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In re: KRTSFM), Marfa, TX
Facility ID #164217
Marfa Public Radio Corporation
BMPED-20110411AAG

Dear Applicant:

This letter is in reference to the above-captioned minor change application to modify effective radiated power and antenna.

An engineering review of the application reveals that the application is in violation of the *AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED MEXICAN STATES RELATING TO THE FM BROADCASTING SERVICE IN THE BAND 88-108 MHZ* (USA-Mexico Agreement).

Specifically, the proposal is short-spaced to the first-adjacent channel Class B Mexican assignment in San Vincent, Chihuahua, MX. Furthermore, the proposed interfering contour (48 dBu) would cause prohibited contour overlap to the Mexican assignment's protected contour (54 dBu). Thus, the application fails to comply with the USA-Mexico Agreement.

In light of the above, Application BMPED-20110411AAG 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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