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Mr Bob Scott to resign as ABA Deputy Chairman

SYDNEY: Mr Bob Scott, ABA Deputy Chairman, has advised the Minister for Communications and the Arts of his intention to resign from the ABA, effective 18 October 1996.

Prior to joining the ABA in June 1995, Mr Scott had some thirty years experience in the broadcasting and newspaper industries.

He was founding Managing Director/Chief Executive of Wesgo Ltd in 1982, twice President of the Federation of Australian Radio Broadcasters (1989 and 1990) and General Manager/Managing Director of 2WS (1982), 2DAY (1988) and 2MMM (1994). He was Chairman of the National Film and Sound Archive from 1987-1991.

In 1994, Mr Scott was awarded the Order of Australia AM for his services to media, radio and film conservation and to the community.




allocation processes. The speakers will be from both the ABA and industry.

The seminar aim to fill a part of the gap left since the last Engineering Conference (known as IREECON) which was run by the Institution of Radio and Electronic Engineers during the 1980s. This ABA initiative will provide a broad base for the presentation of planning and allocation issues arising from the ABA's activities under the *Broadcasting Services Act 1992*, as well as additional information from relevant areas of industry.

Proposed topics for discussion at the seminar include matters related to licence area planning and allocation, technical planning, audience research, the technical planning guidelines, use of spare capacity, reports on technical developments and the impact of pay TV on interference. The seminar will also look at matters raised in two ABA inquiries. The first is the inquiry into possible uses for the sixth channel and the second is the inquiry into the investigation into the content of on-line services, which concluded in June. Looking to the future, suggested topics include developments in new technology, matters relating to digital radio broadcasting (DRB) and digital terrestrial television broadcasting (DTTB), remote area broadcasting systems, developments in V-chip technology, broadcasting system standards and developments in national broadcasting services.

If readers have any ideas for other topics, please contact Bob Greeney, ABA Director Engineering, Planning Branch, fax (06) 253 3277 or phone (06) 256 2851. For more information, please contact Julia Withers of the organising committee on (06) 256 2806.

A call for papers is expected in September with final papers required by December 1996. 

Broadcasting planning seminar - advance notice

CANBERRA: The ABA is considering sponsoring a one day broadcasting planning seminar to be held in Canberra, probably in February 1997 (but no later than mid March). The seminar will provide members of the broadcasting industry and ABA staff with a forum to discuss licences, planning and allocation matters. The aim is to provide industry participants with an understanding of the ABA's planning and

Temporary transmission of programs by aspirant community broadcasters

For the period 3 July to 29 July (date signed), in the order of area served.

APPLICANT	AREA	FREQ.	PERIOD	DATE SIGNED
Australian Capital Territory				
Canberra Christian Broadcasters	Canberra	107.1	17/8/96-31/8/96	29/7/96
New South Wales				
Bathurst Christian Broadcasters	Bathurst	101.1	15/8/96-30/8/96	29/7/96
Macarthur Community Radio	Campbelltown	100.5	3/8/96-11/8/96	17/7/96
Maitland Community Broadcasters	Maitland	104.5	17/8/96-25/8/96	29/7/96
Maitland Community Broadcasters	Maitland	104.5	20/7/96-28/7/96	3/7/96
Port Stephens FM Radio Inc.	Nelsons Bay	99.7	5/8/96-11/8/96	22/7/96
Way Out West Fine Music	Penrith	88.3	26/7/96-13/10/96	9/7/96



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Queanbeyan Community Radio	Queanbeyan	99.9	6/7/96-29/9/96	4/7/96
Free Broadcast Inc.	Sydney	96.9	15/7/96-21/7/96	3/7/96
Free Broadcast Inc.	Sydney	96.9	22/7/96-28/7/96	9/7/96
Peel Valley Christian Broadcasters	Tamworth	96.3	5/7/96-22/12/96	4/7/96
Mt Helen FM and TV Upper Hunter	Willow Tree	95.9	6/7/96-31/8/96	4/7/96
Victoria				
Bendigo FM Education Broadcasters	Bendigo	99.7	7/8/96-18/8/96	26/7/96
Bendigo FM Education Broadcasters	Castlemaine	100.5	7/8/96-18/8/96	26/7/96
Monash University	Clayton	95.7	24/7/96-1/11/96	16/7/96
Colac Public Radio Group Inc.	Colac	99.1	1/8/96-15/9/96	15/7/96
Upper Murray Community Gospel Broadcasters	Corryong	94.9	1/8/96-31/8/96	17/7/96
Geelong Gospel Radio Inc.	Geelong	96.3	22/7/96-9/8/96	8/7/96
Central Highlands Broadcasters	Kyneton	95.1	1/8/96-30/8/96	17/7/96
Dance Club Broadcasters	Melbourne	89.9	26/7/96-24/8/96	15/7/96
New Gen Radio Inc.	Melbourne	91.5	20/7/96-18/8/96	8/7/96
RMIT Student Radio Association	Melbourne	94.9	16/8/96-14/9/96	29/7/96
Bacchus Marsh Community Radio	Myrniong	98.5	5/8/96-11/8/96	22/7/96
West Gippsland Community Radio	Gippsland	99.5	27/7/96-24/11/96	10/7/96
NU Country Music Radio Inc.	Northcote	94.3	28/7/96-11/8/96	10/7/96
Radio Upper Murray	Walwa	88.5	3/8/96-1/9/96	17/7/96
Wangaratta Community Radio	Wangaratta	105.7	5/8/96-11/8/96	22/7/96
Whitehorse FM Inc.	Whitehorse	94.1	13/7/96-27/7/96	3/7/96
Queensland				
Christian Air Broadcasters Association	Eagle Heights	95.7	14/7/96-11/8/96	3/7/96
Sunshine Coast Christian Broadcasters	Montville	106.5	3/8/96-11/8/96	17/7/96
Mount Isa Christian Broadcasters	Mount Isa	105.7	1/8/96-30/10/96	17/7/96
Townsville Christian Broadcasters	Townsville	100.7	1/8/96-28/9/96	29/7/96
South Australia				
Music Broadcasting Society of South Australia	Adelaide	100.5	1/9/96-30/9/96	24/7/96
South East Christian Broadcasters	Compton	99.9	22/7/96-12/8/96	9/7/96
Pirie Community Radio Broadcasters	Port Pirie	105.9	6/7/96-29/9/96	5/7/96
Encounter FM Community Broadcasters	Victor Harbor	89.3	5/8/96-11/8/96	22/7/96

Programs granted C or P classification

Programs granted C or P classifications between 16 July and 9 August 1996. Producers interested in submitting programs for classification should contact Liz Gilchist on (02)9334 7840.

Title	Origins	Class. Renewal	New/ date	Decision	Applicant
A*MAZING (Series 6 & 7)	Australia	C	new	25 July 1996	Southern Star Concept
ADVENTURES OF THE	Australia	CAD	new	9 August 1996	Rosenbaum Whitbread Productions
BUSH PATROL (Series 2)					
FRIGHTMARES/ESP TV	Australia	CAD	new	7 August 1996	Total Film & Television Pty Ltd
HANSEL & GRETEL	Australia	CAD	new	19 July 1996	Burbank Animation Studios Pty Ltd
KIDSPEAK	Australia	PRC	new	18 July 1996	WIN Television Tasmania
KIDSPEAK - GREEN	Australia	C	new	31 July 1996	WIN Television Tasmania
CORRIDORS					
RAINBOW'S END	Australia	CAD	new	30 July 1996	Phillip Emanuel Productions Ltd
WISHBONE	USA	C	new	31 July 1996	Southern Star Concept
C - Children's programs	PRC - Provisional C			CAD - C Australian Drama	