

EXHIBIT 22

ENVIRONMENTAL STATEMENT

An Environmental Assessment (EA) is categorically excluded under 47 C.F.R. Section 1.1306(b) of the FCC Rules and Regulations since the Applicant's proposal does not:

1. Involve a site location specified under 47 C.F.R. Section 1.1307(a),(1) through (7).

2. Involve high intensity lighting under 47 C.F.R. Section 1.1307(a)(8).

3. Result in human exposure to radiofrequency radiation in excess of the applicable safety standards specified in 47 C.F.R. Section 1.1307(b), (ANSI C95.1-1982 and ANSI C95.1-1991).

The Proposed channel 211A NCE transmitting antenna site is on Burns Butte in a remote area. Although the access road to the site is limited to authorized personnel the area surrounding the proposed antenna site should be considered an uncontrolled environment since public access could be possible to this area. The Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) for uncontrolled environments at FM frequency of 90.1 MHz is 200 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$.

The center of radiation for the two section FM antenna, with 1.0 wavelength vertical element spacing, is 21 meters above ground level. This FM antenna will be side mounted at the top of the steel support structure. EXHIBIT 22A is a plot of the RF power density levels at distances from the antenna support tower and two meters above ground level. The highest RF power density resulting from the operation of the proposed channel 211A FM station will be 15 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$ at a distance of 13 meters from the antenna support structure.

Therefore, the proposed installation does comply with ANSI and FCC specified guidelines for uncontrolled human exposure to radio frequency radiation. The antenna supporting structure will be fenced or equipped with anti-climb devices to prevent unauthorized access. The Applicant will instruct all personnel to terminate RF radiations from this antenna when service work requires that persons climb the pole for any purpose.

The Applicant believes there will be no significant effect on the human environment regarding public exposure or occasional visits by technical personnel and that warning signs will be sufficient for proper notification of a potential hazard.