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RE: Motion to Accept Late-Filed Comments in MM Docket No. 00-87; RM 9870

Dear Ms. Salas:

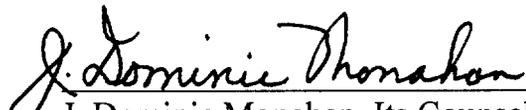
There is transmitted herewith on behalf of Combined Communications, Inc. ("Combined Communications"), the licensee of Station KTWS(FM), Bend, Oregon, an original plus three copies of a Motion to Accept Late-Filed Comments in the above-entitled rulemaking.

An extra copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed, as well as a pre-addressed, stamped envelope. Please confirm your receipt of the filing of this Motion by date stamping the extra copy of this transmittal letter and returning it to the undersigned counsel.

Should additional information be desired concerning this Motion, please contact undersigned counsel.

Respectfully submitted,

COMBINED COMMUNICATIONS, INC.



J. Dominic Monahan, Its Counsel

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Before the
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In the Matter of)	
)	MM Docket No. 00-87
Amendment to §73.202(b))	RM-9870
Table of Allotments)	
FM Broadcast Stations)	
(Brightwood, Madras, Bend and Prineville, Oregon))	

TO: Chief, Allocations Branch
Policy and Rules Division
Mass Media Bureau

MOTION TO ACCEPT LATE-FILED COMMENTS

Combined Communications, Inc. (“Combined Communications”), the licensee of Station KTWS(FM), Bend, Oregon, through its counsel, respectfully moves the Commission to accept the late-filed Comments in the above-entitled rulemaking. In support, the following is shown.

The attached Comments were due to be filed with the Commission on July 25, 2000. Combined Communications, through its counsel, attempted to file these Comments using the Commission’s Electronic Comment Filing Systems (“ECFS”) interactive website. However, upon attempting to send the Comments, counsel received a notice that the ECFS site was not accepting electronic comments in this proceeding. Accordingly, counsel did e-mail the Comments as an attachment to the website

ECFS@FCC.com on this date. In the event that form of filing is not deemed acceptable, the instant hard copy of the Comments is being forwarded via overnight messenger.

In view of the above, it is respectfully submitted that good cause exists for the acceptance of the attached Comments.

Respectfully submitted,

COMBINED COMMUNICATIONS, INC.


J. Dominic Monahan, Its Counsel

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Nancy Lee Kemper, a secretary in the law offices of Luvaas, Cobb, Richards & Fraser, P.C., certify that I have on this 25th day of July, 2000, sent by United States mail, postage prepaid, on behalf of Combined Communications, Inc., copies of the foregoing *Motion to Accept Late-Filed Comments* to:

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