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Re: T/R Earth Station E090149  
Commencement of Operations

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On behalf of Northwest Indiana Public Broadcasting, Inc. (NIPBI), licensee of the above-referenced transmit/receive earth station, we are filing herewith notification pursuant to Secion 25.133 of the FCC's rules that NIPBI has commenced operation of the earth station under the license granted on September 28, 2009, File No. SES-LIC-20090820-01033.

Please refer any questions concerning this notification to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

SCHWARTZ, WOODS & MILLER

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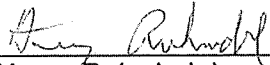
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Earth Station E090149  
File No. SES-LIC-20090820-01033

Northwest Indiana Public Broadcasting, Inc., licensee of the above-referenced transmit/receive earth station, hereby certifies that the station became operational on October 2, 2009 and that each antenna facility has been tested and is within 2 dB of the pattern specified in Section 25.209 of the rules. The earth station will remain operational during the license period unless the license is submitted for cancellation.

October 6, 2009

  
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Henry Ruhwiedel  
Chief Engineer