

Exhibit 25 - Statement A
NATURE OF THE PROPOSAL
ALLOCATION CONSIDERATIONS
prepared for
Citadel Broadcasting Company
WHWK(FM) Binghamton, New York
Facility ID 72373
Ch. 251B 6.7 kW 395 m

Nature of the Proposal

Citadel Broadcasting Company (“*Citadel*”) is the licensee of radio station WHWK(FM), Ch. 251B, Binghamton, New York. (FCC File Number BLH-19990715KA, Facility ID 72373). WHWK presently operates with 10.0 kW effective radiated power (“ERP”) with an antenna height of 290 meters above average terrain (“AAT”). The instant application seeks to change the WHWK transmitter location, ERP and antenna height above average terrain (“HAAT”). Additionally, the instant application proposes the use of a directional antenna for WHWK, as detailed in **Table I** and **Figure 1**. The changes specified herein are required in order to relocate co-owned WBSX(FM) (Ch. 250B, Hazleton, Pennsylvania) and should be considered prior to reviewing the WBSX application which is being concurrently filed.

Allocation Considerations

The licensed WHWK facility is fully spaced pursuant to section 73.207 of the Commission’s Rules with the exception of the following radio stations.

WBSX ¹	Hazleton, PA	Channel 250B
WOGL-FM	Philadelphia, PA	Channel 251B

As detailed in **Table II**, WHWK has remained continuously short spaced to these stations since prior to November 16, 1964. Thus, WHWK is “grandfathered” under the provisions of §73.213(a).

The proposed WHWK transmitter site is 0.56 kilometers east-northeast of the licensed WHWK facility. The location of the proposed site is:

42° 03' 40" North Latitude
75° 56' 45" West Longitude
Antenna Registration Number: 1026974

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The proposed WHWK transmitter site is presently 108.47 km distant from the licensed site of first-adjacent WBSX(FM)(Ch 250B, Hazleton, PA), which represents a short-spacing of 60.53 km of the required 169 km. As shown below and in **Figure 2**, mutual interference is now predicted to exist between these “grandfathered” short-spaced stations.

In a concurrently-filed application, WBSX proposes to relocate to a different site and utilize a directional antenna that will suppress power toward the proposed WHWK protected contour. The proposed WBSX transmitter site will reduce the distance to the proposed WHWK site by 10.91 kilometers. Similarly, WHWK proposes the use of a directional antenna with power suppression toward the WBSX protected contour. As is shown in **Figure 3** and detailed below, the net changes proposed for WHWK and WBSX are predicted to reduce interference area and population within the protected contours of both stations, as required by §73.213(a)(2).

<u>Description</u>	<u>Present Interference Area, Population</u>	<u>Proposed Interference Area / Population</u>
WBSX Interference to WHWK	1,061 sq. km, 23,407 people	1045 sq. km, 20,599 people
WHWK Interference to WBSX	985 sq. km, 79,237 people	938 sq. km, 31,775 people
Total Interference	2046 sq. km, 102,644 people	1983 sq. km, 52,374 people

A “grandfathered” short spacing situation also exists between WHWK and WOGL-FM (Ch. 251B, Philadelphia, PA)². However, no prohibited contour overlap is predicted to exist between WOGL-FM and either the licensed or the proposed WHWK facility. Thus, no “new” interference will result, and the proposal complies with §73.213(a).

Alternative Services in New Interference Areas

In spite of the net reductions in interference, there are some areas in which new interference is predicted. As detailed in **Figure 4** and **Figure 5**, these areas (shown by yellow shading) will be

² WOGL-FM is presently authorized (Construction Permit File Number BPH-20020909AAE) to relocate to coordinates 0.04 km farther from both the licensed and proposed WHWK facilities. Similarly, the instant application proposes to relocate to a site WHWK 0.14 km farther from both the licensed and permitted WOGL facilities.

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served by numerous other AM and FM stations. Thus, new areas of predicted interference will continue to receive adequate aural service as required by §73.213(2) of the Commission's Rules.

AM Facilities

Station WNB(AM)³ operates a directional antenna system within 3.2 kilometers of the proposed WHWK transmitter site. Station WNB(AM) employs a directional antenna system at night. No other AM facilities are within 3.2 kilometers of the proposed WHWK support structure.

As required, tower de-tuning apparatus will be installed and adjusted to assure proper operation of the WNB(AM) antenna system. Prior to and upon completion of construction, a set of pertinent field strength measurements will be made to demonstrate proper operation of the WNB(AM) antenna system.

It is thus believed that the facility proposed herein will satisfy all of the pertinent Commission Rules and Policies now in effect regarding allocation matters and contour protection.

³ Citadel is also the licensee of WNB(AM).

TABLE I
ANTENNA HORIZONTAL PLANE RADIATION PATTERN
 prepared for
Citadel Broadcasting Company
 WHWK(FM) Binghamton, New York
 Facility ID 72373
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Relative Field	Bearing (Degrees True N)	Relative Field	Bearing (Degrees True N)
0	1.000	180	0.400
10	1.000	190	0.450
20	1.000	200	0.510
30	1.000	210	0.570
40	1.000	220	0.680
50	1.000	230	0.800
60	1.000	240	0.910
70	1.000	250	1.000
80	1.000	260	1.000
90	1.000	270	1.000
100	1.000	280	1.000
110	1.000	290	1.000
120	0.910	300	1.000
130	0.800	310	1.000
140	0.680	320	1.000
150	0.570	330	1.000
160	0.510	340	1.000
170	0.450	350	1.000

Table II - Allocations History
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WHWK Location Since	11/05/1956		08/10/1965		02/16/2000		Proposed	
Date/Location Source	FCC 302		FCC 302		FCC 302		FCC 302	
Latitude / Longitude	42-03-33.5	75-57-06	42-03-34	75-57-06	42-03-31	75-57-06	42-03-40	75-56-45

Co-Channel Pre '1964 Shortspacing							Distance		Distance		Distance		Distance	
Beginning Date	Source	Call	Facility ID	Latitude	Longitude	Channel	Actual	Req'd	Actual	Req'd	Actual	Req'd	Actual	Req'd
1941	FCC	WCAU-FM	9622					241		241		241		241
10/05/1954	FCC 302	WCAU-FM	9622	40-02-36	75-14-12	251B	231.81	241	231.82	241	231.74	241	231.88	241
02/16/1973	FCC 302	WOGL-FM	9622	40-02-31	75-14-11	251B	231.96	241	231.98	241	231.89	241	232.03	241
CP	FCC	WOGL-FM	9622	40-02-29.6	75-14-11.4	251B	232	241	232.02	241	231.93	241	232.07	241

1st ADJACENT Pre '1964 Shortspacing							Distance		Distance		Distance		Distance	
Beginning Date	Source	Call	Facility ID	Latitude	Longitude	Channel	Actual	Req'd	Actual	Req'd	Actual	Req'd	Actual	Req'd
01/02/1952	FCC	WAZL-FM	133	40-56-24	75-58-04	250B	124.32	169	124.33	169	124.24	169	124.53	169
05/12/1986	FCC 302	WWSH	133	41-04-55	75-56-55	250B	108.55	169	108.56	169	108.47	169	108.75	169
Proposed			133	41-10-56	75-52-22	250B	97.63	169	97.65	169	97.56	169	97.80	169

1964 to Present, The required separation between Class B and Co-Channel Class B stations has been 241 km*.

1964 to Present, The required separation between Class B and 1st Adjacent Class B stations has been 169 km*.

1964 to 1983, The required separation between Class B and 3rd Adjacent Class B stations was 64 km*.

1983 to Present, The required separation between Class B and 3rd Adjacent Class B stations has been 74 km*.

1964 to 1989, The required separation between Class B and 1st Adjacent Class A stations was 105 km*.

1989 to Present, The required separation between Class B and 1st Adjacent Class A stations has been 113 km*.

*When Rounded to the Nearest Kilometer

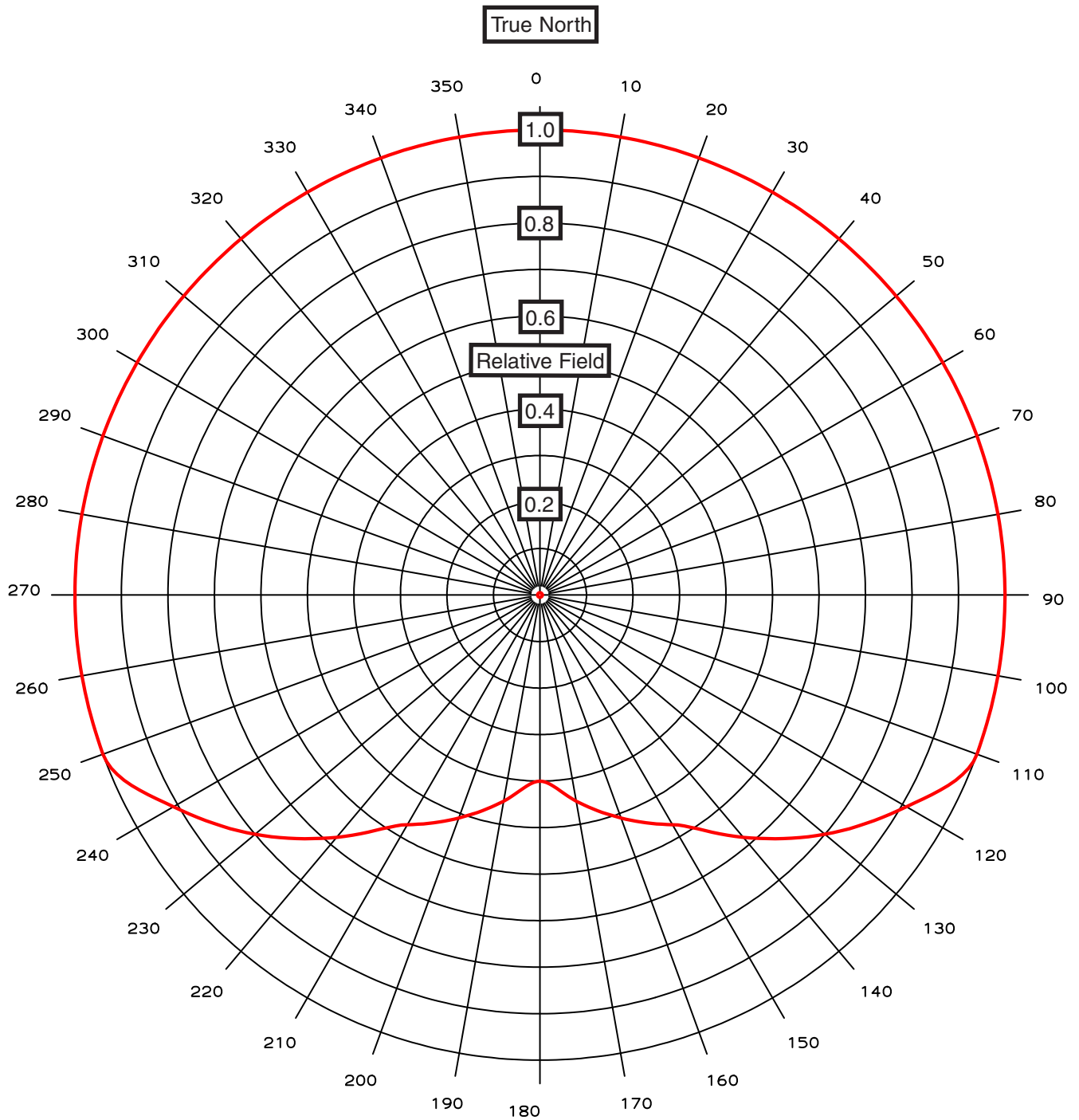


FIGURE 1
ANTENNA HORIZONTAL PLANE
RADIATION PATTERN
WHWK(FM) BINGHAMTON, NEW YORK
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FIGURE 2
EXISTING INTERFERENCE
WBSX(FM) Ch. 250B HAZELTON, PENNSYLVANIA
WHWK(FM) Ch. 251B BINGHAMTON, NEW YORK

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Licensed WHWK(FM)
48 dBu (50,10)
54 dBu F(50,50)
Site

Licensed WBSX(FM)
48 dBu (50,10)
54 dBu F(50,50)
Site

Predicted Interference:		
	Land Area (sq km)	1,061
	Population (2000 Census)	23,407
	Land Area (sq km)	984
	Population (2000 Census)	79,237

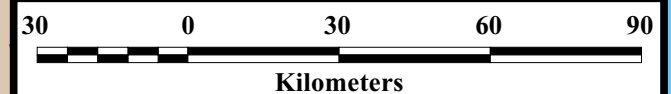






FIGURE 3
PROPOSED INTERFERENCE
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Predicted Interference:		
	Land Area (sq km)	1,045
	Population (2000 Census)	20,599
	Land Area (sq km)	938
	Population (2000 Census)	31,775

