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Main Public Broadcasting Corporation  
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Re: WMEA(FM); Portland, ME  
Facility ID No. 39655  
Main Public Broadcasting Corporation  
BPED-20100204AAL

Dear Applicant:

This letter refers to the above-captioned application for a minor change to a licensed facility.

An engineering study of the application reveals that it is in violation of 47 C.F.R. § 73.509 with respect to the previously filed application (BMPED-20100203ABE) for first-adjacent channel Class A station WEVF(FM), Colebrook, NH. Specifically, the proposed interfering contour (54 dBu) would cause overlap to the above listed application's protected contour (60 dBu). This constitutes an acceptance defect.

In light of the above, Application BPED-20100204AAL is unacceptable for filing pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 73.3566(a) and is **HEREBY DISMISSED**. This action is taken pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 0.283.

Sincerely,



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