# Certification of Compliance: FCC Children's Television Requirements for the Year 2023

On behalf of the Trinity Broadcasting Network (TBN), this is to certify that the program services named below comply with the FCC's children's television programming and commercial time limit obligations specified in FCC Rules 73.671 and 73.670 (47 CFR 73.671 and 73.670), respectively.

TBN is a not-for-profit, tax-exempt church corporation qualified under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (26 USC 501(c)(3)). During the period of time covered by this certification, TBN did not air more than 10.5 minutes of commercial matter per hour during children's programming on weekends, or more than 12 minutes of commercial matter per hour on weekdays.

The following children's programs aired during the period of time covered by this certification:

# January 1, 2023 through March 31, 2023

Adventures in Booga Booga Land Kids Like You Super Simple Science Stuff Arnie's Shack Mary Rice Hopkins & Puppets with a Heart The Adventures of Carlos Caterpillar **BB's Bedtime Stories** The Charlie Church Mouse Show Mickey's Farm Becky's Barn Mike's Inspiration Station The Dooley and Pals Show Colby's Clubhouse The Filling Station **Mustard Pancakes** The Knock, Knock Show Come On Over Nanna's Cottage

Connect: Becky and Todd's Bible Pahappahooey Island Theo
Adventures Paws and Tales – The Animated Series Tune Time

Dr. Wonder's Workshop Ouiglev's Village VeggieTales

Dr. Wonder's Workshop Quigley's Village VeggieTales

Face Your Foars with the Moores

Patro News: A Plast from the Past

Whirl: Ada 8

Face Your Fears with the Moores Retro News: A Blast from the Past Whirl: Ada & Friends
Gospel Bill Rocka-Bye Island Whilr: Leo & Friends
Hermie and Friends Sarah's Stories Zoo Clues

Jay Jay The Jet Plane Story Time with Anthony DeStefano

#### April 1, 2023 through June 30, 2023

Adventures in Booga Booga Land

Arnie's Shack

Mary Rice Hopkins & Puppets with a Heart

BB's Bedtime Stories

Mickey's Farm

Story Time with Anthony DeStefano

Super Simple Science Stuff

The Adventures of Carlos Caterpillar

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Dr. Wonder's Workshop Paws and Tales – The Animated Series Whirl: Ada & Friends
Face Your Fears with the Moores Retro News: A Blast from the Past Whirl: Leo & Friends

Friends and Heroes Rocka-Bye Island
Hermie and Friends Sarah's Stories

## July 1, 2023 through September 30, 2023

Adventures in Booga Booga Land Hermie and Friends Rocka-Bye Island
Arnie's Shack Jay Jay The Jet Plane Sarah's Stories

BB's Bedtime Stories Mary Rice Hopkins & Puppets with a Heart Story Time with Anthony DeStefano

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Zoo Clues

# October 1, 2023 through December 31, 2023

Adventures in Booga Booga Land Hermie and Friends Arnie's Shack Jay Jay The Jet Plane

**BB's Bedtime Stories** Mary Rice Hopkins & Puppets with a Heart Story Time with Anthony DeStefano

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Super Simple Science Stuff

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Whirl: Ada & Friends Whirl: Leo & Friends

This certification is provided for the following digital program service(s) broadcast by WPGD-TV Hendersonville, TN: TBN Inspire\*, SMILE\*, TBN Enlace\*, and PosiTiV\*.

This certification is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and understanding, and is made this 5th day of January, 2024.

Signature

Casoria, Assistant Secretary

<sup>\* &</sup>quot;The Children's Television Programming Rules Order, FCC 19-67 (released July 12, 2019), deleted the obligation for stations that multicast to air three (3) hours of digital Children's CORE programming for each multicast channel. The primary signal of a station may complete its Children's CORE obligation by airing either (i) three (3) hours per week (as averaged over a six-month period) of CORE Programming, or (ii) 156 hours of CORE Programming annually, including at least 26 hours per quarter of regularly scheduled weekly programming of at least 30 minutes in length and up to 52 hours annually of CORE Programs of at least 30 minutes in length that are not aired on a regularly scheduled weekly basis, such as educational specials and regularly scheduled non-weekly programming, and/or other non-regularly scheduled programming and short-form programming, such as PSAs and interstitials. In retaining the existing three (3) hour per week (on average) requirement the FCC also expanded CORE Programming hours to be between 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. local time, and allows stations to also air thirteen (13) hours per guarter of the regularly scheduled weekly CORE programming on a multicast stream. Accordingly, stations need to air at least two-thirds of their total annual CORE Programming hours (i.e., 104 hours) on their primary streams and no more than one-third of their total CORE Programming (i.e., 52 hours) hours on a multicast stream. All Core Programming that is not regularly scheduled weekly programming must be aired on a station's primary stream. TBN and its affiliated stations provide three (3) or more hours of CORE programming on the primary signal, and provide additional Children's Programming on its multicast channel SMILE 24-hours per day. Further, TBN's multicast channel, Enlace (a Spanish language service), also provides additional Children's Programming.

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This certification is provided for the digital program service broadcast by WPGD-TV Hendersonville, TN for TBN\*.

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