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NEW FCC RULE REGARDING OPERATION OF WIRELESS MICROPHONES (AND SIMILAR DEVICES) IN THE 700 MHz BAND.

Under a new FCC rule, anyone who uses a wireless microphone (or similar device) that operates in the 700 Mhz Band must stop operating their wireless microphone (or similar device) no later than June 12, 2010. This rule applies to ALL Archdiocesan Parishes, Schools and Institutions. The operating frequency should be listed on the microphone, the receiving station, or in the device's documentation. You can also contact the device's manufacturer or the Office of Property and Construction Services for assistance.

For further information from the Federal Communications Commission, see the attached document or the following URL will access this document: <u>http://www.fcc.gov/cgb/consumerfacts/wirelessmic_advisory.pdf</u>

The complete FCC rule can be accessed through the following URL: <u>http://www.fcc.gov/cgb/wirelessmicrophones/</u>

http://www.seattlearchdiocese.org/Archdiocese/Property

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