

[Exhibit 12]

## **Non-Interference Compliance**

Regarding Facility id 153127

Channel 208

### **Description of Exhibit 12 Contents**

This exhibit demonstrates that the proposed facility complies with contour overlap and interference protection provisions in all of the applicable rule sections and that this application for a construction permit is in full compliance with 47 C.F.R. § 74.1204.

**Let it be noted that should any actual real world interference occur, the applicant acknowledges that it will promptly suspend operation of this translator in accordance with 47 C.F.R. § 74.1203.**

Page 2 of this exhibit is an explanation of the method used to demonstrate compliance with contour overlap and interference provisions based on 47 C.F.R. § 74.1204(d), which states:

*[A]n application otherwise precluded by this section will be accepted if it can be demonstrated that no actual interference will occur due to intervening terrain, lack of population or such other factors as may be applicable.*

Page 3 contains a tabulation of the vertical radiation pattern of the proposed antenna and the minimum ground clearance of the interfering contour based on this pattern.

Page 4 includes a tabulation of the vertical radiation pattern for the proposed antenna provided by the antenna manufacturer.

Page 5 of this exhibit contains the tabulated data from the interference analysis, which shows all stations whose protected contours come within 50 km of the 34 dBμ F(50,10) contour of the proposed translator. These tabulated values were calculated using data from the FCC's CDBS files and 30 arc second terrain data. The column labeled "Adj" shows the number of channels difference between the entry and the proposed translator. The column labeled "Dist" shows the distance in km. The column labeled "Overlap" shows the area of contour overlap in square kilometers.

Page 6 of this exhibit is a portion of a USGS 1:24,000 scale 7.5 minute quadrangle at full scale with the calculated area of interference overlaid. The sheet includes the quadrangle name and measurement scale at the bottom-left corner (note: "Mt" refers to meters). The area of interference was calculated using the free space equation and 120 radials.

## Compliance with 47 C.F.R. § 74.1204(d)

All authorized second and third adjacent stations with which the proposed translator has contour overlap are tabulated below. Column four show the station's signal level at the proposed translator's tower site, and column five gives the minimum value within the entire standard interfering contour of the proposed translator (100 dB $\mu$  for most classes, 94 for class B, 97 for class B1). The minimum second or third adjacent F(50,50) contour within the proposed translator's standard interfering contour was used to calculate the proposed translator's actual "worst-case" interfering contour.

<b>Application_id</b>	<b>File Number</b>	<b>Callsign</b>	<b>Contour at Tower</b>	<b>Min. Contour</b>
1257953	BLED20080827AAD	WWNO	106.1	104.7
1302095	BLED20090402AHG	WBSN-FM	96.4	94.4

Minimum F(50,50) Contour of Adjacent Station within  
Proposed Translator's Standard Interfering Contour **94.4**

FCC 02-244 at Section II.A.5 states that "when demonstrating that 'no actual interference will occur due to . . . other factors,' pursuant to Section 74.1204(d), an applicant may use the undesired-to-desired signal ratio method." The undesired-to-desired ratio for second and third adjacent stations required by § 74.1204(a) is 40 dB. Since the minimum protected contour strength within the proposed translator's standard interference contour is **94.4 dB $\mu$** , this makes the proposed translator's worst-case interfering contour **134.4 dB $\mu$** . By the free-space equation, this contour is calculated to extend a maximum of **12 m** from the transmit antenna.

The maximum horizontal plane of the interfering contour was calculated for 120 radials and plotted on the pertinent portion of a USGS quadrangle (page 6 of this exhibit). However, the field strength of the proposed translator's antenna varies with angle of depression from horizontal. The antenna relative fields are tabulated on the following page at 5 degree increments, starting at 5 degrees below horizontal. Antenna relative field strength data was provided and certified by the manufacturer of the proposed antenna. Using a free-space calculation that neglects any loss due to reflection, the vertical ground clearance of the proposed translator's interference contour has been tabulated. As shown on the following page, the area of interference clears the tower ground level (TGL) by **40.7 m** at the lowest point. The applicant has taken into account USGS quadrangles and relevant aerial photography in stating that no structures, except possibly tower support structures, puncture the area of interference. Hence, in accordance with 47 C.F.R. § 74.1204(d) and the clarification provided by the FCC in the decision *Re: Living Way Ministries* (FCC 02-244), a lack of population has been demonstrated within the area of interference and this application is therefore in full compliance with 47 C.F.R. § 74.1204.

**Antenna Manufacturer:**       **NIC**  
**Antenna Model:**           **BKG77**  
**CORAGL:**                   **46 m**  
**Maximum ERP:**           **0.08 kW**  
**Interfering Contour:**       **134.4 dB $\mu$**   
**Max Int. Contour Distance:** **12 m**  
**Min Ground Clearance:**   **40.7 m**

Depression Angle Below Horizontal	Antenna Relative Field	ERP (watts)	Distance to Interfering Contour from Antenna (m)	Horizontal Distance of Interfering Contour from Tower (m)	Vertical Clearance of Interfering Contour above TGL (m)
5	.999	79.8	11.9	11.9	45.0
10	.982	77.1	11.7	11.6	44.0
15	.954	72.8	11.4	11.0	43.0
20	.918	67.4	11.0	10.3	42.2
25	.871	60.7	10.4	9.4	41.6
30	.818	53.5	9.8	8.5	41.1
35	.758	46.0	9.1	7.4	40.8
40	.691	38.2	8.3	6.3	40.7
45	.616	30.4	7.4	5.2	40.8
50	.538	23.2	6.4	4.1	41.1
55	.465	17.3	5.6	3.2	41.4
60	.391	12.2	4.7	2.3	42.0
65	.313	7.8	3.7	1.6	42.6
70	.239	4.6	2.9	1.0	43.3
75	.176	2.5	2.1	0.5	44.0
80	.128	1.3	1.5	0.3	44.5
85	.103	0.8	1.2	0.1	44.8
90	.105	0.9	1.3	0.0	44.7
Minimum Clearance above TGL:					<b>40.7 m</b>



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<b>Vertical</b>	-66	0.297	54	0.479	174	0.468
<b>Values</b>	-63	0.345	57	0.436	177	0.479
-180	0.487	-60	0.391	60	0.391	
-177	0.478	-57	0.436	63	0.345	
-174	0.467	-54	0.479	66	0.297	
-171	0.460	-51	0.523	69	0.253	
-168	0.454	-48	0.568	72	0.211	
-165	0.447	-45	0.616	75	0.176	
-162	0.439	-42	0.661	78	0.145	
-159	0.429	-39	0.706	81	0.120	
-156	0.419	-36	0.745	84	0.105	
-153	0.402	-33	0.783	87	0.100	
-150	0.385	-30	0.818	90	0.105	
-147	0.369	-27	0.852	93	0.118	
-144	0.359	-24	0.881	96	0.134	
-141	0.350	-21	0.910	99	0.151	
-138	0.338	-18	0.934	102	0.168	
-135	0.326	-15	0.954	105	0.185	
-132	0.314	-12	0.972	108	0.202	
-129	0.303	-9	0.987	111	0.219	
-126	0.290	-6	0.999	114	0.236	
-123	0.278	-3	0.999	117	0.252	
-120	0.265	0	1.000	120	0.265	
-117	0.251	3	0.999	123	0.278	
-114	0.236	6	0.999	126	0.290	
-111	0.218	9	0.987	129	0.304	
-108	0.202	12	0.972	132	0.314	
-105	0.185	15	0.954	135	0.327	
-102	0.168	18	0.934	138	0.338	
-99	0.151	21	0.910	141	0.350	
-96	0.134	24	0.881	144	0.360	
-93	0.118	27	0.852	147	0.370	
-90	0.105	30	0.818	150	0.386	
-87	0.100	33	0.783	153	0.403	
-84	0.105	36	0.745	156	0.420	
-81	0.120	39	0.706	159	0.430	
-78	0.145	42	0.661	162	0.440	
-75	0.176	45	0.616	165	0.448	
-72	0.211	48	0.568	168	0.455	
-69	0.253	51	0.523	171	0.461	

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**Adjacent Channel Study  
For Station K261DN, Facility\_id: 153127**

**Co-channel through third adjacent:**

Application_id	Facility_id	Prefix	ARN	Call	Licensee	Class	City	State	Status	ERP	RCAMSL	Channel	Adj	Dist	Overlap
1224906	173836	BNPED	20071019ACY	NEW	PUBLIC URBAN DIGITAL BROADCASTING	C2	LACOMBE	LA	APP	36	119	208	0	65.4	1.996
1302095	53677	BLED	20090402AHG	WBSN-FM	PROVIDENCE EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION, INC.	C3	NEW ORLEANS	LA	LIC	11	134	206	2	4.7	0.4774
1257953	38607	BLED	20080827AAD	WWNO	LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY AND A & M COLLE	C1	NEW ORLEANS	LA	LIC	35	300	210	2	4.7	0.4774
1257207	53677	BSTA	20080716ADF	WBSN-FM	PROVIDENCE EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION, INC.	C2	NEW ORLEANS	LA	APP	3.6	229	206	2	4.7	0.4774
1086993	53677	BSTA	20051012AAP	WBSN-FM	PROVIDENCE EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION, INC.	C2	NEW ORLEANS	LA	APP	5	134	206	2	4.7	0.4774
1213502	175782	BNPED	20071022BAP	NEW	NEW HORIZON CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP	C2	PEARLINGTON	MS	APP	60	109	208	0	65.4	0.0299
1277465	137325	BNPED	20071012AFY	NEW	AMOR VIVIENTE, INC.	A	HOUMA	LA	APP	2	53	208	0	70.5	0
1205338	172701	BNPED	20071016ABS	NEW	CRISIS PREGNANCY HELP CENTER OF SLIDELL	C3	ABITA SPRINGS	LA	APP	16.72	142	208	0	78.1	0
1213170	175550	BNPED	20071018BDD	NEW	COVENANT NETWORK	A	HOUMA	LA	APP	6	50	208	0	81.1	0
1203897	172456	BNPED	20071012AJX	NEW	PROVIDENCE EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION, INC.	A	BOGALUSA	LA	APP	2.1	64	208	0	82.2	0
1280668	173330	BNPED	20071016AFL	KUHN	UNITED HOUMA NATION, INC.	C3	GOLDEN MEADOW	LA	CP	11	49	207	1	84.8	0
1219484	93746	BMAPE	20071018AKY	KRLH	EDUCATIONAL MEDIA FOUNDATION	C3	ABITA SPRINGS	LA	APP	17	138	208	0	85.7	0
1208278	173154	BNPED	20071017AKJ	NEW	PORT ALLEN EDUCATIONAL BROADCASTING FOI	A	HOUMA	LA	APP	2.2	57	205	3	86	0
1204497	172552	BNPED	20071015AGA	NEW	UNITED HOUMA NATION, INC.	C3	CHAUVIN	LA	APP	10	52	205	3	87.4	0
1220782	176265	BNPED	20071019ABN	NEW	FRIENDS OF RADIO MARIA, INC.	A	THIBOEUX	LA	APP	0.8	70	205	3	92.8	0
163069	53834	BLED	19910718KA	WRKF	PUBLIC RADIO INC.	C1	BATON ROUGE	LA	LIC	28	292	207	1	124.8	0



Facility id: 153127;  
Area of Interference;