

Dears Sirs;

For many years we have been involoved with providing emergency and disater related communication via Amateur Radio. Many of these communictions may be with low-power and low-signal conditions and any increase in interferance from BPL would significantly impact on said communication. Your referance (sec. 36) regarding antenna orientation is incorrect. We may use antennas that "beam" our signal in any selected direction, through or past and existing power line may be needed. Your statement that we orientate our antenna away from powerlines in incorrect. Additionally portable and mobile stations are also frequently used and again any increase in interference would not be acceptable. Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

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