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Alaska Educational Radio System, Inc. 12415 Merlin Drive Seward, Alaska 99664

> In re: KABN-FM, Kasilof, AK Facility ID No. 93588 Alaska Educational Radio System, Inc. BPED-20160912AAK

Dear Applicant:

This refers to the above-captioned noncommercial educational minor change application for the broadcast facilities of KABN-FM, Kasilof, Alaska.

An engineering study of the application reveals that the proposal fails to provide adequate community coverage as required by 47 C.F.R. Section 73.515 of the Commission's Rules. Specifically, the proposed 60 dBu contour fails to provide any coverage of the community of license of Kasilof, Alaska. This constitutes an acceptance defect.

In light of the above, application BPED-20160912AAK is unacceptable for filing, pursuant to 47 C.F.R. Section 73.3566(a) and is HEREBY DISMISSED. This action is taken pursuant to 47 C.F.R. Section 0.283.

Sincerely,

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cc: Wolfgang Kurtz