

Gramling, Mitzi

From: Gramling, Mitzi
Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2001 1:52 PM
To: Davis, Bill; Young, Cindy
Subject: FW: KPCC(FM) Fundraising waiver request

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From: Michael Wagner [mailto:MWAGNER@fcc.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, October 10, 2001 1:45 PM
To: MGramling@mpr.org
Cc: Barbara Kreisman; Peter Doyle
Subject: Re: KPCC(FM) Fundraising waiver request

Dear Ms. Gramling:

On behalf of Pasadena Area Community College District, the licensee of KPCC (FM), Pasadena, California (Facility ID #51701), and Southern California Public Radio, the operator of KPCC pursuant to a Public Service Operating Agreement, you seek waiver of Section 73.503(d) of the Commission's rules to permit on-air fundraising to help rebuild the transmission facilities of Station WNYC(FM), New York, New York, which were destroyed in the September 11, 2001 terrorist attack on the World Trade Center. Specifically, KPCC(FM) proposes to ask listeners for an additional contribution -- strictly designated for WNYC(FM) --during its fall on-air pledge drive from October 30, 2001 through November 9, 2001.

Due to the catastrophic nature of this horrific incident, the limited duration of the proposed fundraising effort, and the fact that it will be incorporated into the scheduled pledge drive permissibly aired on KPCC(FM) by simply adding disaster relief as another recipient for funds, the Commission concludes that the public interest would be served by grant of the requested waiver.

>>> "Gramling, Mitzi" <MGramling@mpr.org> 10/10/01 02:30PM >>>
Dear Mr Doyle and Mr Wagner:

On October 10, 2001, the Federal Communications Commission granted to Minnesota Public Radio a waiver of Section 73.503(d) of the Commission rules to permit on-air fundraising during its fall pledge drive to help re-build the transmission facilities of WNYC (FM). Pasadena Area Community College District, the licensee of KPCC (FM), and Southern California Public Radio, the operator of KPCC pursuant to a Public Service Operating Agreement, in Pasadena, CA, facility ID #51701, respectfully request a similar waiver. The dates of our on-air pledge drive are October 30 through November 9, 2001. The recipient will be WNYC.

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