

## **EXHIBIT 21**

### **Request for Special Temporary Authorization for Reduced Power and Emergency Antenna Operation**

NCE Station WPNE-TV, Green Bay, WI

Facility ID: 18798 / FRN: 0002711455

Pursuant to Sections 73.1560(d) and 73.1635 of the FCC's Rules, the State of Wisconsin – Educational Communications Board ("ECB"), licensee of noncommercial digital television Station WPNE-TV, Green Bay, Wisconsin, respectfully requests Special Temporary Authorization ("STA") for operation on a temporary standby antenna at reduced ERP to facilitate repairs to the main antenna system. In addition, to the extent necessary, ECB provides notice of impending operation with the proposed facilities pursuant to the emergency antenna provisions of Section 73.1680 of the FCC's Rules. As explained below, the reduced height and power operation with the temporary antenna is needed to maintain service to the public while ECB pursues repairs following damage to WPNE-TV's main antenna.

ECB previously notified the FCC of WPNE-TV's reduced power operation and applied for STA (File # BDSTA-20100217AAI) due to transmission line equipment failures and to accommodate repairs to the station's antenna system. ECB has subsequently maintained WPNE-TV operation at 25% power (50kW ERP) on the authorized antenna system while the damaged antenna system was evaluated and a plan was put into place for repairs. Repairs will commence on approximately April 29, 2010, and will require WPNE-TV to temporarily operate at further-reduced power (5% / 10kW ERP) from a temporary antenna at a substantially lower elevation than the main antenna (152m AGL vs. 325m AGL), as specified in this application.

ECB estimates that the main antenna system repairs will take between 10 and 30 days, after which ECB anticipates return to full power operation from WPNE-TV's main antenna system.

A grant of STA will serve the public interest by allowing ECB to maintain the station's existing noncommercial educational DTV operation and programming for viewers in its local community despite the damage to the authorized main antenna and until the facility repairs can be completed. ECB is a state agency committed to ensuring that public television (and radio) programs and services are made available throughout Wisconsin, and that these programs and services reflect and respond to the educational and cultural needs of the state's residents.

ECB is a noncommercial educational licensee and it operates WPNE-TV on a noncommercial educational basis. Moreover, ECB qualifies as a governmental entity. ECB is therefore exempt from FCC filing fee requirements, pursuant to Section 1.1114 of the Commission's rules, and the facility is exempt from FCC regulatory fees, pursuant to Section 1.1162 of the Rules.