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In re: KOAC-FM, Astoria, OR
Facility ID #81807
Oregon Public Broadcasting
BPED-20101119AFG

Dear Applicant:

This letter refers to the above-captioned minor change application to modify the effective radiated power.

An engineering study of the application reveals that it is in violation of 47 C.F.R. § 73.509 with respect to the co-channel Class A previously filed pending application¹ (BNPED-20071019ARU) for a new FM station serving Chehalis, WA. KOAC-FM's proposed interfering contour (40 dBu) would overlap the protected contour (60 dBu) of the Chehalis' application. This constitutes an acceptance defect.

In light of the above, Application BPED-20101119AFG 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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cc: Lawrence M. Miller, Esq.
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¹ This application was filed in the 2007 Non-Commercial Window that closed on October 22, 2007. Therefore, it is not subject to competing applications after that date. Furthermore, this application was accepted for filing on December 3, 2010.