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Re: KKYZ(FM), Sierra Vista, Arizona
Facility Identification Number: 2185
Cochise Broadcasting, LLC
Special Temporary Authorization

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed April 29, 2010, on behalf of Cochise Broadcasting, LLC ("Cochise"). Cochise requests further extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on April 28, 2009, to operate Station KKYZ from a site other than the licensed site.¹ In support of the request, Cochise states that the owner of the licensed tower has given notice that it intends to dismantle the licensed tower. Cochise states that its application for construction permit to implement a change in community has been granted (see Note 1, below.) but that at least six months will be required to implement the permit.

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.

Our review indicates that the licensee has made substantial progress toward restoring licensed operation; thus, extension of STA is warranted.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KKYZ may continue to operate with the following facilities:

¹ Station KKYZ is licensed to Sierra Vista, Arizona, for operation on Channel 269A (101.7 MHz) with effective radiated power ("ERP") of 3 kilowatts (H&V), and antenna height above average terrain ("HAAT") of 100 meters. Construction Permit BMPH-20051003CCZ authorizes a change in community of license to Tanque Verde, relocation of the transmitter, a class upgrade to Class C3, and operation with ERP of 24 kilowatts (Max-DA, H&V) at HAAT of 49 meters, employing a directional antenna.

Geographic coordinates:	31° 32' 55" N, 110° 14' 40" W (NAD 1927)
Channel	269 (101.7 MHz)
Effective radiated power:	1.4 kilowatts (H&V)
Antenna height:	
above ground:	50 meters
above mean sea level:	1399 meters
Above average terrain:	6 meters

Cochise 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 **December 10, 2010**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Charles N. Miller".

Charles N. Miller, Engineer
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cc: Cochise Broadcasting, LLC