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**Re: WMLS(FM), Grand Marais, Minnesota (Facility Id. No. 92306)  
Notification of Reduced Power Operation  
FCC File No. BPED-19981208MI**

Dear Ms. Salas:

By letter dated September 13, 2001, this office advised the Commission that Minnesota Public Radio ("MPR"), permittee of WMLS(FM), Grand Marais, Minnesota, intended shortly to commence program tests with the facilities authorized in File No. BPED-19981208MI. MPR began service as expected, but encountered equipment problems, which have required MPR to reduce operating power to approximately thirty percent of authorized ERP. MPR expects that full-power service will be restored within approximately thirty days and will file the application for license to cover the construction permit at that time.

Please contact this office if there are any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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