

Auxiliary Main Modification

KUDD 107.9 FM

Simmons-SLC, LS, LLC. Licensee of KUDD is requesting a modification of licensed facility BXLH-20090414AGQ as it prepares to move its current facilities to fulfill construction permit BMPH-20140206AJU. As such the Commission is requiring a modification to bring the facility into compliance with Section 73.1675 (a) (1). The follow is the documentation of compliance being submitted with the 302-FM application for license.

The following will demonstrate new compliance for KUDD's auxiliary main. Exhibit #1 shows the new operating parameters for transmitter power output calculations, antenna type, model, etc.

Exhibit #1

KUDD Auxiliary Main

Transmitter Power Output Calculations

This exhibit has been included to explain the basis for the transmitter power output utilized to achieve the authorized effective radiated power 2.1 kW. The antenna system consists of a circularly polarized Shively 6016/2 Antenna. The antenna has a power gain of 6.089 at 107.9 MHz. Therefore, an antenna input power of 345 watts is required to achieve 2.1 kW ERP.

To get the signal from the transmitter to the antenna, it must pass through 7 meters of Andrew HJ4-50 (1/2") transmission line (0.22 dB loss), a Jampro RCCC.8 Balanced Combiner (0.8 dB loss), and 30 meters of Andrew HJ7-50 (1 5/8") transmission line (0.24 dB loss). Total insertion losses encountered between the transmitter and antenna are 1.17 dB yielding an efficiency of 74.89%. Therefore, a power of 461 watts is required at the transmitter output to achieve the authorized effective radiated power.

PO Calculations:

Effective Radiated Power

----- = TPO

(Antenna Power Gain * Feed System Efficiency)

2.1 kW

----- = **0.461 kW TPO**

(6.089 * 74.89%)

Exhibit #2 shows the new contour for the auxiliary main for KUDD within the 60 dbu contour of the main facility. The new ERP for the auxiliary will be 2.1kw with an azimuth of 130 degrees. This will bring the auxiliary main into compliance as requested in the CP by the commission.

