



**STATEMENT OF JOHN E. HIDLE, P.E.  
IN SUPPORT OF AN APPLICATION FOR  
A MINOR MODIFICATION OF A  
POST REPACK CONSTRUCTION PERMIT  
FILE # 0000034894  
WPFO - WATERVILLE, MAINE  
DTV - CH. 17 - 1000 kW - 479 m HAAT**

Prepared for: PORTLAND (WPFO-TV) LICENSEE, INC.

I am a Consulting Engineer, an employee in the firm of Carl T. Jones Corporation, with offices located in Springfield, Virginia. My education and experience are a matter of record with the Federal Communications Commission. I am a Licensed Professional Engineer in the Commonwealth of Virginia, License No. 7418, and in the State of New York, License No. 63418.

**GENERAL**

This office has been authorized by PORTLAND (WPFO-TV) LICENSEE, INC., licensee of WPFO, channel 23, facility ID number 84088, licensed to Waterville, Maine, to prepare this statement, FCC Form 2100, Schedule A, its technical sections, and the associated exhibits in support of an application for a minor modification of its post-reassignment construction permit, File # 0000034894, that authorizes WPFO to use channel 17 for its post-reassignment broadcasting. The instant application proposes to relocate WPFO's transmission facility to the WGME-TV tower site, to change its directional antenna azimuth pattern, to increase its HAAT to 479 meters and to increase its ERP to 1000 kW. The applicant herein requests a waiver of the freeze in this instance so that the instant application may be acceptable for filing. (See justification document) (See

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Waiver place holder. (See justification document) complies with the Rules, Regulations and relevant Policies of the Federal Communications Commission. This statement, FCC Form 2100, its technical sections, and the attached exhibits were prepared by me or under my direct supervision and are believed to be true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

DATED: June 7, 2018

