COMPREHENSIVE TECHNICAL EXHIBIT APPLICATION FOR CONSTRUCTION PERMIT

WKXT-LD – KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE FACILITY ID: 67926

DIGITAL NETWORKS-SOUTHEAST, LLC

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P.O. Box 415 221 S. 1st Avenue Canton, IL 61520 Tel: 309.647.1200 Fax: 855.332.9537 jeremyruck.com APPLICATION FOR CONSTRUCTION PERMIT - DISPLACEMENT

The following engineering statement and attached exhibits have been prepared for Digital

Networks-Southeast, LLC ("Southeast"), licensee of low power digital television translator station

WKXT-LD at Morristown, Tennessee, and are in support of their application for construction

permit.¹ This application is being filed as a displacement application due to a required change in

the channel of operation resulting from the Commission's incentive auction. In addition to the

change in the channel of operation, Southeast also respectfully requests a small relocation of the

facility, change in the community of license from Morristown to Knoxville, and other associated

changes to the technical parameters.

WKXT-LD is currently licensed to operate on channel 43 as a digital low-power television.

The facility operates with an effective radiated power of 440 Watts at a center of radiation of 431

meters above mean sea level utilizing a directional antenna.² An outstanding construction permit

specifying different parameters under FCC File BPDTL-20130115ADE also exists. The licensed

channel of operation is out of core for the post repack environment, and so, Southeast seeks

authorization to change channel.

The proposed facility would be located 31.4 kilometers from the licensed site. The proposed

facility would operate on channel 33 with a maximum effective radiated power of 9.0 kW at a

center of radiation of 620 meters above mean sea level utilizing a directional antenna. The

antenna proposed for use by the facility is a PSI model PSILP12AOC. This antenna utilizes the

"omnioid" pattern, and is oriented with the major lobe at 225 degrees true.

¹ The Facility ID for WKXT-LD is 67926.

² See FCC File No.BLDTT-20121214ADT.

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The proposed operation on channel 33 would not result in interference to other proposed,

authorized, or licensed facilities in excess of that permitted under the Commission's Rules. Exhibit

E-1 provides a tabular output from the *TVStudy* software package. As indicated, no outgoing

interference failures would exist.

The proposed facility would not constitute a significant environmental impact, and is exempt

from environmental processing. The proposed antenna would be mounted to an existing tower

that is registered with the Commission. The addition of the antenna to this tower would not

increase the existing environmental impact already present from the tower.

Using the equations in Supplement A of OET Bulletin 65, the calculated worst-case power

density at ground level assuming a downward radiation relative field of 0.3 is 0.573 µW/cm². This

value is less than the upper limit of the uncontrolled environment condition upper limit. Southeast

certifies it will coordinate with all other users of the site to ensure that workers and other personnel

are not exposed to levels of radiofrequency radiation in excess of the applicable safety standards.

Coordination activities will include, but are not necessarily limited to, a reduction in transmitter

power or cessation of operation.

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The preceding statement and attached exhibits have been prepared by me, or under my direction, and are true and accurate to the best of my belief and knowledge.

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Jeremy D. Ruck, PE May 10, 2018