

Request for Special Temporary Authority

Geos Communications ("Licensee"), the licensee of FM translator station W233BL, 94.5 MHz, Dushore, Pennsylvania (FIN 141461) and the licensee of AM station WEMR(AM), 1460 kHz, Tunkhannock, PA (FIN 19563), hereby requests that the Commission grant special temporary authority for W233BL to rebroadcast WEMR(AM), consistent with footnote 19 of the Commission's Notice of Proposed Rule Making in "In re Amendment of Service and Eligibility Rules for FM Broadcast Translator Stations", MB Docket No. 07-172, RM-11338, FCC 07-144, released August 15, 2007 ("STA").

The grant of this STA request will serve the public interest by permitting the Licensee to provide fill-in service within the WEMR(AM) service area. The use of W233BL to rebroadcast WEMR(AM) will permit the Licensee to provide improved service within the coverage area for WEMR(AM), particularly during the nighttime hours when WEMR(AM) operates with 1000 watts and a tight directional pattern. This nighttime service should improve the currently weak service to Dushore and Satterfield, Pennsylvania. In accordance with the amended rules proposed in the above-referenced rule making docket, attached is a contour study showing that the 60 dBu contour of W233BL is within the 2 mV/m groundwave contour of WEMR(AM) as well as within the 25 mile radius around the WEMR(AM) transmitter site. Geos Communications is the Licensee of W233BL, Dushore and thus can rebroadcast its own station WEMR, Tunkhannock. W233BL also has a Construction Permit (BPFT-20081120AAA) that has yet to be built. Included in the attached contour study showing is the 60 dBu contour of this W233BL Construction Permit which is also within the 2 mV/m groundwave contour of WEMR(AM) as well as within the 25 mile radius around the WEMR(AM) transmitter site.