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## POWER FAILURE CAUSES WEIU-TV BLACK-OUT

CHARLESTON – A campus power failure has put a temporary halt to operations at Eastern Illinois University's WEIU-TV, Channel 51.

Regular viewers will have noticed that the university-operated station has been off the air since about 7:45 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 30. All of Buzzard Hall, where WEIU-TV is located, has been affected by the power outage.

Workers are currently working on restoring power to the building and anticipate accomplishing the task by the end of the work week, weather permitting.

WEIU-TV serves a 10-county area of East Central Illinois, and is available on cable systems in Mattoon, Charleston, Champaign, Effingham, Paris and Tuscola, among others.

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