

WTUL Low Power STA Request

On July 4, 2022, the WTUL, New Orleans (Fac. Id 68321) transmitter was damaged when a PA module “blew.” Licensee obtained an STA to operate at 500 watts. (File No. 0000194553) The station later went silent due to the need to remove its tower and a silent STA was obtained. (File No. 0000203240) A minor mod. app. to move the station to a new tower a few miles away is pending. (File No. 0000202676) In the meantime, licensee has determined that it can put the station back on the air with temporary facilities at 400 watts, fifteen feet (15’) from the licensed location at a height of 135 feet AGL.

Therefore, Licensee requests that an STA to operate at 400 watts at the location 15’ from the licensed facility and 135’ AGL be granted for 180 days.