVIA MUCKDOGS minor league baseball team. He will remain at WXRL as a parttimer. Meanwhile back at the WXRL ranch, they are celebrating their 36th Anniversary on SUNDAY, OCTOBER 22nd at the RIVIERA THEATRE/NORTH TONAWANDA, with OPRY legend WHISPERIN' BILL ANDERSON.

Thursday, September 7, 2006

Sportscaster and UNIVERSITY OF BUFFALO football radio host and sideline reporter BRENDAN MCDANIELS adds hosting duties for a weekly TV show, "WNY SPORTS BLITZ," to air MONDAYS 6:30-7:30p ET on TIME WARNER CABLE. The show debuted September 11th.

Tuesday, September 5, 2006

Regent Buys CBS Buffalo Cluster



CBS RADIO is selling its Buffalo cluster- Urban WBLK, Adult Hits WBUF (92.9 JACK FM), AC WJYE, Country WYRK, and Classic Country WECK-A- to REGENT COMMUNICATIONS for \$125 million cash. REGENT will take over in an LMA in OCTOBER, giving it 19 stations in upstate NEW YORK (other clusters include ALBANY, UTICA-ROME, and WATERTOWN).

REGENT Pres./CEO BILL STAKELIN said "this is an excellent transaction from both a strategic and financial standpoint. We are acquiring one of the best performing and most profitable station clusters in Upstate NEW YORK, which will solidify our footprint across the region and provide us with a substantial opportunity to develop regional sales synergies. This will increase the value and growth potential of our station group overall. This acquisition is a key step in the execution of our strategic plan to rationalize our portfolio of radio station assets in order to maximize our growth profile. This transaction combined with the several other transactions announced over the past few months will lead to enhanced shareholder returns over the long-term."