

Hendersonville, North Carolina  
Long Form Application for a New FM Translator  
BNPFT-20030317GVQ  
On Channel 300  
by  
Western North Carolina Public Radio, Inc.

Exhibit 13  
Interference Analysis

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Declaration

I declare, under penalty of perjury, that I am a technical consultant to broadcasting and other communications systems, that I have over twenty-five years of experience in the engineering of broadcast and other communications systems, that I am familiar with the Federal Communications Commission's Rules found in the Code of Federal Regulations Title 47, that I am a Professional Engineer registered in North Carolina, that I have prepared or supervised the preparation of the attached Exhibit 13, Interference Analysis, for Western North Carolina Public Radio, Inc., and that all of the facts therein, except for facts of which the Federal Communications Commission may take official notice, are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.



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### Narrative

This Exhibit supports a long form application in response to a filing window<sup>1</sup> for FM translator file number BNPFT-20030317GVQ, CDBS application ID 649550, on Channel 300 in Hendersonville, North Carolina. Allocation details are provided in this exhibit. The application proposes minor modification changes from the tech box filing. Specifically, the primary station is changed, the site is changed, the power is increased, height is decreased, and the status is changed to fill-in.

This proposal creates no new mutual exclusivities with any Auction 83 Tech Box filings.

Figure 1 shows the tech box 60 dBu F(50,50) coverage area, and the proposed 60 dBu F(50,50) coverage area. This application proposed a minor modification of the Tech Box facilities. The primary station WCQS 60 dBu F(50,50) contour is also shown.

### Allocations

This application proposes service to Hendersonville, North Carolina, on channel 300. An updated Table 1: Allocations is included in this exhibit with a list of the stations, construction permits, allocations, and applications studied. All are protected by this application.

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<sup>1</sup> *Public Notice, Media Bureau Announces FM Translator Auction 83 Filing Window and Filing Procedures*, DA13-283, released February 26, 2013. (Singleton Notice)

Table 1: Allocations

REFERENCE		Allocation Study								DISPLAY DATES			
35 23 48.0 N. 82 29 29.0 W.		CH# 300D - 107.9 MHz, Pwr= 0.25 kW, HAAT= 23.4 M, Average Protected F(50-50)= 7.1 km Omni-directional								COR= 732 M		DATA 03-28-13 SEARCH 03-28-13	
CH CITY	CALL	TYPE	ANT STATE	AZI. <--	DIST FILE #	LAT. LNG.	Pwr(kw) HAAT(M)	INT(km) COR(M)	PRO(km) LICENSEE	*IN* (Overlap in km)	*OUT*		
300C Charlotte	WLNK	LIC	CX NC	91.4 272.1	118.58 BMLH20050728ALG	35 21 51.0 81 11 13.0	100.000 516	189.4 763	86.0 Greater Media	-80.2*	3.4 Charlotte In		
299C Knoxville	WIVK-FM	LIC	CX TN	293.8 113.1	116.24 BLH20081017ABY	35 48 41.0 83 40 10.0	91.000 633	137.9 1014	92.2 Radio License Holding	-32.2*	9.2 Cbc,		
300D Hendersonville	649550	APP	C NC	194.8 14.8	10.01 BNPFT20030317GVQ	35 18 34.0 82 31 11.0	0.010 258	33.4 963	10.0 Western North Carolina Pub	-31.7*	-23.8*		
Tech Box application for which this is the long form application.													
297C0 Anderson	WJMZ-FM	LIC	C SC	187.7 7.6	77.76 BMLH20010628AAA	34 42 07.0 82 36 19.0	100.000 308	9.1 544	67.9 Cox Radio, Inc.	58.3	8.8		
Downgraded from Class C to C0 09/09/2008.													
297C0 Anderson	WJMZ-FM	CP	NCX SC	166.3 346.5	85.52 BPH20120905ACH	34 38 51.0 82 16 13.0	100.000 313	10.0 553	71.8 Cox Radio, Inc.	63.7	12.6		
298D Black Mountain	W298AY	LIC	C NC	26.9 207.0	28.93 BLFT20070808ACI	35 37 44.0 82 20 46.0	0.010 77	0.2 1010	7.1 Western North Carolina Pub	20.1	20.0		
247D Canton	632628«	APP	C NC	294.1 113.9	37.21 BNPFT20030317AHL	35 31 58.0 82 51 58.0	0.105 1	8.1 933	39.6 Saga Communications Of Nor	9.5R	27.7M		
299D Pickens	649571	APP	C SC	195.5 15.4	57.28 BNPFT20030317KWE	34 53 57.0 82 39 35.0	0.010 197	10.9 523	7.2 Tabernacle Baptist College	36.5	39.5		
246D Spartanburg	W246BU«	LIC	C SC	132.3 312.7	69.59 BLFT20100108ACP	34 58 26.0 81 55 37.0	0.250 58	8.1 291	39.6 Ted A McCall	9.5R	60.1M		
297D Valdese	W243BX	CP	DC NC	65.3 245.9	87.89 BPFT20121214ADO	35 43 21.6 81 36 28.2	0.250	0.5 691	15.8 Radio Training Network, In	80.3	71.0		
300D Elizabethton	W300CC	CP	C TN	13.3 193.5	107.05 BPFT20120927AED	36 20 06.0 82 12 55.0	0.250	23.8 649	7.1 Cb Radio, Inc.	74.7	72.1		

Terrain database is NED 03 SEC, R= 73.215 qualifying spacings or FCC minimum spacings in KM, M= Margin in KM  
 In & Out distances between contours are shown at closest points. Reference Zone= East Zone, Co to 3rd adj.  
 All separation margins (if shown) include rounding  
 Ant Column: (D= DA Standard, Z= DA 73.215, N= Not DA 73.215, \_= Omni), Polarization (C,H,V,E), Beamtilt(Y,N,X)  
 "\*"affixed to 'IN' or 'OUT' values = site inside protected contour.  
 « = Station meets FCC minimum distance spacing for its class.

### Source of Data

Transmitter location, effective radiated power, directional antenna pattern, and elevation data are extracted from the Commission's CDBS. All contours for existing and proposed facilities are calculated using height above average terrain calculated at one degree horizontal increments.

The contours were also evaluated using terrain extracted from the V-Soft Communications NED 03 terrain database. The NED 03 database is derived from the USGS National Elevation Data 30 meter terrain database.

All population data is from 2010 U.S. Census PL data files. Population is counted by considering the location of the centroid of each census block. The data for each block is counted if it falls within the area being counted.

