



**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**  
**Enforcement Bureau**  
**Spectrum Enforcement Division**  
**1270 Fairfield Road**  
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**VIA CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

October 3, 2007

James E. Ogden  
3103 Cedar Springs  
Prescott Valley, AZ 86314-2980

**RE: Amateur license N7KPU repeater operations; Case #EB-07-SE-3044**

Dear Mr. Ogden:

On August 8, 2007, we wrote you enclosing a complaint from the licensee of coordinated repeater KB7OBJ, with supporting documentation, alleging that your N7KPU repeater is operating without coordination on 447.350/442.350 MHz and causing harmful interference. The complaint indicates that you have been contacted numerous times about this problem but have declined to address it.

In your response received September 25, 2007, you provided a copy of a coordination document that is unsigned and undated, but appears to be approximately 15 years old. You provided no current coordination document. Furthermore, your repeater N7KPU is not listed in the commonly used Repeater Directory published by the ARRL.

Section 97.205 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 97.205, states that where there is interference between a coordinated and an uncoordinated repeater, "the licensee of the uncoordinated repeater has primary responsibility to resolve the interference". **Therefore, since you cannot document coordination, you are primarily responsible for alleviating the interference to KB7OBJ.** Pursuant to Section 308(b) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. Section 308(b), which gives the Commission the authority to request information from a licensee regarding the operation of a radio station, you are requested to respond within 20 days of receipt of this letter detailing a plan to cure the interference to KB7OBJ

W. Riley Hollingsworth  
Special Counsel

cc: FCC Western Regional Director  
Christopher Barford, KB7OBJ