



Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554
August 10, 2023

John Grossi, Secretary
Alpha Media Licensee LLC
1211 SW 5th Avenue, Suite 750
Portland, OR 97204

Re: Alpha Media Licensee, LLC (Alpha)
KUFO (AM), Portland, OR
Facility Identification Number: 26926
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
BESTA-20230725AAA

Dear Mr. Grossi:

This is in reference to the above-captioned request filed on July 25, 2023. Alpha requests a further extension of the STA originally granted on January 23, 2009, to continue operating with parameters at variance to allow time to file the required direct measurement of power application in LMS to certify all operating parameters.¹ In support of the request, Alpha stated that additional time is needed to file the application after final adjustments have been made to the detuning skirts on the nearby tall tower (due to the remaining TV repack related work being done now for TV stations KOIN, KATU, and KRCW).

Requests for extension of STA will be granted only where the licensee can show that one or more of the following criteria have been met:

- Restoration of licensed facilities is complete and testing is underway;
- Substantial progress has been made during the most recent STA period toward restoration of licensed operation; or
- No progress has been made during the most recent STA period for reasons clearly beyond the licensee's control, and the licensee has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem.

Accordingly, the request for extension of the STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and Alpha may continue to operate with parameters at variance (day and night) along with a reduced

¹ KUFO is licensed for operation on 970 kHz with 5 kW day (ND) and 5 kW night (DA).

nighttime power level (if needed) to maintain all monitor points within licensed limits. Alpha must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310.

This authority expires on **February 6, 2024**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Joe Szczesny". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Joe" being larger and more prominent than the last name "Szczesny".

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
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Media Bureau

cc: Gregory L. Masters, Esq., WR LLP (via e-mail only)