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Subject: Proposal to vary the Charleville license area plan

HI

I'm writing in regards to the Charleville Licence area plan changes.

I look after all the transmission and equipment for Bidjara media and broadcasting

Couple of questions

1) Varying the Charleville license area

if you're going to extend the Charleville RA2 license area , to add the towns of Augathella, Morven , Cunnamulla into the Charleville RA2 license area , does this mean you're going to allow Bidjara to increase their power out of Charleville , as at present it is only 164w ERP as per the database

2) you propose to move the existing equipment at Augathella ,Cunnamulla, Morven water towers to BA sites , this comes with a big cost and outlay for Bidjara , and at present the water tower sites are provided free by Murweh Council , and moving all the equipment to BA sites does not make sense based on Cost and ongoing costs that BA charge for site rentals

3) why is the transmitter license at Charleville only licensed for 164w ERP, being a community radio station the ERP should be 1250W ERP , can you explain if this is a error , or was set by the ACMA

4) If you're going to extend the license area of Charleville RA2 to cover the towns of Augathella , Morven and Cunnamulla , the signal would be able to be broadcast from Charleville , however we would need to increase the ERP to 2kw , can this be done.

Regards

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