

POWER DENSITY CALCULATION  
PROPOSED WPGD-DT  
CHANNEL 51 – HENDERSONVILLE, TENNESSEE  
[MODIFICATION OF BPCDT-19991101AHR]

Since the FCC considers the possible biological effects of RF transmissions in its environmental determinations, we have studied the matter with respect to this Hendersonville facility. Employing the methods set forth in *OET Bulletin No. 65* and considering a main-lobe effective radiated power of 264 kw, an effective antenna height of 364 meters above ground, and the vertical pattern of the Andrew antenna, maximum power density two meters above ground of  $0.00015 \text{ mw/cm}^2$  is calculated to occur 97 meters south of the base of the tower. Since this is less than 0.1 percent of the  $0.46 \text{ mw/cm}^2$  reference for uncontrolled environments (areas with public access) surrounding a facility operating on Channel 51 (692-698 MHz), a grant of this proposal may be considered a minor environmental action with respect to public exposure to nonionizing electromagnetic radiation.

Further, the station owner will take whatever precautionary steps are necessary, such as reducing power or leaving the air temporarily, to ensure that workers operating in the vicinity of the antenna are not exposed to excessive nonionizing radiation.