

**Before the
UNITED STATES COPYRIGHT ROYALTY JUDGES
Washington, D.C.**

In re

Distribution of 2013 Cable Royalty Funds

Docket No. 14-CRB-0010-CD (2013)

**JOINT PETITION TO PARTICIPATE
OF PUBLIC BROADCASTING SERVICE**

Public Broadcasting Service (“PBS”), on behalf of copyright owners of programs broadcast on U.S. noncommercial educational television stations that are retransmitted by cable operators (the “Public Television Claimants”), hereby submits this Petition to Participate in response to the Copyright Royalty Judges’ Notice published at 80 Fed. Reg. 32182 (June 5, 2015). PBS and the Public Television Claimants submit this Petition to Participate in Phase I and Phase II of this cable royalty proceeding for the year 2013. A \$150 filing fee accompanies this filing.

PBS and the Public Television Claimants have a significant interest in the subject matter of Phase I and Phase II of this proceeding because they own or represent owners of copyrighted works broadcast on U.S. noncommercial educational television stations that were retransmitted by cable operators during the relevant period. PBS has served as the sole representative of the public television (“PTV”) claimant category in every Phase I cable royalty distribution proceeding since the 1978 proceeding and has received a share of the cable compulsory royalty funds for each year that the funds have been distributed.

PBS and the Public Television Claimants are unaware of any Phase II controversy as to the distribution to individual claimants of the Phase I PTV cable royalties for 2013, but hereby petition to participate in such a Phase II proceeding should one be necessary.

The undersigned hereby certify that they have the authority and consent of PBS and the Public Television Claimants named in Attachment A to represent them in this cable royalty distribution proceeding. This petition is accompanied by and incorporates a Microsoft Excel spreadsheet in electronic form that lists these claimants.¹

July 6, 2015

Respectfully submitted,



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¹ PBS respectfully reserves its right to modify this Petition, attachments and spreadsheet in response to the outcome of any Phase I or Phase II proceedings, filings of other claimants, or rulings of the Copyright Office or Copyright Royalty Judges, or as the result of further investigation or information.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Dustin Cho, hereby certify that on this 6th day of July, 2015, I caused copies of the foregoing "Joint Petition to Participate of Public Broadcasting Service" to be served by Federal Express overnight delivery on the following parties:

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**ATTACHMENT A:
PUBLIC TELEVISION CLAIMANTS FOR THE
2013 CABLE ROYALTY FUNDS**

Alabama Educational Television Commission
Alamo Public Telecommunications Council
Alaska Public Television Inc.
All Global Media LLC
Alvin H. Perlmutter, Inc; Apostrophe S Productions,
inc.; Independent Production Fund, Inc.
Amarillo Junior College District
Arizona Board of Regents, Arizona State University
Arizona Board of Regents, University of Arizona
Arnold P. Lutzker
Art 21, Inc.
Artist Den Entertainment LLC
Atlanta Board of Education
Audio Visual Copyright Society Limited (trading as
Screen Rights)
Ball State University
Bates Technical College
BBC Worldwide Americas, Inc.
Blue Ridge Public Television Inc.
Board of Control, Grand Valley State University
Board of Control, Northern Michigan University
Board of Governors of State Colleges and
Universities
Board of Regents of Missouri State University
Board of Regents of the Montana University System
Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin
System
Board of Regents, New Mexico State University
Board of Regents, State of Florida
Board of Trustees of Michigan State University
Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois
Board of Trustees, Community College District #508
Board of Trustees, Pensacola Junior College
Board of Trustees, The California State University
for San Diego State University
Body Electric Corporation of America
Boettcher/Trinklein Television
Bowling Green State University
Brigham Young University
Broadway Film Project Inc.
Capital Community Broadcasting Inc.
Capital of Texas Public Telecommunications Council
CBS Broadcasting Inc.
Central Michigan University
Central Piedmont Community College (was
Charlotte-Mecklenburg Public Broadcasting
Authority)
Central Texas College
Central Wyoming College
Channel 5 Public Broadcasting Inc.
Clark County School District
Colorado Public Television Inc.

Commonwealth Public Broadcasting Corporation
Community Television Foundation of South Florida
Inc.
Compact Collections Limited
Connecticut Public Broadcasting Inc.
Consortium for Mathematics and its Applications Inc.
Craft in America, Inc.
Dade County School Board
Dallas County Community College District
Daniel amen & Amen Clinics Inc.
David Grubin Productions Inc.
DeepFocus Productions, Inc.
Delta College
Detroit Educational Television Foundation
DLT Entertainment LTD
DLT Entertainment LTD
Duluth-Superior Area Educational Television
East Tennessee Public Communications Corporation
Eastern Florida State College (f/k/a Brevard
Community College)
Eastern New Mexico University
Educational Braodcasting Foundation Inc.
El Paso Public Television Foundation Inc.
Fintage Auditovisual Rights B.V.
Florida Gulf Coast University
Florida West Coast Public Broadcasting Inc.
Fort Wayne Public Television
Fox Entertainment Group, Inc.
FremantleMedia North America, inc.
Friends of KSPS (was Spokane School District #81)
General Word L P (successor-in-interest to Word
World LLC)
Geoff Haines-Stiles Productions Inc. d/b/a Passport
to Knowledge
Georgia Public Telecommunications Commission
Greater Chattanooga Public Television Corporation
Greater Cincinnati TV Educational Foundation
Greater Dayton Public Television Inc.
Greater New Orleans Educational Television
Foundation
Greater Washington Educational
Telecommunications Association Inc.
Guam Educational Telecommunications Corporation
Gustavo Sagastume-International Media (by Public
Broadcasting Service on its behalf)
Hampton Roads Educational Telecommunications
Association Inc.
Hawaii Public Television Foundation
Hometime Video Publishing Inc.
Howard University
Hudson West Productions, Inc.

(Idaho) State Board of Education (also, for KAID:
 The Board of Regents for the University of Idaho)
 Ideastream
 IFTA Collections, a division of the Independent Film
 and Television Alliance
 Illinois Valley Public Telecommunications Corp.
 Independent Television Service
 Inky Dinky Worldwide, Inc.
 Intelcom-Intelligent Telecommunications
 International Management Group/Transworld
 International
 Iowa Public Broadcasting Board
 Jacqueline Eddy c/o Disney; Buena Vista Television;
 ABC Studios; Walt Disney Studios; ABC Cable
 Networks Group; Disney-ABC Domestic
 Television; ABC Family; Disney Enterprises, Inc.;
 MVL Film Finance LLC (aka Marvel); Touchstone
 Television; Lucasfilm Ltd
 Jim Brown Productions LLC; Ginger Group
 Productions Inc.
 Kansas Public Telecommunications Services Inc.
 KCTS Television
 Kenneth Lauren Burns d/b/a Florentine Films
 Kentucky Authority for Educational Television
 Knockabout Media LLC
 KOCE-TV Foundation
 KQED Inc. (was Northern California Public
 Broadcasting Inc.)
 KRSC-TV, DT & FM, Board of Regents of
 Oklahoma Colleges (Rogers State University)
 KSMQ Public Service Media Inc.
 KVIE Inc.
 Lehigh Valley Public Telecommunications Corp.
 Los Angeles Unified School District
 Louisiana Educational Television Authority
 Maine Public Broadcasting Corporation
 Margaret Richard
 Marjorie Poore Productions
 Martha Stewart Living Omnimedia, Inc.
 Mary Ann Esposito Inc
 Maryland Public Broadcasting Commission
 Maya Vision International Ltd
 Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios Inc.
 Metropolitan Indianapolis Public Broadcasting Inc.
 Metropolitan Opera Association, Inc.
 Michiana Public Broadcasting Corporation
 Mid-South Public Communications Foundation
 Milwaukee Area Technical College District Board
 Mississippi Authority for Educational Television
 Moreno/Lysons Production LLC
 Mountain Lake Public Telecommunications Council
 Inc.
 Nashville Public Television, Incorporated
 Nebraska Educational Telecommunications
 Commission

New Hampshire Public Broadcasting (was University
 of New Hampshire/New Hampshire Public
 Television)
 New Jersey Public Broadcasting Authority
 New Voyage Communications, Inc.
 NGHT, LLC
 NGHT, LLC
 North Texas Public Broadcasting Inc.
 Northeastern Educational Television of Ohio Inc.
 Northeastern Pennsylvania Educational Television
 Association Inc.
 Northern California Educational Television
 Association Inc.
 Northern Minnesota Public Television Inc.
 Northwest Indiana Public Broadcasting Inc.
 Office of Television Operations, Government of
 America Samoa
 Ohio University
 Oklahoma Educational Television Authority
 ole Media Management LP
 Oliver Productions, Inc.
 Oregon Public Broadcasting
 Paramount pictures Corporation; Melange Pictures,
 LLC c/o Paramount Pictures Corporation; DW
 Studios L.L.C. f/k/a DreamWorks, L.L.C. c/o
 Paramount Pictures Corporation
 Permian Basin Public Telecommunications Inc.
 Persephone Productions, Inc.
 Peter Berkow
 Plow Productions LLC
 Prairie Public Broadcasting Inc.
 Public Affairs Television, Inc.
 Public Broadcasting Council of Central New York
 Inc.
 Public Broadcasting of Northwest Pennsylvania Inc.
 Public Broadcasting Service (PBS); Public Media
 Distribution, LLC/dba Public Distribution (PBSd);
 PBS's Member public TV Stations
 Public Television 19 Inc.
 Public Television Claimants; Hammerman PLLC dba
 Intermediary Copyright Royalty Services
 Quartet International, Inc.
 Random House Children's Entertainment LLC; Red
 Hat Animation Ltd; CITH
 Recording Industry Association of America Inc.
 Redwood Empire Public TV Inc.
 Regents of the University of New Mexico and Board
 of Education, Albuquerque Public Schools
 Research & Programming Services Corp d/b/a La
 Carte Communications
 RGV Educational Broadcasting Inc.
 Rhode Island PBS Foundation (was Rhode Island
 Public Telecommunications Authority)
 Roadtrip Productions LTD
 Rocky Mountain Public Broadcasting Network, Inc.

Ronald J. Devillier (by his counsel Joan Lanigan);
 Devillier & Associates LLC; Shribes Productions,
 Inc., Python (Monty) Pictures, Ltd
 Roxanne Modjall
 Rural California Broadcasting Inc.
 San Bernadino Community College District
 Santa Fe Productions, Inc.
 Saybrook Productions, Ltd.
 Scholastic Entertainment Inc.
 Sesame Workshop
 Shenandoah Valley ETV Corporation
 Sistema Universitario Ana G. Mendez Inc.
 Sit and Fit
 Smoky Hills Public Television Corp.
 Songmasters, LLC
 Sony Pictures Television Inc.
 South Carolina Educational Television Commission
 South Dakota Board of Directors for Educational
 Telecommunications
 South Texas Public Broadcasting System
 Southern Illinois University Board of Trustees
 Southern Oregon Public Television Inc.
 St. Lawrence Valley Educational Television Council
 Inc.
 St. Louis Regional Public Media Inc. (was St. Louis
 Regional Educational and Public Television
 Commission)
 Sullivan Entertainment Inc.
 Texas A&M University
 Texas Tech University
 The American Documentary, Inc.
 The Arkansas Educational Television Commission
 The Board of Regents of Florida, Acting for and on
 behalf of Florida State University
 The Fred Rogers Company
 The Goodman Group, LLC
 The Historymakers
 The Ohio State University
 The Pennsylvania State University
 The Public Broadcasting Foundation of Northwest
 Ohio
 The University of North Carolina
 The Welk Group d/b/a Lawrence Welk Syndication
 This Old House Ventures, Inc.
 TJL Ventures LLC
 Travelscope LLC
 Trustees of Indiana University
 Twin Cities Public Television Inc.
 Two Cats Productions LTD.
 University of Alaska
 University of Central Florida

University of Central Missouri Board of Regents
 University of Houston
 University of Nebraska
 University of South Florida
 University of Utah
 Upper Cumberland Broadcast Council
 Valley Public Television Inc.
 Vermont ETV Inc. d/b/a Vermont Public Television
 Vincennes University
 Virgin Islands Public Television System
 Washburn University of Topeka
 Washington State University
 West Central Illinois Educational
 Telecommunications Corporation (CONVOCOM)
 West Central Minnesota Educational TV Company
 West Tennessee Public Television Council Inc.
 West Virginia Educational Broadcasting Authority
 Western Illinois University (formerly licensed to
 Black Hawk College)
 Western Kentucky University
 Western New York Public Broadcasting Association
 WGBH Educational Foundation
 WHYY Inc.
 Window to the World Communications, Inc.
 Wisconsin Educational Communications Board
 WITF Inc.
 WJCT Inc.
 WMHT Educational Telecommunications
 WNBC, NBCUniversal Media, LLC
 WNET (formerly WNET.ORG)
 WNIN Tri-State Public Media Inc.
 Worldwide Subsidy Group LLC
 WQED Multimedia
 WSKG Public Telecommunications Council
 WXEL Public Broadcasting Corp. (was Barry
 Telecommunications Inc.)
 WXXI Public Broadcasting Council
 Yanni Inc.
 Young Productions Inc.

*Note: The following claimants have filed claims with
 the assistance of PBS and are expected to sign an
 authorization to be represented by PBS:*

*B'Way Films LLC
 Conexion Media Group PLC
 Fidget LLC
 Made in India, LLC
 The Ched-Angier Production Company
 Thomashefsky Project LLC
 Tremendous Entertainment Inc.*