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Re: KNYN (FM), Ft. Bridger, Wyoming  
Facility Identification Number: 87470  
M. Kent Frandsen  
Special Temporary Authorization

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed July 7, 2010, on behalf of M. Kent Frandsen ("MKF"). MKF requests further extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on December 7, 2005, to operate Station KNYN with emergency antenna facilities pursuant to Section 73.1680.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, MKF states that, following the collapse of the station's tower in an ice storm, the site owner has not yet reconstructed a stable replacement tower. MKF states that the site recently was sold and that he is coordinating with the new owner regarding plans to replace the tower, and that he is exploring other options for relocating the station.

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 been prevented from restoring licensed operation due to causes beyond its control and has taken all possible steps to resolve the problem; thus further extension of STA is warranted.

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<sup>1</sup> Station KNYN is licensed for operation on Channel 256C1 (99.1 MHz) with effective radiated power ("ERP") of 27.5 kilowatts (H&V), and antenna height above average terrain ("HAAT") of 489 meters. Construction Permit BPH-20070119AEV authorizes relocation of the transmitter and operation with 34 kW ERP (H only) and 453 meters HAAT.

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

|                           |                                         |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| Geographic coordinates:   | 41° 21' 10"N, 110° 54' 26" W (NAD 1927) |
| Channel                   | 256 (99.1 MHz)                          |
| Effective radiated power: | 0.625 kilowatt (H&V)                    |
| Antenna height:           |                                         |
| above ground:             | 5 meters                                |
| above mean sea level:     | 2629 meters                             |
| above average terrain:    | 456 meters                              |

MKF must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored. MKF 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 11, 2011**.

Sincerely,



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cc: M. Kent Frandsen