

**Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of)	
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Alaska Educational Radio System, Inc.)	NAL/Acct. No. MB-201841410015
)	FRN: 0008610982
Applications for Renewal and Assignment of)	Facility ID No. 93588
License, KABN-FM, Kasilof, Alaska)	BRED-20130930BSV, BALED-
)	20140121AAZ

ORDER

Adopted: October 17, 2018

Released: October 18, 2018

By the Chief, Audio Division, Media Bureau:

1. In this *Order* (“*Order*”), we cancel a \$20,000 *Notice of Apparent Liability for a Forfeiture* (“*NAL*”) issued to Alaska Educational Radio System, Inc. (AERS), former owner of the cancelled license of noncommercial educational station KABN-FM, Kasilof, Alaska, for apparently willfully and repeatedly violated Section 73.1745(a) of the Commission’s rules (Rules)¹ on four separate occasions by operating the Station at a variance from its licensed parameters without authority to do so, and willfully and repeatedly violated Section 73.561(d) of the Rules on five separate occasions by discontinuing the Station’s operations without authority to do so.²

2. On or about July 18, 2018, AERS surrendered the license of Station KABN-FM, and the staff cancelled the Station license on July 19, 2018.³

3. In light of the licensee's surrender of the license of KABN-FM, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that, pursuant to Section 504(b) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended,⁴ and Sections 0.61, 0.283, and 1.80(f)(4) of the Rules,⁵ the *Notice of Apparent Liability for a Forfeiture*, NAL/Acct. No. MB-201841410015, issued to Alaska Educational Radio System, Inc., IS CANCELLED.⁶

¹ See 47 CFR §§ 73.1745(a), 73.1635.

² See 47 CFR § 73.561(d).

³ See *Broadcast Actions*, Public Notice, Report No. 49284 (Jul. 24, 2018).

⁴ 47 U.S.C. § 504(b).

⁵ 47 CFR §§ 0.61, 0.283, 1.80(f)(4).

⁶ See, e.g., *Alma Coll., Mount Pleasant Baptist Acad., Mount Pleasant Public Schools, and Central Michigan Univ.*, Memorandum Opinion and Order, 18 FCC Rcd 21275, 21031 n.38 (WTB 2003) (because station license surrendered, no enforcement action warranted).

4. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that copies of this Memorandum Opinion and Order and Notice of Apparent Liability for Forfeiture shall be sent, by First Class and Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested, to Alaska Educational Radio System, Inc., 12415 Merlin Drive, Seward, AK 99664, and its counsel, David Tillotson, 4606 Charleston Terrace, N.W., Washington, DC 20007.

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