

HI-LINE RADIO FELLOWSHIP, INC. NCE CERTIFICATION:

THE ASSIGNEE, HI-LINE RADIO FELLOWSHIP, INC. (HI-LINE), MEETS THE CRITERIA OUTLINED IN SECTION 73.503. THE ASSIGNEE IS A NON-PROFIT EDUCATIONAL ORGANIZATION, WHICH WAS FOUNDED BY MONTANA RESIDENTS FOR THE PURPOSE OF OWNING AND OPERATING RADIO STATIONS THAT WILL BE DEVOTED TO TEACHING THE TEACHINGS OF THE BIBLE. HI-LINE HAS FURTHER BEEN FOUND BY THE I.R.S. TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR 501(C) 3 STATUS AS A TAX EXEMPT EDUCATIONAL ORGANIZATION.

FOR SEVERAL CENTURIES, THE BIBLE HAS GUIDED THE LIVES OF COUNTLESS PEOPLE. THROUGHOUT THE WORLD, MANY COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES EXIST TO TEACH THE TEACHINGS OF THIS BOOK, BUT FOR MANY RESIDENTS OF STATES SUCH AS MONTANA IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO ATTEND SUCH SCHOOLS. AS SUCH, IT IS THE GOAL OF HI-LINE TO BRING EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING TO THE AREA, VIA ITS PROPOSED STATION, TO TEACH THE TEACHINGS OF THE BIBLE. ALL PROGRAMS AIRED BY THE PROPOSED STATION WILL BE BIBLICALLY BASED, AND WILL PRESENT LISTENERS WITH THE BIBLES TEACHINGS ON A VARIETY OF TOPICS INCLUDING MARRIAGE, FAMILY ISSUES, AND MONEY MANAGEMENT. THE FACT THAT A DEMAND FOR SUCH PROGRAMMING EXISTS IS EVIDENCED BY THE EXISTENCE OF THE ASSIGNEES 24 NONCOMMERCIAL/EDUCATIONAL FM STATIONS AND 29 FM TRANSLATORS, WHICH EXIST LARGELY DUE TO THE SUPPORT OF THOSE WHO BENEFIT FROM THEIR PROGRAMMING.

FURTHER, THE ASSIGNEE, HI-LINE RADIO FELLOWSHIP, INC., HAS PREVIOUSLY BEEN GRANTED NUMEROUS LICENSES BY THE COMMISSION INCLUDING BMLED-19930426KA FOR KXEI(FM) HAVRE, MONTANA (FACILITY ID #27117), THAT FOUND THIS APPLICANT TO BE QUALIFIED AS A NONCOMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL ENTITY WITH A QUALIFYING EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM, AND THAT THE APPLICANT WILL USE THE PROPOSED STATION TO ADVANCE A PROGRAM SIMILAR TO THAT THE COMMISSION HAS FOUND QUALIFYING IN THE APPLICANT'S PREVIOUS APPLICATION.