

AMEND BPH-20030702AAE
RADIO STATESBORO, INC.
WMCD (FM) RADIO STATION
CH 261C1 - 100.1 MHZ - 84.0 KW
RINCON, GEORGIA
October 2003

TECHNICAL STATEMENT

This Technical Statement and attached exhibits are prepared on behalf of Radio Statesboro, Inc. (“RSI”), licensee of WMCD (FM) Channel 261C2, Statesboro, Georgia. In MM Docket #01-177, the community of license for WMCD was changed from Statesboro to Rincon, Georgia, and the class of the station was upgraded to Channel 261C1. In BPH-20030702AAE, RSI proposed to implement the change in community of license, upgrade the WMCD facility and make other minor changes. This instant amendment proposes to relocate WMCD to an alternate site. At the originally proposed site, the Federal Aviation Administration (“FAA”) would not issue a Determination of No Hazard for the requested height of tower. The new location has already been reviewed by the FAA and a Determination of No Hazard has been issued for the proposed structure. Further, the tower has been registered with the FCC and assigned Antenna Structure Registration number 1240725.

From the proposed WMCD site, the facility does not provide the requisite city grade signal over all of Rincon, Georgia, using the Commission’s standard method of predicting city grade coverage. We have, however, determined that, using an alternate method of depicting city grade coverage, the proposed WMCD will provide the required city grade coverage to Rincon. Attached, as Exhibit A, is a demonstration this proposal complies with §73.315(a) of the Commission’s rules.

Further, at the proposed site, WMCD on Channel 261C1 does not meet the minimum distance separation requirements to two other existing facilities and one proposed allotment, therefore, processing pursuant to §73.215 is requested (see Exhibit B for details). All other necessary documentation used to certify the technical portion of FCC Form 301 has been forwarded to the applicant and is available for submission to the Commission upon request.