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Exhibit #9

Statement of Certifying Engineer

I hereby affirm that:

I am a Certified Radio Broadcast Engineer by the Society of Broadcast Engineers.

I have been employed in the Radio Broadcast Industry since 1984.

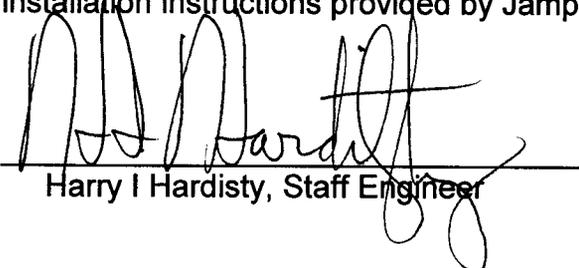
I am employed by Broadcast Works, an engineering firm specializing in broadcast facilities and have been so employed since 1997.

Broadcast Works was employed by East Texas Media Association, Inc, licensee of KBJs, to certify whether or not their antenna is installed according to the manufacture's instructions and my assignment was to make that determination.

Radio station KBJs had purchased and installed a Jampro JADP-2/2, with cavities of six and eight feet. According to Jampro's installation instructions, the six foot cavities were to have a bearing of 26 degrees and the eight foot cavities a bearing of 221 degrees, from true north.

To verify that the correct cavities were mounted in the correct direction, Kristopher Morgan, of Affiliated Surveyors, Inc., Rusk, Texas, surveyed the correct headings to which the antenna cavities should be pointing (exhibit 9A). As a result of his work, I am personally satisfied that this antenna is oriented according to the installation instructions provided by Jampro.

Next, a climber, from the CD Threlkeld Tower Company, inspected the antenna to determine if the phasing lines had been correctly installed. Based upon the climber's observations, I am convinced that the phasing lines were installed according to the installation instructions provided by Jampro.


Harry I Hardisty, Staff Engineer

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