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**VIA e-mail: audiofilings@fcc.gov**

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
45 L Street NE  
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: Salem Communications Holding Corporation  
KPXQ(AM), Glendale, AZ (Fac. ID 55912)  
Request for Special Temporary Authority**

**FRN: 0003760352**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Salem Communications Holding Corporation ("SCHC"), is the licensee of KPXQ(AM), Glendale, AZ, facility ID 55912 and KXXT(AM), Tolleson, AZ, facility ID 54742. SCHC holds a construction permit, BP-20210528AAJ, to relocate the co-owned transmission facilities of KXXT to the licensed transmitter site of station KPXQ and diplex onto the KPXQ existing three tower array. SCHC, by its counsel, hereby requests Special Temporary Authority ("STA") to operate KPXQ at reduced power during daytime hours, non-directionally during nighttime hours at a power level no more than 25% of the authorized nighttime power, or with nighttime parameters at variance during the construction of the KXXT facilities. The attached Carl T. Jones Corporation Engineering Statement provides additional details.

The licensee has authorized undersigned counsel to certify on its behalf that the licensee is not subject to denial of Federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. § 862.

If you have any questions regarding the foregoing, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kathleen A. Kirby".

Kathleen A. Kirby

Enclosure



**ENGINEERING STATEMENT OF JAMES D. SADLER  
IN SUPPORT OF A REQUEST FOR  
SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY  
STATION KPXQ – GLENDALE, ARIZONA  
1360 kHz – 50 kW-D, 1 kW-N, U, DA-N  
Facility ID: 55912**

**Licensee: Salem Communications Holding Corporation**

I am a Technical Consultant, an employee in the firm of Carl T. Jones Corporation, with offices located in Springfield, Virginia. My education and experience are a matter of record with the Federal Communications Commission.

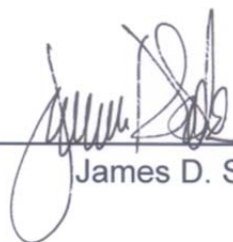
This office has been authorized by Salem Communications Holding Corporation ("SCHC"), licensee of AM Broadcast Station KPXQ, Glendale, Arizona, to prepare this engineering statement in support of a request for Special Temporary Authority (STA). Station KPXQ is licensed for operation on 1360 kilohertz with power of 50 kilowatts during daytime hours and 1 kilowatt during nighttime hours employing a directional antenna pattern during nighttime hours (DA-N). Station KPXQ is licensed pursuant to a proof of performance using method of moment modeling and internal array parameters (Section 73.151(c)).

Construction Permit, FCC File No. BP-20210528AAJ, authorizes SCHC to relocate the co-owned transmission facilities of AM Station KXXT, Tolleson, Arizona, to the licensed transmitter site of Station KPXQ and diplex onto the KPXQ existing three tower array. During the construction of the KXXT facilities, it may be necessary at times to operate KPXQ non-directionally at reduced power during daytime and/or nighttime hours or with its nighttime directional parameters at variance. Therefore it is requested that Special Temporary Authority (STA) be granted to operate Station KPXQ at reduced power during daytime hours, non-

directionally during nighttime hours at a power level no more than 25% of the authorized nighttime power, or with nighttime parameters at variance during the construction of the KXXT facilities. Following the construction of the KXXT facilities, the KPXQ operation will be restored and the nighttime pattern verified using method of moment modeling and internal array parameters. It is requested that the STA allow for the continued operation of the KPXQ nighttime directional operation with the new computer derived parameters during the preparation and Commission processing of the Application for Direct Measurement of Power.

This engineering statement was prepared by the undersigned and the information contained herein is believed to be true and correct.

DATED: March 17, 2022



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James D. Sadler