

ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT

WGSC-CD CH 8 MINOR CHANGE

REDUCE RC AMSL FROM 256 M AMSL TO 188 M AMSL

INCREASE ERP FROM 80 WATTS TO 140 WATTS

NO CHANGE IN HORIZONTAL PLANE RADIATION PATTERN

MAINTAIN CONTOUR FULLY INSIDE LICENSED CONTOUR

MURRELLS INLET, SOUTH CAROLINA

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THE PROPOSED ANTENNA SYSTEM CONSISTS OF A KATHREIN/SCALA MODEL DRV CUSTOM PANEL ARRAY, 2 BAY, HORIZONTALLY POLARIZED, CH 8 TV ANTENNA WITH A RADIATION CENTER 181.9 METERS ABOVE GROUND. UTILIZING FORMULA 10 OF OET BULLETIN NO. 65, EDITION 97-01, A WORST CASE VALUE F OF 1.0 HAS BEEN USED TO CALCULATE THE POWER DENSITY 2 METERS ABOVE GROUND. THE MAXIMUM CALCULATED POWER DENSITY IS 0.1445 UW/CM SQUARED FOR AN ERP OF 0.14 KW H. POLARIZATION. THIS VALUE IS 0.0722 % OF THE ALLOWABLE 200 UW/CM SQUARED POWER DENSITY FOR UNCONTROLLED ENVIRONMENTS. BASED ON THIS ANALYSIS IT IS BELIEVED THAT THE PROPOSED FACILITY IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH OET-65 GUIDELINES.

THE APPLICANT WILL REDUCE POWER, OR CEASE, TRANSMISSION AS REQUIRED TO MEET FCC OET-65 GUIDELINES FOR WORKER EXPOSURE.

THE PROPOSED TOWER SITE IS EXISTING, ACCESS, POWER AND TRANSMITTER BUILDING ARE EXISTING.