

Letter of Explanation

**K31GK-D, K27EE-D, K21CD-D, K17CG-D**

The TV Translator stations serving the Ukiah Valley in Mendocino County, CA did not file License To Cover

applications in a timely manner. As a result, the Commission cancelled their licenses. TIA has since filed the License To Cover applications and has made a pleading before the Commission to have their licenses reinstated. These actions are currently pending with the Commission.

The Directors of the TIA were not aware of the cancellation of their licenses and consequently, have continued to operate. This STA is requested to allow them to continue to operate and serve the Ukiah valley.

Ukiah Valley is located inland Mendocino county, an area subject to strong storms, especially in the winter. We are a rural community and many people rely on our broadcasting for weather and local news.. Weather information, along with EAS warnings, are essential to the life and

livelihood of this community.

Many residents cannot afford pay TV and have utilized our services for a very long time.