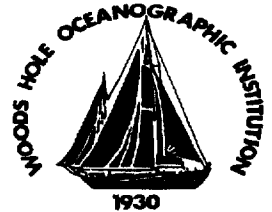


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Dear FCC Members;

Our request for license renewal of KQ2XQV is in support of Oceanographic experiments on all the worlds oceans. These projects are under direct contracts to the National Science Foundation. Federal Grant numbers are as follows. 808891,831879,828574. Therefore a fee waiver is requested as all experiments done with this license are performed with funds from the Federal Government.

Thank You,
Alden H. Cook

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Alden H. Cook".