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Marlene Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
236 Massachusetts Avenue, NE  
Washington DC 20002

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Re: Minnesota Public Radio (FRN 0002-6425-10)  
KZSE-FM, Rochester, MN (Facility ID No. 42929 )  
Notice of temporary reduction of operations

Dear Ms Dortch:

In accordance with 47 CFR 73.561 (d), Minnesota Public Radio ("MPR"), licensee of KZSE-FM, Rochester, MN, hereby informs the Commission that MPR has temporarily been operating KZSE-FM at reduced power since January 24, 2003 due to the failure of a 50 watt exciter. MPR immediately replaced the failed part with a spare 30 watt exciter that we had on hand. Since then, MPR has been operating the station at approximately 70% of its authorized power with the 30 watt exciter. A replacement 50 watt exciter is on order and MPR expects to have the facility back on the air at its fully authorized power shortly.

An Anti-Drug Abuse Act certification form is attached. MPR is a noncommercial educational licensee, therefore, no fee is required for this filing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Mitzi T Gramling".

Mitzi T Gramling  
Associate General Counsel

cc: Todd Stansbury, Esq (Wiley Rein &amp; Fielding)

**Exhibit**

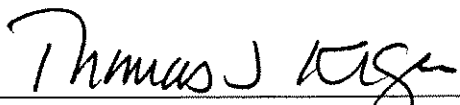
**Anti-Drug Abuse Act Certification**

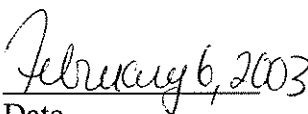
The applicant certifies that, in the case of an individual applicant, he or she is not subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. §853a, or, in the case of a non-individual applicant (eg corporation, partnership or other unincorporated association), no party to the application is subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to that section. For the definition of a "party" for these purposes, see 47 C.F.R. §1.2002 (b).

Yes

No

Minnesota Public Radio

  
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Thomas J Kigin, Executive Vice President

  
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Date