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

Re:

KOKC (AM), Oklahoma City, Oklahoma (FAC# 73981); Request for Extension Special Temporary Authority File No. BESTA-20220517AAA.

## Dear Madam Secretary:

On the behalf of Tyler Media, LLC, ("Tyler"), the Licensee of KOKC (AM), Oklahoma City, Oklahoma (FAC# 73981) ("Station" or "KOKC"), this is to respectfully request an Extension Special Temporary Authority ("STA") granted in BESTA-20220507AAA. Tyler has recently been granted a Construction Permit to modify the Station tower system (see BP-20220203AAB, granted 4/22/2022). The construction project has been delayed. Attached hereto is the timeline narrative for completion. Under the circumstances Tyler respectfully request an extension of STA for an additional 180 days.

Attached is the requisite Anti-Drug Abuse Certificate signed by Counsel. Pursuant to FCC *Public Notice*, DA 22-29, (released January 11, 2022) (the "Public Notice") this instant KOKC STA Request is being submitted by e-mail to <a href="mailto:audiofillings@fcc.gov">audiofillings@fcc.gov</a>.

Should there be any questions regarding this Request, please feel free to contact this Office.

John C. Trent

Attachment

cc: <u>audiofillings@fcc.gov</u> (Via E-mail Only)

## John Trent

From:

randy.m@tylermedia.com

Sent:

Thursday, November 10, 2022 12:45 PM

To:

'John Trent'

Cc:

'Robert Denegri'; 'Ty T'; 'Sharon Hinderer'; 'Scott Benton'

Subject:

RE: 302 AM & KOKC

Hi John:

Scott is currently at the KOKC site working on the rebuild. He asked me to respond to your request.

I don't know if you remember, but while operating on the omni STA, copper thieves stole all the antenna tuning components from two of the three towers and some of the transmission line. This made the rebuild more difficult due to supply issues.

Here is the current status.

- All three new towers have been installed
- Two new dogs houses for the ATU's have been installed.
- New, replacement transmission line has been installed, underground, to prevent theft.
- A new ground system for the new east tower is in progress along with repairs to the existing ground system.
- Jim Stanford, a consulting engineer, has been hired and is currently on site. He is evaluating
  the current phasor for needed design changes. He is also gathering parts and will begin
  construction of the new ATU's and Day/Night switching within the next few weeks.
- Once the new Antenna Tuning Units (ATU) are completed, the array will be retuned and a MOM proof done.

All of this is expected to be completed in the first quarter of 2023.

I hope this helps with the STA extension.

Randy

## **ANTI-DRUG ABUSE ACT CERTIFICATION**

The Applicant certifies that, in the case of an individual applicant, he or she is not subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. §853a, or, in the case of a nonindividual applicant (e.g., corporation, partnership or other unincorporated association), no party to the application is subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to that section. For the definition of a "party" for these purposes, see 47 C.F.R. §1.2002(b).

| Yes X                              | No                |
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| Name of Applicant Tyler Media, LLC | Signature         |
| 11/10/2022                         | Title:<br>COUNSEL |