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Request for STA

KTTO(AM) Facility ID: 38492
Spokane, Washington

Sacred Heart Radio, Inc. ("Sacred Heart"), licensee of KTTO(AM), has completed construction of the modified facilities authorized by Construction Permit BP-20150819AAQ, and is currently operating with the modified facilities per §73.1615(b)(6).

Sacred Heart has elected to file a method of moments proof of performance rather than a traditional measurement based proof of performance with their application for license to cover the Construction Permit. The moment method model has been completed, and the nighttime array has been adjusted to the parameters determined by the model.

Sacred Heart has since been issued Construction Permit BPFT-20160729ACA, which authorizes installation of an FM translator antenna on one of the KTTO towers. Furthermore, Sacred Heart is in negotiations with the licensee of another AM station to allow this station to diplex on the KTTO antenna system. Either or both of these additions will require the moment method model to be revised.

Rather than file Form 302 with a proof that will need to be amended in the near future, we propose to delay filing of the application for license until these additions to the KTTO antenna system are complete, and a "final" version of the moment method model can be completed.

Sacred Heart therefore requests STA for a period of 180 days to operate with the facilities authorized by BP-20150819AAQ, with the antenna monitor parameters determined by the moment method proof.

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