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The Chief Executive Officer  
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**Attention: Mr. Richard Makgotlho**

**Date: 13 January 2023**

**REQUEST TO REMAIN ON THE 413 BAND AS PER THE CIRCULAR**

Dear Mr. Makgotlho

I am writing this letter in my capacity as the Station Manager of the Ndlambe Community Radio Forum (Ndlambe FM).

Ndlambe FM was established in 2009 and is formerly known as Kowie FM and has three existing licenses; namely Service, ECN and Spectrum Licenses

I just want to bring to your attention that we have been in the 413 band since we were established in 2009, we were requested to apply for an STL license but we could not as we were told that there will be a migration soon and we have to change.

This change is going to cost us a lot of money and we have already purchased new transmitters through funding from MDDA and changing now will cost us in the region of R80 000 of which we do not have.

**We are therefore appealing that we remain on this band as there has been no complains of interference from other sources.**

We are prepared to make an oral presentation at your convenience

We will truly appreciate your approval on this matter

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