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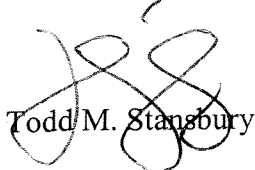
Re: KNBJ-FM, Bemidji, MN  
Facility ID No. 42966  
Minnesota Public Radio (FRN 0002-6425-10)  
Withdrawal of Request for Special Temporary Authority

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Minnesota Public Radio ("MPR"), by its attorneys, withdraws the request for special temporary authority, filed July 7, 2005 (copy attached), to operate KNBJ, Bemidji, Minnesota, at reduced power. The station has resumed normal operations.

Please contact this office if there are any questions.

Respectfully submitted,



Todd M. Stansbury

Attachment

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Mitzi T Gramling  
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Re: Minnesota Public Radio (FRN 0002-6425-10)  
KNBJ-FM, Bemidji, MN (Facility ID No. 42966 )  
Request for Special Temporary Authority

Dear Ms Dortch:

Minnesota Public Radio ("MPR"), licensee of KNBJ-FM, Bemidji, MN, hereby requests Special Temporary Authority to operate at a variance from KNBJ's licensed parameters due to the failure of the tuning control of the KNBJ. On June 14, 2005 MPR informed the Commission that MPR had temporarily been operating KNBJ at approximately 85% of its authorized power since June 9, 2005 due to the failure of the tuning control. A copy of that letter is attached.

MPR has been able to locate the necessary parts to repair the tuning control and expects to be able to fix the tuning control and bring the KNBJ up to its fully authorized power shortly.

An Anti-Drug Abuse Act certification form is attached. MPR is a noncommercial educational licensee, therefore, no fee is required for this filing.

Sincerely,



Mitzi T Gramling  
Associate General Counsel

cc: Todd Stansbury, Esq (Wiley Rein & Fielding)

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Exhibit

Anti-Drug Abuse Act Certification

The applicant certifies that, in the case of an individual applicant, he or she is not subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. §853a, or, in the case of a non-individual applicant (eg corporation, partnership or other unincorporated association), no party to the application is subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to that section. For the definition of a "party" for these purposes, see 47 C.F.R. §1.2002 (b).

Yes

No

Minnesota Public Radio



Thomas J Kigin, Executive Vice President

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Re: Minnesota Public Radio (FRN 0002-6425-10)  
KNBJ-FM, Bemidji, MN (Facility ID No. 42966 )  
Notice of temporary reduction of operations

Dear Ms Dortch:

In accordance with 47 CFR 73.561 (d), Minnesota Public Radio ("MPR"), licensee of KNBJ-FM, Bemidji, MN, hereby informs the Commission that MPR has temporarily been operating KNBJ-FM at reduced power since June 9, 2005 due to the failure of the tuning control. MPR has been able to do some work-around work to operate the facility at 85% of authorized power, but until replacement parts can be found and installed, we expect to operate KNBJ at only 85% of authorized power. The transmitter is not new and the transmitter manufacturer is out of business. MPR is actively searching for a replacement part and expects to have the facility back on the-air at its fully authorized power as soon as possible.

An Anti-Drug Abuse Act certification form is attached. MPR is a noncommercial educational licensee, therefore, no fee is required for this filing.

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Mitzi T Gramling  
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Thomas J Kigin, Executive Vice President

June 13, 2005

Date