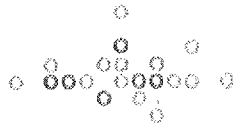


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Office of the Secretary

Re: Minnesota Public Radio (FRN 0002-6425-10)
KNCM-FM, Appleton, MN (Facility ID No. 42967)
Notice of operations at reduced power

Dear Ms Dortch:

In accordance with 47 CFR 73.561 (d), Minnesota Public Radio ("MPR"), licensee of KNCM, Appleton, MN, hereby notifies the Commission that KNCM has been operating at approximately 30% of its authorized power since February 1, 2012.

KNCM is operating at 30% power due to a failure of the transmission line for the station. MPR is working diligently to replace the defective transmission line as quickly as possible and hopes to have the station back up to full power soon.

MPR is a noncommercial educational licensee; therefore, no fee is required for this filing.

Sincerely,

Mitzi T Gramling
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