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In re: W284CA, Fort Payne, AL  
BPFT-20160126ADC  
Facility ID # 151327

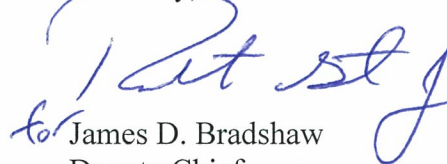
Dear Applicant:

This refers to: (1) the above-captioned application for W284CA, Fort Payne, Alabama.

An engineering study of the application reveals that it is in violation of Section 74.1235(b)(1). The application proposes an effective radiated power ("ERP") of 140 watts. Section 74.1235(b)(1) states that the maximum allowable effective radiated power with an antenna height above average terrain (HAAT) between 116 meters and 140 meters is 13 watts. Our study reveals that the azimuth at 210° has a HAAT of 122 meters. The application failed to discuss this violation. Therefore, we will dismiss the application.

In light of the above, the application BPFT-20160126ADC 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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