

STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION



May 17, 1985

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Ms. Gloria Dibble Pond, Chairperson Connecticut Siting Council One Central Park Plaza New Britain, CT 06051 MAY 2 1 1985

CONNECTICUT

Dear Ms. Dibble Pond:

Enclosed are sixteen copies of a Notice of Intent to erect an exempt telecommunications tower for the multiple use of specific agencies of the State of Connecticut.

This tower is to be located at Windham Avenue in Colchester with an anticipated height of 320 feet above ground level (AGL), replacing an existing tower of 180 feet AGL.

Please bill the Department of Environmental Protection, Planning and Development Bureau, 165 Capitol Avenue, Room 248, Hartford, CT 06106, for the \$50. filing fee.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please contact Mr. Richard Couch, Director of Planning and Development, Division of Conservation and Preservation in the Department of Environmental Protection, at 566-5026.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Stanley J. Pac Commissioner

SJP:RD:bc

enc. (16)

Phone: (203) 566-5026

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STATE OF CONNECTICUT

CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

1 CENTRAL PARK PLAZA • NEW BRITAIN, CONN. 06051
PHONE: 827-2604

May 22, 1985

Re: Section 16-50v-1 of the Regulations of State Agencies no fee is required for a Notice of Intent.

per Christopher S. Wood

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ERECT AN EXEMPT TELECOMMUNICATIONS TOWER, IN ACCORDANCE WITH CONNECTICUT STATUTE SECTION 16-50j-83

L OVERVIEW

The tower facility that is the subject of this notice is an integral part of a microwave radio system that is planned for the cooperative use of the following State agencies:

Department of Environmental Protection

Department of Public Safety, Connecticut State Police

Office of Civil Preparedness

Department of Health Services

A map of the planned system is presented in Exhibit A. The additional microwave sites depicted in Exhibit A will be presented to the Council under separate cover, and will include requests for Certificates of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need, in some instances and Petitions for Declaratory Rulings that Certificates of Environmental Compatibility are not required, in other instances.

IL REASONS FOR CLAIMING EXEMPTION

Exemption is claimed for the proposed 320 foot telecommunications tower at Windham Avenue in Colchester because the tower construction constitutes a major action under the National Environmental Policy Act.

This status exempts the tower from consideration as a facility under Statute Section 16-50j-82(b), which states that a tower shall not constitute a facility if:

"A telecommunications tower the construction of which has been determined by the Federal Communications Commission to constitute a major action within the meaning of the National Environmental Policy Act and for which that Commission has issued a certificate."

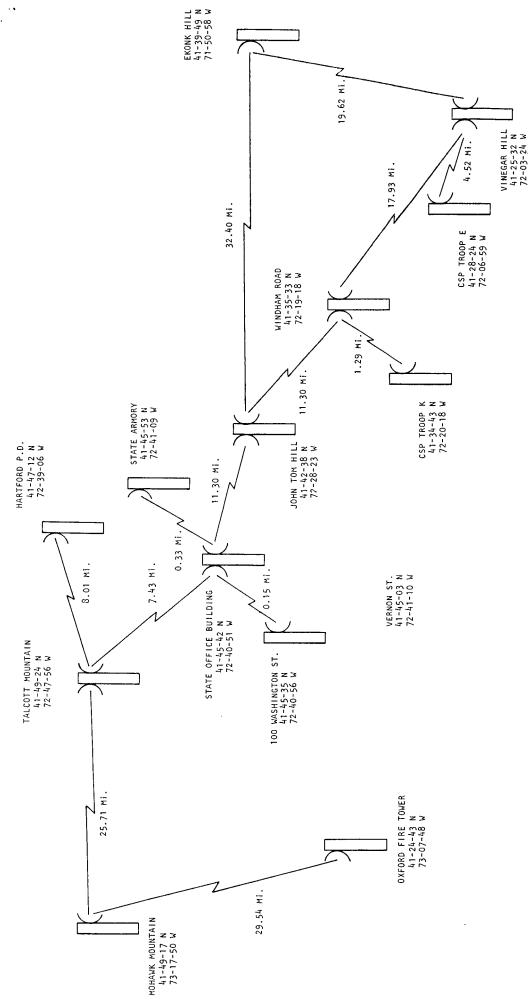
The following exhibits are included with this notice:

- Exhibit B Federal Communications Commission Certificate (Microwave Radio Station License)
- Exhibit C Application for FCC Microwave Station License including the Statement with Respect to the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969
- Exhibit D Federal Aviation Administration Notice of Proposed Tower

 Construction

EXHIBIT A

MAP OF PLANNED MICROWAVE SYSTEM



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
MULTI-AGENCY MICROWAVE SYSTEM

SYSTEM MAP

(Not To Scale)

EXHIBIT B

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION CERTIFICATE

(Microwave Radio Station License)

FORM 715 PARAS. 01.0 03.0 12.0 21.0 22.0 06109 NEW LONDON FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D. C. 20554 DEPT. OF TRANSPORTATION **EMISSION** COUNTY CONNECTICUTA STATE OF 24 WOLCOTT HILL.ROAD WETHERSFIELD 1600F9 90 FT HEIGHT TO CENTER OF RADIATING ELEMENT **TECHNICAL DATA** COLCHESTER 72 19 18 W LONGITUDE (DMS) 002370-000 AZIMUTH (DEG) DECEMBER 28, 1989 LICENSEE 1.D. NO. 222.0 EXPIRATION DATE Z (SWO) 41.35.33 RADIO STATION LICENSE 7.6 BEAMWIDTH (DEG) LATITUDE MICROWAVE 42.2 E R P (dbm) 810358 LOCATION OF TRANSMITTING ANTENNA FILE NUMBER 28, 1984 OVERALL HEIGHT OF ANTENNA STRUCTURE 2133.2000 340 FT FREQUENCY (MHZ) SPECIAL CONDITIONS WINDHAM RD DECEMBER WNEH293 EFFECTIVE DATE FCC FORM 469 JULY 1976 CALLSIGN 001 PATH NO.

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STATE CT

EXHIBIT C

APPLICATION FOR FCC MICROWAVE

STATION LICENSE AT WINDHAM AVENUE, CT

INCLUDING THE STATEMENT WITH RESPECT TO THE

NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT

OF 1969

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

GETTYSBURG, PA 17325

APPROVED BY OMB 3060 - 0064 EXPIRES 9/30/85

APPLICATION FOR	LICENSE IN THE PRIVATE OPERATIONAL
FIXED	MICROWAVE RADIO SERVICE

FIXED MICROWAVE RADIO SERVICE						
FO	R COMMISSI	ON USE ON	LY			
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	MINOR		ASB REMARKS			
	MAJOR					
PUBLIC NOTICE REQUIRED YES NO	DATE OF N	EPA	1	•		
	PUBLIC NO					
FOR APPLICANT: Use FCC Form 402	Instructions of	isted June	982 or later for refe	rence in comple	ting forn	1.
			FORMATION			
1. CALL SIGN (if application refers to an existing station)				NUMBER (if p	reviously	assigned
		LICENSE IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (if previously assigned by the commission)				
(NEW)						
3A. NAME OF APPLICANT		4 34344	10 ADDRESS (No. 1		71P 000	/a\
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State of Connecticut	٠		u of Public		tion	
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3B. NAME OF PERSON TO CONTACT REGARDING AP	PLICATION		tment of Tra)f1	71
Thomas F. Kirker			lcott Hill R		0(100	
			rsfield, Con			
3C. TELEPHONE NO. OF THE CONTACT			here if you are a curi		your mi	iling address,
(203) 566-2336		item ·	, IS NOT the address	on file with us		
5. LOCATION OF STATION RECORDS		6. TYPE	OF APPLICANT (che	ck one)		
NO. AND STREET (or other specific indication)						
24 Wolcott Hill Road		(1) 11	DIVIDUAL			
CITY		(A) ASSOCIATION (P) PARTNERSHIP				
Wethersfield						
STATE			DRPORATION	X(G) GOVE	ERNMEN	ITAL ENTITY
Connecticut ·		İ	•			
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9C. DESCRIBE ANY OTHER CHANGES.						
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10. Will the use of this station be shared by another Party	,, □YE	s Mno	• •	the information	-	by Rule
Section 94.17 (see instruction).						
SECTION II - ANTENNA INFORMATION						
11. LOCATION OF TRANSMITTING ANTENNA STRUCTURE						
A. NUMBER AND STREET (or other specific indication)						
Windham Road						
B. CITY		C. COUN	TY		D. S1	ATE
Colchester			New London Connecticut			
E. COORDINATES						
LATITUDE (degrees, minutes, seconds) LONGITUDE (degrees, minutes, seconds)						
41-35-33 NORTH 72-19-18 WEST						
12A. Is the antenne to be mounted on an existing antenne structure? XYES NO If yes, answer items 12B, C,						
D and E.						
128. Will the entenne incresse the height of the existing str	Will the entenna increase the height of the existing structure? YES X NO If yes, by how many feet?					

		INFORMATION	(continue	d)	
12C. NAME OF CURRENT LICENSEE USING STRUCTU Connecticut State Police	JRE				
12D. CURRENT LICENSEE'S RADIO SERVICE		12E. CURREN	T LICENS	EE'S CALL SIGN	
Police Radio Service	!		KCA791		
13. For entenna towers (or poles) mounted on the ground					
Enter the overall height above ground of the entire anten obstruction lighting, etc., mounted on it	na (or pole) in	ncluding all anter	nnas, dishe	s, lightning rods,	FEET
14. For antennas or antenna towers (or poles) mounted on smoke stack, etc.					340
			PP		
A. What is the overall height above ground of this support penthouses, lightning rods, lights, etc. which are not a	rting structure a part of the a	e? Include in thi Intenna tower (o	s height an r pole)	y elevator shafts	DNA
B. How many feet does the antenna tower (or pole) (inci- the height of the supporting structure in Item 14A? (the height of the supporting structure, enter zero (0).	If this antenna	a or antenna tow	er (or pole	does not increase	DNA
C. What is the overall height above ground of this suppo	ertina structure	a plus the antenn	- towar (a	z nolej?	FEET
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16. Give the ground elevation above mean sea level at the an	ntenna site	• • • • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • •		FEET
16A. NAME OF NEAREST AIRCRAFT LANDING AREA				ISTANCE TO NEARE	592
SKI (Private)	•	South, 2			of north
17A. Has notice of construction been filed with the FAA or	n FAA Form 7		<u></u>		٠
	ached cop	y of Form			X YES NO
17B. NAME UNDER WHICH YOU FILED State of Connecticut 17C. FAA REGIONAL OFFICE (city) Burlington, MA				17D. DATE FILED 02/26/84	
 Would a Commission grant of this application be a major See instruction 18, if you answer yes, submit the statement 	or action as defi nent required t	fined by Section by rule Section 1.	1.1305 of 1	the FCC's Rules?	X YES NO
19. If this is an existing station, enter the year it was first li-			1	Fig. 1 in Fall D. T. in Fall Comp.	
20. Location of the first passive repeater (PR1), if any, on e the Letter of the column which contains the frequency See instruction 20.	ach transmissi (Item 22) tran	on path originationsmitting to this i	ng at this s ocation. T	tation. Reference each his is the PR1 mention	location with ed in items 62-72.
A. NUMBER AND STREET (or other specific indication	DNA				**************************************
B. CITY	c. co			D. STATE	
S. S					
21. Location of second passive repeater (PR 2), if any, on repeaters on the same transmission path. Reference the	his item with t	ssion path. This the appropriate c	item is to olumn lett	be used only if there er as in item 20. (See	are two passive instruction 21B).
A. NUMBER AND STREET (or other specific indication	•				
B. CITY	DNA c. c	COUNTY		D. STATI	F
•					•
SECTION	III - TECHNIC	CAL INFORMAT	ION		
NAME OF ITEM	Α		В	С	D
22. Frequency (MHz)	2133.				,:
23. Emission 24. Type of Message Service	1600F				·
25. Initial Baseband Channel Loading	57			- 	
26. 5 yr. Projected Baseband Channel Loading	96				
27. 10 yr. Projected Baseband Channel Loading	96			<u> </u>	
28. Pre-emphasis (enter Yes or No)	YES				
TRANSMITTER INFORMATION					
29. Transmitter Make	Motoro	la			1
30. Transmitter Model (Type acceptance number)	CC600				
31. FCC Use Only					
32. Transmitting Operating Frequency Tolerance (%)	0.00	1			
33. Maximum Transmitter Output Power (WATTS)	0.23				
34. Mfgr's Guaranteed Transmitter Output Power (WATTS)	0 00	1		I	

	TRANSMITTER INFORMATION (CONT'D					
	NAME OF ITEM	A	8	С	D	
	Transmitter Median Output Power (WATTS)	0.11			1	
36.	Transmission Line Loss (dB)	4.68				
37.	Antenna Make	Andrew			<u> </u>	
38.	Antenna Model	P4F-21C				
39.	FCC USE ONLY					
40.	Antenna Gain (dBi) - radome loss	26.5				
41.	Effective Redisted Power (dBm)	+42.23				
42.	Beem Width (degrees)	7.6				
43.	Type and Size of Antenna	PA 4				
44.	Height to Center of Final Radiating Element (Ft)	90			.1	
45.	Polerization	٧				
	Azimuth to Next Station or Passive Repeater No.1(PR1)	222.03				
	Path Length to Next Station or PR 1 (miles)	1.29				
-		CEIVE SITE INFO	RMATION			
1	NAME OF ITEM	A	8	С	D	
48.	Receiving Station's Call Sign					
	Path Loss (dB)	105.46	T			
-	Receiving Antenna Make	Andrew				
-	Receiving Antenna Model	P4F-21C			T.	
	FCC USE ONLY					
	Receiving Antenne Gain (dBi) - radome loss	26.5				
	Receiver Make	Motorola				
	Receiver Model	MRG1000A				
	FCC USE ONLY					
	Median Received Signal Level At Input to the					
l "'	Receiver (dBm)	-41.71	}	1		
KP	Latitude N (degrees, minutes, seconds)	41-34-43				
	Longitude W (degrees, minutes, seconds)	72-20-18				
60.		402				
<u> </u>	Height to Center of Receiving Antenna (Ft)					
 `	61. Height to Center of Receiving Antenna (Ft) 98 PASSIVE REPEATER NO. 1 INFORMATION (IF ANY)					
 	If you have two passive repeaters on the				2	
ļ .	on a separate sheet of paper for the seco					
 -	NAME OF ITEM	A	8	С	а	
62	Latitude N (degrees, minutes, seconds)		1			
	Longitude W (degrees, minutes, seconds)					
	Ground Elevation AMSL (Ft)					
	Overall Height of PR 1 Structure Above Ground (Ft)					
	. Passive Repeater Make		1			
	Pastive Repeater Model					
	Dimensions (Ft x Ft) or Beamwidth (for dishes)	1			10	
	Height Above Ground to Center of PR 1 (Ft)	1				
	Polarization	<u> </u>				
	Path Length From PR 1 to Next Station (Miles)	 				
	Azimuth from PR 1 to Next Station (degrees)	 				
SECTION IV CERTIFICATION						
READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING Certification: 1. The applicant waives any claim to the use of any particular frequency or of the other because of previous use of same whether by license or otherwise. 2. The applicant accepts full responsibility for the operation and control of the requested station licensed in accordance with applicable law and rules of the FCC. 3. The applicant will have unlimited access to and control of the radio equipment and will take effective measures to prevent its use by unauthorized persons. 4. Neither applicant nor any member thereof is a foreign government or repre-						
SENTATIVE THEFEOF. WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS FORM OR ATTACHMENTS ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND IMPRISONMENT						
U.S. CODE TITLE 18 SECTION 1001 TYPED NAME TITLE						
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	SIGNATURE of individual, partner, official of a government entity, authorized representative of a corporation, or officer who is also a member of the association					

STATEMENT WITH RESPECT TO NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT OF 1969

This application is a "Major Action" as defined by Section 1.1305 of the Commission's Rules. Therefore, the following environmental information is submitted as required by FCC Rules Section 1.1311 regarding the proposed construction of an antenna tower at Colchester, Connecticut.

The State of Connecticut (applicant) proposes to construct a self-supporting antenna tower of triangular cross section having an overall height above ground level of 340 feet, including all appurtenances. The structure is designed to support various land mobile radio and microwave antennas for operation in the Public Safety Radio Services and the Private Operational Fixed Microwave Service. The proposed construction will replace an existing 180-foot guyed monopole antenna structure owned by the applicant. The monopole structure will be dismantled immediately following erection of the replacement tower.

The tower site is located in a rural area adjacent to Windham Avenue, 0.9 miles north of the intersection with State Road 16 in the Town of Colchester, Connecticut. The site is currently owned and operated by the applicant and has been in operation for several years. The site was selected on the basis of location with respect to desired land mobile radio coverage and point-to-point microwave paths, ground elevation, minimal site preparation cost, and availability. Access roads are established and power distribution lines currently serve the site. With the exception of enlargement of the existing equipment building and construction of the proposed tower, itself, no physical modifications to the site or surrounding areas will be required.

The proposed construction has not been a source of controversy or discussion on environmental grounds in the local community and no adverse environmental effects are anticipated. There are no proceedings before zoning, planning, environmental or other state, local or federal authorities on matters relating to the environmental effect of the tower construction. The site is not known to have any particular scenic, cultural, historical, architectual, archeological or recreational value.

EXHIBIT D

FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION

NOTICE OF PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION

OF WINDHAM AVENUE TOWER

DO NOT REMOVE CARBONS

Form Approved O.M.B. No. 04-R0001

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION		FOR FA	A USE ONLY		
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION	AERONAUTICAL STUDY NO.				
NOTICE OF PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OR ALTER	AEROHADITCAL STO	DI NO.			
1. NATURE OF STRUCTURE		FAA will either re	turn this form or		
1 7145 70 604	LENGTH OF	issue a separate a			
NEW CONSTRUCTION Y PERMANENT (Months)		A. The proposed	structures		
	hş (Est.)		ilre a notice to FAA.		
2. NAME AND ADDRESS OF INDIVIDUAL, COMPANY, CORPORATION, ETC. PROPOSING THE CONSTRUCTION OR ALTERATION (Number, Street, City, State and Zip Cod		standard of I	exceed any obstruction Part 77 and would not be air navigation.		
「State of Connecticut Department of Public Safety	٦	☐ Should be ☐ lighted po 70/7460~1, Ch	er FAA Advisory Circular		
TO Division of State Police		Obstruction a	marking and lighting are		
Attn: Capt. Ronald Mikulka P.O. Box 780		Requires supp	plemental notice.		
L Hartford, CT 06101		B. FCC Was			
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		REMARKS			
3. COMPLETE DESCRIPTION OF STRUCTURE (Include effective radiated power modified AM, FM or TV station and assigned frequency; size and configurations time in vicinity of FAA facilities as appropriate). Self-s	of proposed or uration of power				
triangular communications tower, 320' structur					
above ground with 20' antenna on top (340' AGL	. total).				
Tower will be used for Police and Local Govern					
mobile communications, and an operational fixe		ISSUING OFFICE			
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cast facilities will be used at this site. The		REVIEWING OFFICE	DATE		
will replace an existing 200' guyed monopole t same site (180' + 20' antenna). 4. LOCATION OF ST	OWER AT THE		مقلقين أرغم المستحددة		
A. COORDINATES (To nearest second) B. NEAREST CITY OR TOWN, A	ND STATE				
LATITUDE LONGITUDE Colchester Con	necticut				
41 35 33 72 19 18 (1) DISTANCE FROM 48	1.0 MILES	(2) DIRECTION FRO			
C. NAME OF NEAREST AIRPORT, HELIPORT, OR SEAPLANE BASE (1) SKI (private)	DISTANCE FROM NEA NEAREST SUNWAY 2.25 MIT e		(2) DIRECTION FROM AIRPORT North		
D. DESCRIPTION OF LOCATION OF SITE WITH RESPECT TO HIGHWAYS, STREETS, ETC. (Attach a highway, street, or any other appropriate map or scaled d airport(s). If more space is required, continue on a separate sheet of pa	rawing showing the per and attach to	e relationship of co this notice.)	natruction aits to nearest		
See attached map (portion of Colchester, Conn		•	-		
SKI private airport not shown on Colchester q		but has been	noted on		
New York Sectional Aeronautical Chart (1:500,	000).				
5. HEIGHT AND ELEVATION (Complete A, B and C to the nea	rest foot)	6.	WORK SCHEDULE DATES		
A. ELEVATION OF SITE ABOVE MEAN SEA LEVEL		74	GINNING 11/85 (Est.)		
B. HEIGHT OF STRUCTURE INCLUDING APPURTENANCES AND LIGHTING (if any) ABOVE GROUND, OR WATER IF SO SITUATED	40 B. END				
C. OVERALL HEIGHT ABOVE MEAN SEA LEVEL $(A+B)$	9	32 2/	/28/85 (Est.) YES NO		
7. OBSTRUCTION MARKED AND/OR LIGHTED IN AC-			X		
CORDANCE WITH CURRENT FAA ADVISORY CIR- CULAR 70/7460-1, OBSTRUCTION MARKING AND B. AVIATION RED OB		Х			
LIGHTING C. HIGH INTENSITY V	LIGHTS	X			
D. DUAL LIGHTING S	YSTEM		X		
I HEREBY CERTIFY that all of the above statements made by me are		d correct to the bes	it of my knowledge.		
TYPED NAME/TITLE OF PERSON FIL code) TYPED NAME/TITLE OF PERSON FIL Gerald M. Kessler,		SIGNATURE	1/ ^		
2/26/84 (904) 386-3180 OMNICOM, Inc.		Mull	M. Kesele		
Notice is required by Part 77 of the Federal Aviation Regulations (14 C.F.R. 1958, as amended (49 U.S.C. 1101). Persons who knowingly and willfully v					

(criminal penalty) of not more than \$500 for the first offense and not more than \$2,000 for subsequent offenses, pursuant to Section 902(a)

of the Federal Aviation Act of 1958, as amended (49 U.S.C. 1472(a)).

