

Bilingual Reports On Calista Corp. Broadcast Over Radio KNOM

ANCHORAGE — Bi-lingual reports on the activities of Calista Corp., regional Native corporation of the Bethel area, are being broadcast live, via phone from Anchorage over radio station KNOM in Nome.

The activity reports are given in English and translated into Yupik Eskimo by William Tyson, of St. Mary's, on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, reports Calistem Erinii, the semi-monthly newsletter of Calista Corp.

Radio station KNOM, a non-commercial, non-profit operation, is heard in parts of the Aleutians, the Yukon River area, portions of the Kuskokwim and on north to Kotzebue.

Bering Straits Native Corp., based at Nome, also has a daily program on KNOM.

The station would also like to see a clearinghouse established for news from all 12 regions, the Calistem Erinii report said.

An all-volunteer force mans the radio station, under the direction of Father Poole.