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In re: W252AW, Ridgefield, IL
BPFT-20100305AAV
Facility ID # 149046

Dear Applicant:

This refers to: (1) the above-captioned application for W252AW, Ridgefield, Illinois.

An engineering study has revealed the application violates 47 C.F.R. § 74.1204(a) with respect to WRLR-LP, Round Lake, IL (BLL-20060110AAE) and WFMT(FM), Chicago, IL (BMLH-20090415AAX). Section 74.1204(a) states that an application for a FM translator station will not be accepted if the proposed operation would involve prohibited overlap of predicted field strength contours with any other authorized station. The proposed 40 dBu interference contour overlaps the 60 dBu protected contour of WRLR-LP and the proposed 94 dBu interference contour overlaps with the 54 dBu protected contour of WFMT(FM).

In addition, the application proposes an effective radiated power ("ERP") of 82 watts. Section 74.1235(b)(1) states that the maximum allowable effective radiated power with an antenna height above average terrain (HAAT) between 97 and 115 meters is 19 watts. Our study reveals that the azimuth at 180° has a HAAT of 107 meters. The application failed to discuss this violation. Therefore, we will dismiss the application.

In light of the above, the application BPFT-20100305AAV filed by Juan Alberto Ayala 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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