

March 20, 2023

Via Email: audiofilings@fcc.gov

Audio Division, Media Bureau
Federal Communications Commission
45 L Street NE
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Request for Extension of Special Temporary Authority
KVVN(AM), Santa Clara, California (FIN 28438)
File No. BESTA-20220324AAB

Dear Sir or Madam:

Pham Radio Communication LLC (“Pham”), FRN: 0022875777, licensee of KVVN(AM), Santa Clara, California (FIN 28438) (“KVVN”), pursuant to the Audio Division guidance issued in January 2022,¹ respectfully requests a six-month extension of the Special Temporary Authority (“STA”) authorizing the station to operate with 25% of its licensed power and a non-directional pattern. *See* FCC File Nos. BESTA-20220324AAB (granted Apr. 22, 2022, as extended Oct. 21, 2022); BESTA-20210916AAI (granted Oct. 26, 2021); BESTA-20210305AAI (granted Apr. 7, 2021); and BSTA-20200924AAF (granted Sept. 29, 2020). The current STA, as extended, is scheduled to expire on April 20, 2023.

Pham is nearing the completion of the modified facilities authorized for co-owned station KLIV(AM), San Jose, CA, FIN 19531 (“KLIV”), see File No. BP-20200511AAK. The underlying construction permit expires on September 15, 2023. Once the modified facilities have been completed, KLIV will be co-located with KVVN, with a new daytime 6.2 kW ND pattern and a 5 kW nighttime DA pattern using the existing KVVN towers. KLIV is currently operating pursuant to an STA, File No. 20221222AAA (granted Jan. 20, 2023). Pham anticipates that the need for the KVVN and KLIV STAs will be eliminated once KLIV has filed a license to cover the modification application and begins operating with the KVVN towers. However, Pham has been attempting to schedule a tower crew to conduct the necessary installation, and due to the backlog of tower crew work, Pham remains unable to obtain an estimated timeline for such work to be completed.

¹ *Media Bureau Announces New Procedures for All Filings Currently Submitted in the Consolidated Database System (CDBS)*, Public Notice, DA 22-29 (MB rel. Jan. 11, 2022); *Media Bureau Reminder for Filings Previously Submitted in the Consolidated Database System (CDBS)*, Public Notice, DA 22-82 (MB rel. Jan. 25, 2022).

For these reasons, KVVN respectfully requests a 6-month STA extension.

Anti-Drug Abuse Act Certification

Undersigned counsel has been authorized by the licensee to state that neither it nor any party to this application is subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. § 862.

FCC Filing Fee

Upon receipt of the appropriate file number and fee payment information, the licensee will submit the associated application filing fee.

Should there be any questions concerning this filing, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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