

**STATEMENT OF
COMMISSIONER DEBORAH TAYLOR TATE**

Re: Revision of Procedures Governing Amendments to FM Table of Allotments and Changes of Community of License in the Radio Broadcast Services, Report and Order (MB Docket 05-210)

One of our most important jobs is to continually review our rules and procedures, with an eye toward reducing regulatory burdens whenever possible. Today we do just that. The revisions to our allocations procedures that we adopt in this item – most notably allowing AM and FM stations to propose community of license changes in a minor modification application and permitting the electronic filing of allocations proposals – promise to ease administrative burdens on Commission staff, substantially reduce regulatory delays experienced by licensees, and, most importantly, benefit the public by expediting improved radio service. This truly is a “win-win-win” scenario.