

2009 Tour of California Bicycle Race Details of STA Request

This regards a request by Broad Comm, Inc. (Broad Comm) for special Temporary Authority (STA) to allow use of various frequencies for the purpose of providing portable video coverage and logistic support for the televised coverage of the Tour of California Bike Race event and related activities for the period from February 10 through February 23, 2009. This event is a bicycle race that will pass through the areas listed below and the proposed operation will be limited to the area adjacent (25 miles – 40.5 km) to the race course as noted below.

Area of operation: Adjacent to the following corridors:

Sacramento	38° 31' 00" N	121° 30' 00" W
Santa Rosa	38° 31' 00" N	122° 49' 00" W
San Francisco	37° 46' 00" N	122° 26' 00" W
San Jose	37° 22' 00" N	121° 56' 00" W
Fresno	36° 46' 00" N	119° 43' 00" W
San Louis Obispo	35° 20' 00" N	120° 43' 00" W
Solvang	34° 35' 00" N	120° 08' 00" W
Pasadena	34° 09' 00" N	118° 09' 00" W
San Diego	32° 44' 00" N	117° 10' 00" W

Frequencies 1480, 1490, 1500, and 1510 have been AFTRCC coordinated for both ground and airborne (up to 600 feet above ground) use. Frequencies 2367 and 2384 have been AFTRCC coordinated for ground only use. All of these frequencies are to be used for portable video cameras.

The requested UHF frequencies are to provide logistical support for the television production of this event.

A significant number of frequencies have been requested for this event because it is understood that the requested frequencies are shared with other users. In view that some frequencies may be too congested; therefore, a larger pool of authorized frequencies has been requested so that the more congested ones may be avoided.