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Re: Houston Christian Broadcasters, Inc.
KHCB (AM), Galveston, Texas
Facility Identification Number: 27703
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed July 31, 2009, on behalf of Houston Christian Broadcasters, Inc. ("HCB"). HCB requests special temporary authority ("STA") for continued operation of Station KHCB beyond the August 6, 2009, expiration date of the limited Program Test Authority granted on May 6, 2009.

Our review indicates that STA is not appropriate in this case. Station KHCB is operating under limited Program Test Authority ("PTA"); thus, it should request extension of PTA. Moreover, the request does not include any justification for extension of limited PTA beyond the 90 days initially provided. HCB should file request for extension of PTA, with an explanation of the need for additional time to provide the information requested by the staff.

Accordingly, the request for STA IS HEREBY DENIED.

Sincerely,



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cc: Houston Christian Broadcasters, Inc.