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In Reply Refer to: 1800B3-PPD

Elohim Group Corporation 15305 Dallas Parkway Suite 300 Addison, TX 75001

In re: W228DF, Orlando, FL

File No. BLFT-20170320AAH Facility ID No. 156373

Interference Complaint

Dear Licensee:

This refers to the interference complaint filed by Bible Broadcasting Network, Inc. on June 28, 2017 (Complaint). The Complaint alleges that W228DF is interfering with the reception of W228BK, Union Park, Florida.

Pursuant to 47 CFR § 74.1203, W228DF is required to eliminate any actual interference it causes. Therefore, it is necessary for W228DF to submit a detailed report on each complaint even if the complainant might have been addressed in a previous proceeding. For each complaint, the report must include: (1) the name and address of the complainant; (2) specific devices receiving the interference (i.e. type of device, manufacturer's name, model number, and serial number); and (3) any assistance provided by W228DF for each device allegedly receiving the interference and whether such interference persists. Each of the complaints must be addressed <u>individually</u>.

The Commission's Rules¹ state that an FM translator station will not be permitted to continue to operate if it causes any actual radio signal interference to the direct reception by the public of the off-the-air signals of any authorized broadcast station, including previously authorized and operating FM translators.² Actual interference is based on listener complaints indicating that the signal they regularly receive is being impaired by the signal radiated by the offending FM translator station. Section 74.1203(b)³ states that if the interference cannot be properly eliminated by the application of suitable techniques, the operation of the offending FM translator station shall be suspended and shall not be resumed until the interference has been eliminated.

¹ 47 CFR § 74.1203(a)(3).

² An FM translator station creating actual radio signal interference to any authorized broadcast station is obligated to eliminate the interference, regardless of the location where the impaired signal reception occurs.

³ 47 CFR § 74.1203(b).

Within thirty days of this letter, W228DF must take appropriate actions required by the provisions of 47 CFR \S 74.1203 to resolve <u>all</u> complaints of interference to fulfill its obligations. Further action on this complaint will be withheld for a period of thirty days from the date of this letter to provide W228DF an opportunity to respond. Failure to correct <u>all</u> complaints within this time may require W228DF to suspend operation pursuant to 47 CFR \S 74.1203.

Sincerely,

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