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**Engineering Statement
Displacement of K41GG-D
Channel 15 at Rockaway Beach, OR
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This Engineering Statement has been prepared on behalf of Rural Oregon Wireless Television, Inc. ("ROWT"), licensee of digital TV translator station K41GG-D at Rockaway Beach, Oregon. This material has been prepared in connection with a displacement application.

I. Background

The translator currently operates on a channel above Channel 36, which will be the highest channel remaining for terrestrial television broadcasting per the results of the 2017 spectrum auction. Accordingly, ROWT is filing this displacement application during the Commission's Special Displacement Window, which is scheduled for April 10 to May 15, 2018.

II. Interference Study

Study has been made of all cochannel and adjacent-channel facilities in the vicinity of the proposed operation, including a detailed Longley-Rice interference study to demonstrate that the proposed operation will not cause interference to any authorized or pending proposed facilities. This study was performed using the Commission's TVStudy software.

The results of this study indicate that the proposed facility is predicted to cause zero additional interference to any of the listed stations. Based on the foregoing interference study, it is believed that the proposed facility can operate without risk of objectionable interference to other stations.

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Study build station data: LMS TV 2018-03-28 (108)

Proposal: K41GG-D D15 LD LIC ROCKAWAY BEACH, OR
File number: ROCK15
Facility ID: 49333
Station data: User record
Record ID: 524
Country: U.S.

Build options:

Protect pre-transition records not on baseline channel

Stations potentially affected by proposal:

IX	Call	Chan	Svc	Status	City, State	File Number	Distance
No	K14GW-D	D14	LD	LIC	CORVALLIS, OR	BLDTL20100611AFN	133.3 km
No	KODT-LP	N14-	TX	LIC	SALT CREEK, OR	BLTTL20050309ACO	96.7
No	KTBW-TV	D14	DT	LIC	TACOMA, WA	BLCDT20060615AAY	218.7
Yes	K15IQ-D	D15	LD	CP	ASTORIA, OR	BNPDTL20100324ACA	64.3
No	KFXO-CD	D15	DC	CP	BEND, OR	BLANK0000034082	276.5
No	K15KF-D	D15	LD	LIC	COOS BAY, OR	BLANK0000005167	261.6
No	KORY-CD	D15	DC	LIC	EUGENE, OR	BLDTA20120222AAU	204.2
No	K15JI-D	D15	LD	CP	EUGENE, OR	BNPDTL20100716ADB	204.2
No	K15BP-D	D15	LD	LIC	GRANTS PASS, OR	BLDTT20090615AFL	369.5
Yes	K15DS-D	D15	LD	LIC	NEWPORT, ETC., OR	BLDTL20130130AIS	110.1
Yes	KOXO-CD	D15	DC	CP	PORTLAND, OR	BLANK0000027193	96.0
No	K15IX-D	D15	LD	LIC	RAINIER, OR	BLDTT20130103ACW	96.1
No	K51GJ-D	D15	LD	APP	ROSEBURG, OR	BLANK0000029043	285.9
No	K15JG-D	D15	LD	LIC	SCOTTSBURG, OR	BLDTT20120511ABH	233.2
No	KVVK-CD	D15	DC	LIC	KENNEWICK, ETC., WA	BLDTA20100125ACB	369.2
No	K15KC-D	D15	LD	CP	YAKIMA, WA	BNPDTL20100422ADC	278.2
No	KORS-CD	D16	DC	LIC	PORTLAND, OR	BLDTA20100517ABN	96.0
No	K41KT-D	D16	LD	APP	GRAYS RIVER, WA	BLANK0000048450	85.2
No	KFFV	D16	DT	CP	SEATTLE, WA	BLANK0000027889	242.4
No	KFFV	D16	DT	APP	SEATTLE, WA	BLANK0000034504	242.4
No	K17GV	N17-	TX	LIC	RAINIER, OR	BLTT20070209ABT	96.1

No non-directional AM stations found within 0.8 km

No directional AM stations found within 3.2 km

Record parameters as studied:

Channel: D15
Mask: Simple
Latitude: 45 44 37.30 N (NAD83)
Longitude: 123 56 27.40 W
Height AMSL: 493.0 m
HAAT: 0.0 m
Peak ERP: 0.975 kW
Antenna: SCA-2X1KBBU (ID 20724) 160.0 deg
Elev Pattn: Generic
Elec Tilt: 1.00

48.8 dBu contour:

Azimuth	ERP	HAAT	Distance
0.0 deg	0.004 kW	313.8 m	14.9 km
45.0	0.002	261.1	12.2
90.0	0.016	313.6	22.0
135.0	0.593	339.9	42.4
180.0	0.721	489.8	48.7
225.0	0.039	493.0	31.0
270.0	0.002	493.0	17.2
315.0	0.002	486.1	14.9

Database HAAT does not agree with computed HAAT

Database HAAT: 0 m Computed HAAT: 399 m

Proposal 23.83 dBu contour does not cross Canadian border

Distance to Canadian border: 277.4 km

Distance to Mexican border: 1563.6 km

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Conditions at FCC monitoring station: Ferndale WA
Bearing: 15.8 degrees Distance: 371.9 km

Proposal is not within the West Virginia quiet zone area

Conditions at Table Mountain receiving zone:
Bearing: 105.6 degrees Distance: 1637.5 km

No land mobile station failures found

Proposal is not within the Offshore Radio Service protected area

Study cell size: 1.00 km
Profile point spacing: 1.00 km

Maximum new IX to full-service and Class A: 0.50%
Maximum new IX to LPTV: 2.00%

No IX check failures found.

III. Technical Facility

Continued operation is proposed at the current transmitter site on Neahkahnie Mountain, using a 2-level Kathrein broadband antenna array (2X1KBBU), with an ERP of 975 watts.

IV. RF Exposure Study

The power density calculations shown below were made using the techniques outlined in OET Bulletin No. 65. "Ground level" calculations in this report have been made at a reference height of 2 meters above ground to provide a worst-case estimate of exposure for persons standing on the ground in the vicinity of the tower. The equation shown below was used to calculate the ground level power density figures from each antenna.

$$S(\mu W / cm^2) = \frac{33.40981 \times AdjERP(Watts)}{D^2}$$

Where: *AdjERP(Watts)* is the maximum lobe effective radiated power times the element pattern factor times the array pattern factor.

D is the distance in meters from the center of radiation to the calculation point.

ROWT owns six TV translators operating from this transmitter site, four of which are being displaced into the contracted TV band. Calculations of the power density produced by these facilities in their final configuration are summarized in the following table:

Call	ERP Antenna Model	Relative Field	Height AGL	Calculated Max Exposure	Gen Pop FCC Limit	% of Limit
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K20HT-D	0.975 kW avg KAT 2X1KBBU	0.125	5 m	56.6 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$	337.3 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$	16.8%
K36GU-D	0.975 kW avg KAT 2X1KBBU	0.125	5 m	56.6 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$	401.3 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$	14.1%
K41GG-D to Ch15	0.975 kW avg KAT 2X1KBBU	0.125	5 m	56.6 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$	317.3 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$	17.8%
K44AV-D to Ch17	0.975 kW avg KAT 2X1KBBU	0.125	5 m	56.6 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$	325.3 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$	17.4%
K47CD-D to Ch23	0.975 kW avg KAT 2X1KBBU	0.125	5 m	56.6 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$	349.3 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$	16.2%
K51FK-D to Ch29	0.975 kW avg KAT 2X1KBBU	0.125	5 m	56.6 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$	373.3 $\mu\text{W}/\text{cm}^2$	15.2%

(For TV translators, the relative field value indicated is the maximum value which occurs at 45 degrees or more below the horizontal, based on the manufacturer's vertical plane pattern. The resulting adjusted ERP value is assumed to be radiated straight down to a point 2 meters above ground level at the base of the tower.)

These calculations show that the maximum calculated power density produced at two meters above ground level by the proposed digital flash cut facilities at this site (were their maxima to coincide) is 97.5% of the FCC standard for uncontrolled environments.

Pursuant to OET Bulletin No. 65, all station personnel and contractors are required to follow appropriate safety procedures before any work is commenced on the antenna tower, including reduction in power or discontinuance of operation before any maintenance work is undertaken. The permittee/licensee in coordination with other users of the site must reduce power or cease operation as necessary to protect persons having access to the site, tower or antenna from radiofrequency exposure in excess of FCC guidelines.

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