



126 W. Gemini Drive  
Tempe, AZ 85283

**Subject: Interference from Operation of Wireless Microphones and Other Low Power Auxiliary Stations (LPAS) in the 698-806 MHz ("700 MHz") Band**

Dear Audio Professional:

Verizon Wireless is the exclusive licensee of 700 MHz spectrum throughout the United States, except Alaska.<sup>1</sup> As a primary FCC license holder, Verizon Wireless is entitled to protection against harmful interference from other users of the radio spectrum, including wireless microphones and other Low Power Auxiliary Stations ("LPAS") that operate with a secondary license or on an unlicensed basis.<sup>2</sup>

Our testing and monitoring of activity in the 700 MHz band indicates that you are operating wireless microphones or other Low Power Auxiliary Stations ("LPAS") on TV channels 59-62 and/or 64-67, and that such operation is causing harmful interference to our licensed 700 MHz operations. In accordance with the Federal Communications Commission's ("FCC") rules, you are required to immediately cease operations of such devices.<sup>3</sup>

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter. If you have questions about the FCC's rules or your rights to operate in the 700 MHz band, you may wish to contact the FCC at 1-888-CALL-FCC (1-888-225-5322).

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Nelson", written over a horizontal line.

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<sup>1</sup> Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless holds seven regional licenses including WQJQ689, WQJQ690, WQJQ691, WQJQ692, WQJQ693, WQJQ694, and WQJQ695.

<sup>2</sup> Pursuant to FCC Rule § 74.861(g): "Low power auxiliary stations shall be operated so that no harmful interference is caused to any other class of station operating in accordance with the Commission's rules and regulations."

<sup>3</sup> Pursuant to FCC Rule § 74.803(b): "Low power auxiliary station usage is secondary to TV broadcasting and land mobile stations operating in the UHF-TV spectrum and must not cause harmful interference. If such interference occurs, low power auxiliary station operation must immediately cease and may not be resumed until the interference problem has been resolved."