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In re: K212AQ, Riley, OR
BPFT-20100824AAI
Facility ID No. 50598

Dear Applicant:

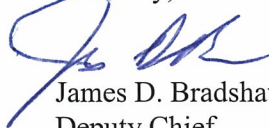
This letter refers to the above-captioned application for K212AQ, Riley, Oregon.

An engineering study of the application reveals that it is in violation of 47 C.F.R. § 74.1235(j). Section 74.1235(j) states that translators that have been authorized before June 1, 1991, with radials that do not comply with the current effective radiated power ("ERP") limitations may continue to operate provided no interference occurs. K212AQ is a licensed facility with an ERP of 50 Watts horizontal polarization using a directional antenna. The application proposes a facility with an ERP of 50 Watts horizontal and vertical polarization.

The grandfathered licensed facility of K212AQ has six radials between the azimuths of 60° to 210° (30° spaced) that exceed the current ERP limitations. The application proposes additional radials that exceed the ERP limitations between the azimuths of 0° to 30° and 270° to 330° that previously complied with § 74.1235. Our study reveals that the 0° azimuth has an antenna height above average terrain (HAAT) of 596 meters. The application proposes 16.8 Watts using a directional antenna. Section 74.1235(b)(2) states that the maximum allowable effective radiated power with an antenna height above average terrain greater than 541 meters is 10 Watts. The application failed to discuss this violation. Accordingly, we will dismiss the application.

In light of the above, the application BPFT-20100824AAI 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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