

ENGINEERING STATEMENT
RE APPLICATION FOR LICENSE
FCC FILE NO.
BPCDT-20080317AII
ON BEHALF OF
RED RIVER BROADCAST CO., LLC
KVRR-DT, FARGO, NORTH DAKOTA
CHANNEL 19 1000 KW DA ERP 379 METERS
FACILITY ID NO. 55372

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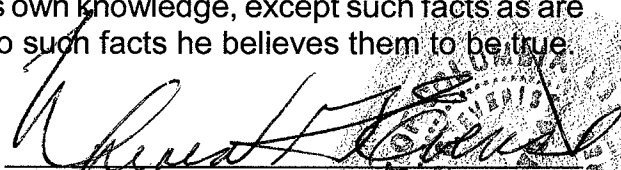
Donald G. Everist, being duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states that:

He is a graduate electrical engineer, a Registered Professional Engineer in the District of Columbia, and is President, Secretary and Treasurer of Cohen, Dippell and Everist, P.C., Consulting Engineers, Radio - Television, with offices at 1300 L Street, N.W., Suite 1100, Washington, D.C. 20005;

That his qualifications are a matter of record in the Federal Communications Commission;

That the attached engineering report was prepared by him or under his supervision and direction and

That the facts stated herein are true of his own knowledge, except such facts as are stated to be on information and belief, and as to such facts he believes them to be true.


Donald G. Everist
District of Columbia
Professional Engineer
Registration No. 5714

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of August, 2009.



Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 2/28/2013

Introduction

This engineering statement has been prepared on behalf of Red River Broadcast Co., LLC (“Red River”), licensee of KVRR(TV), Fargo, North Dakota, to accompany its request for license of DTV facilities for post-transition operation as authorized in the outstanding construction permit FCC File No. BPCDT-20080317AII.

KVRR(TV) was licensed to operate on NTSC television Channel 15 with a maximum visual ERP of 4170 kW and an antenna height above average terrain (“HAAT”) of 379 meters (1243.4 feet). In Appendix B of the revised DTV Table of Allotments¹, Red River had been allocated a post-transition DTV operation for KVRR-DT of 1000 kW directional ERP and an HAAT of 379 meters. Red River is authorized to construct post-transition DTV facilities for KVRR-DT of 1000 kW directional ERP at an HAAT of 379 meters

Transmitter Site

The KVRR-DT post-transition DTV antenna is side-mounted on an existing tower. The existing tower has a total overall structure height above ground of 335.5 meters (1100.7 feet). The existing transmitter is located 1.6 km North and 0.5 km East of the intersection of Highways 34 and 34, Tansem, MN.

There is no change in overall height and therefore an FAA aeronautical study is not required. The FCC antenna structure registration number of the existing tower is 1049364.

The geographic coordinates of the proposed site are as follows:

¹“In the Matter of Advanced Television Systems and Their Impact Upon the Existing Television Broadcast Service”, MM Docket 87-268, Memorandum Opinion and Order on Reconsideration of the Seventh Report and Order and Eighth Report and Order (FCC 08-72) Released March 6, 2008.

North Latitude: 46° 40' 29"

West Longitude: 96° 13' 40"

NAD-27

Equipment Data

Antenna: Dielectric, Type TFU-24DSC-R P290

Transmission Line: 353.6 meters (1160 ft) EIA/DCA Line 6-1/8"
75-ohm line, Attenuation 0.109 dB/100 ft.

Power Data

Transmitter Output	24.27 kW	13.85 dBk
Transmission Line Efficiency/Loss	74.8%	1.26 dB
Input Power to the Antenna	18.15 kW	12.59 dBk
Antenna Gain	55.1	17.41 dB
Effective Radiated Power	1000 kW	30.00 dBk

Elevation Data

Vertical dimension of side-mounted Channel 19 antenna	16.1 meters 52.8 feet
Overall height above ground of antenna structure (including appurtenances)	335.5 meters 1100.7 feet
Center of radiation of Channel 19 antenna above ground	324 meters 1063 feet
Elevation of site above mean sea level	443.2 meters 1454.1 feet

Center of radiation of Channel 19 antenna above mean sea level	767 meters 2516.4 feet
Overall height above mean sea level of tower (including beacon)	778.8 meters 2555.1 feet
Antenna height above average terrain	379 meters

Note: Slight height differences may result due to conversion to metric.

Section III - Engineering

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Ensure that the specifications below are accurate. Contradicting data found elsewhere in this application will be disregarded. All items must be completed. The response "on file" is not acceptable.

TECH BOX

1. Channel _____			
2. Operating Constants			
Transmitter power output (average power at input to transmission line, after any filter attached to the transmitter, if used)		Transmission line power loss	
kW		dBk	
dB		dB	
Antenna Input power	Maximum antenna power gain	Effective radiated power (average power)	
dBk	dB	kW	dBk
3. Antenna Data			
Manufacturer		Model	

NOTE: In addition to the information called for in the Certification Checklist, an explanatory exhibit providing full particulars must be submitted for each question for which a "No" response is provided.

CERTIFICATION

4. Main Studio Location. The main studio location complies with 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1125.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	See Explanation in Exhibit No.
5. Constructed Facility. The facility was constructed as authorized in the underlying construction permit or complies with 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1690.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	See Explanation in Exhibit No.
6. Special Operating Conditions. The facility was constructed in compliance with all special operating conditions, terms, and obligations described in the construction permit.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	See Explanation in Exhibit No.
An exhibit may be required. Review the underlying construction permit.		Exhibit No.
7. Transmitter. The transmitter complies with 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1660.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	See Explanation in Exhibit No.

PREPARER'S CERTIFICATION ON PAGE 6 MUST BE COMPLETED AND SIGNED.

APPLICATION FILED PURSUANT TO 47 C.F.R. SECTIONS 73.1675(c) or 73.1690(c).

Only applicants filing this application pursuant to 47 C.F.R. Sections 73.1675(c) or 73.1690(c) must complete the following

8. **Changing transmitter power output.** Is this application being filed to authorize a change in transmitter power output caused by the replacement of an omnidirectional antenna with another omnidirectional antenna or an alteration of the transmission line system? See 47 C.F.R. Sections 73.1690(c)(1) and (c)(10). ☐ Yes ☐ No

9. **Replacing a directional antenna.** Is this application being filed pursuant to 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1690(c)(3) to replace a directional antenna with another directional antenna? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes" to the above, the applicant certifies the following:

- a. **Pattern of Directional Antenna.** The proposed theoretical antenna pattern complies with 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1690(c)(3). **Exhibit is required.** ☐ Yes ☐ No

See Explanation in Exhibit No.

Exhibit No.

10. **Use a formerly licensed main facility as an auxiliary facility.** Is this application being filed pursuant to 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1675(c)(1) to request authorization to use a formerly licensed main facility as an auxiliary facility and/or change the ERP of the proposed auxiliary facility? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes" to the above, the applicant certifies the following:

- a. **Auxiliary antenna service area.** The proposed auxiliary facility complies with 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1675(a). **Exhibit is required.** ☐ Yes ☐ No

See Explanation in Exhibit No.

- b. **Environmental Protection Act.** The proposed facility is excluded from environmental processing under 47 C.F.R. Section 1.1306 (*i.e.*, the facility will not have a significant environmental impact and complies with the maximum permissible radiofrequency electromagnetic exposure limits for controlled and uncontrolled environments). ☐ Yes ☐ No

See Explanation in Exhibit No.

By checking "Yes" above, the applicant also certifies that it, in coordination with other users of the site, will reduce power or cease operation as necessary to protect persons having access to the site, tower or antenna from radiofrequency electromagnetic exposure in excess of FCC guidelines.

11. **Change the license status.** Is this application being filed pursuant to 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1690(c)(9) to change the license status from commercial to noncommercial or from noncommercial to commercial? ☐ Yes ☐ No

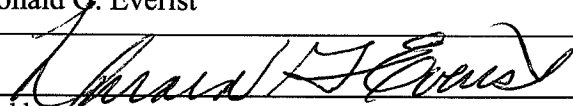
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If "Yes" to the above, submit an exhibit providing full particulars. For applications changing license status from commercial to noncommercial, include Section II of FCC Form 340 as an exhibit to this application.

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SECTION III PREPARER'S CERTIFICATION

I certify that I have prepared Section III (Engineering Data) on behalf of the applicant, and that after such preparation, I have examined and found it to be accurate and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Name Donald G. Everist		Relationship to Applicant (e.g., Consulting Engineer) Consulting Engineer	
Signature 		Date August 19, 2009	
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AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. CODE, TITLE 47, SECTION 503).