

## **EXHIBIT 1**

### **Notification of Suspension of Operations and Request for Silent Special Temporary Authority**

FM Translator Station K209FS, Columbus, NE (Facility ID 47960)

Nebraska Educational Telecommunications Commission (“NETC”), licensee of noncommercial educational FM translator Station K209FS, Columbus, Nebraska, hereby notifies the Commission of the station’s temporary silent status due to site availability problems beyond the licensee’s control, and respectfully requests Silent Special Temporary Authority (“STA”) in order to maintain the off-air status for more than thirty days.

Translator station K209FS has been silent since July 6, 2023 due to a loss of transmission site after NETC received notice that the landlord is dismantling the existing tower and requiring K209FS to vacate its current operating location. As a result, NETC is now pursuing plans to relocate the FM translator facility and modify the authorization. NETC expects that the translator will need to remain off-air for more than one month until these matters can be resolved to allow for a resumption of operation, and respectfully submits that a grant of Silent STA will serve the public interest by authorizing the off-air status due to the loss of site beyond its control.

Nebraska Educational Telecommunications Commission is a noncommercial educational licensee and operates K209FS on a noncommercial educational basis in connection with its co-owned noncommercial educational parent FM station. The licensee is therefore exempt from FCC filing fee requirements, pursuant to Section 1.1116 of the Commission’s Rules, and the facility is exempt from FCC regulatory fees, pursuant to Section 1.1162 of the Rules.