

**Exhibit E-9**

The proposed facility should be exempt from environmental processing. The tower to be utilized is unlit and is located within the developed Menan Butte communications site. The facility will therefore have a minimal impact on the surrounding environment.

In addition, the proposed facility would not constitute an RF exposure hazard as demonstrated by the following equation from OET Bulletin 65.

$$S_{K13UF} = \frac{33.4(0.5)^2 [0.4ERP_v + ERP_a]}{R^2} = \frac{33.4(0.5)^2 [(0.4 \bullet 1500) + 150]}{13.4^2} = 34.88 \frac{\mu W}{cm^2}$$

The predicted power density is based on the assumption that the relative field from the antenna directed at the ground is 0.5. This is a conservative estimate as the relative field from the antenna will be less. This calculation therefore represents a near worst case scenario for the facility. Since the predicted power density is less than the upper limit of the uncontrolled environment condition of the applicable safety standards, it is apparent that the proposed facility would comply with the applicable safety standards.

The applicant certifies that it will coordinate with other users of the site to prevent workers from being exposed to levels of radiofrequency radiation in

excess of the applicable safety standards. Such coordination will include, but is not limited to, a reduction in power and/or a cessation of operation.