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**Request for Clarification of Main Studio Location Waivers**

Noncommercial Educational Station KLNK(FM), Panaca, NV (FIN: 48350)  
Noncommercial Educational Station KTPH(FM), Tonopah, NV (FIN: 48356)  
FCC Registration Number: 0005373659

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On behalf of Nevada Public Radio ("NPR"), we hereby request a formal confirmation of waiver of Section 73.1125 of the FCC's Rules for the main studio location of noncommercial educational Stations KLNK(FM), Panaca, Nevada and KTPH(FM), Tonopah, Nevada.

Due to changes in FCC rules and procedures, the KLNK and KTPH licenses do not currently reflect the station's authorized satellite/repeater status, nor their consolidated main studio location. NPR recently became aware of this discrepancy in the process of preparing a proposal to modify station KLNK's facilities, and accordingly requests formal confirmation of their satellite and main studio status at this time. Stations KLNK and KTPH operate as repeaters of NPR's network hub stations KNPR-FM and KCVN(FM) in Las Vegas, Nevada, and formalization of their main studio waivers is required in order for their authorizations to reflect the main studio location shared with KNPR and KCVN in Las Vegas.

From the time of their initial licensing (KTPH in 1989 and KLNK in 1991), stations KTPH and KLNK have operated as satellite repeater stations of NPR's flagship station KNPR, and now repeat KNPR's news programming during the day and KCVN's classical music at night. Prior to the commencement of operation of each station, NPR obtained waivers of the FCC's unattended operation rules then in place under former 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1680 (see