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Re: Propose Simplification of Proofs and Related
Technical Requirements for Directional AM

Gentlemen:

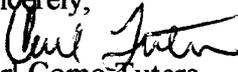
This letter will serve to support your proposal on reducing the full proof of Performances measurements relating to the number of radials to be taken by the station. I am in support of the reduction of the number by half.

Also, I support the elimination of the critical array for stations having less than three towers and that is towers for day and night and in some case while the station may have different day and night patterns using some of the towers for both service I support the elimination of the critical array when only three or less towers are used for either day and or night. A station may have four or five towers but use only three for day and three for night service.

I also support the Commissions proposal to allow antenna monitoring for critical arrays only have a digital readout graduated in increments no larger than one half of the critical parameter specified in the authorization, so as to permit the use of off the shelf equipment rather than expensive specially designed monitors.

Thank you for allowing me to reply with comments to these proposals.

Sincerely,


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