

Exhibit 24 - Statement A
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ALLOCATION CONSIDERATIONS

prepared for
New Northwest Broadcasters, LLC
KIJ-FM Walla Walla, Washington
Facility ID 77777

Ch. 256C1 100 kW 225 m

New Northwest Broadcasters, LLC (“*NNB*”) is the licensee of KIJ-FM, Ch. 256C2 in Walla Walla, WA. KIJ-FM is currently licensed to operate with an effective radiated power (“ERP”) of 29 kW at an antenna height above average terrain (“HAAT”) of 190 meters. *NNB* seeks to upgrade the KIJ-FM operation by requesting authorization for a “one step” upgrade to Class C1 status. Under the instant proposal KIJ-FM will operate with an ERP of 100 kilowatts and an antenna HAAT of 225 meters. No change in site location is proposed herein.

The proposed KIJ-FM facility meets the minimum distance separation requirements of Section 73.207 of the Commission’s Rules with respect to all other stations, allotments, and proposals, as contained within the Commission’s CDBS database, except for a Rulemaking proposal for Channel 256C3 at The Dalles, OR. This proposed allotment of Channel 256C3 at The Dalles, OR was modified to specify a Channel 268C3 in MM Docket 96-12¹ and therefore should be disregarded as it is no longer relevant.

The principal community of Walla Walla is encompassed by the proposed KIJ-FM 70 dB μ coverage contour. The attached **Exhibit 24 - Figure 1** supplies a coverage contour map for the proposed KIJ-FM facility.

The “one step” upgrade allotment coordinates are identical to the KIJ-FM proposed site coordinates specified herein. The proposed site is located over 320 km from the U.S. - Canadian boarder, so no international coordination is required. The nearest FCC monitoring station is 443 km distant at Ferndale, WA. This exceeds by a great margin the threshold minimum distance specified in §73.1030(c)(3). There are no AM broadcast stations within 3.2 km

¹ *Amendment of Section 73.202(b), FM Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (The Dalles and Corvallis, Oregon)*, MM Docket 96-12, DA 98-612, released April 3, 1998 and reaffirmed in FCC 04-118, released May 27, 2004.

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(2 miles) of the proposed site according to information extracted from the Commission's engineering database.

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

