

**EXHIBIT 49**  
**ENVIRONMENTAL AND RADIO FREQUENCY EXPOSURE STATEMENT**  
**MEREDITH CORPORATION**  
**MINOR CHANGE IN LICENSED FACILITY BLCDT20041029AIL**  
**WFSB, HARTFORD, CT**  
**CH 33, 1000 KW-ND, 160.3 MTR AGL**

The proposed modification of WFSB licensed facility BLCDT20041029AIL will not involve any changes to the current tower location. The proposed non-directional antenna will simply replace the current directional antenna and, therefore, will not result in any environmental impact.

The proposed operation was evaluated using Far-Field Equation (1) on page 30 of Supplement A to OET Bulletin No. 65 (August 1997). The ERP utilized in the calculations was set to the maximum ERP of 1000 kW as shown in the "Tech Box" portion of FCC Form 301. A conservative minimum elevation-plane antenna relative field value ["F" in Equation (1)] of 0.20 was used in the calculations. The maximum calculated power density at 2 meters above ground was found to be 15.28% of the public MPE limit applicable to the frequency of the proposed operation.

The total contribution of all nearby, existing and the proposed facilities was also evaluated in terms of potential radio frequency (RF) energy exposure at ground level to workers and the general public. Total contribution was calculated to be within the allowable exposure limit for both workers and the general public.

Access to the transmitting tower and any radio frequency generating equipment is restricted and appropriately marked with warning signs. In the event that workers or other authorized personnel enter restricted areas or climb the tower, appropriate measures will be taken to assure worker safety with respect to radio frequency radiation exposure. Such measures include reducing the average exposure by spreading out the work over a longer period of time, wearing "accepted" RFR protective clothing and/or RFR exposure monitors or scheduling work when the stations are at reduced power or shut down.

