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Re:

KUNI(FM), Cedar Falls, Iowa

Facility Identification Number: 69158

University of Northern Iowa Special Temporary Authorization

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed July 14, 2010, on behalf of University of Northern Iowa ("UNI"). UNI requests extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on January 25, 2010, to operate Station KUNI with reduced power. In support of the request, UNI states that it has replaced some sections of its antenna but that serious equipment damage remains which likely will require replacement of the entire antenna, a process which will take several months to complete.

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 expeditiously resolve the problem. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

¹ KUNI is licensed for operation on Channel 215C (90.9 MHz) with effective radiated power of 100 kilowatts (H&V) and antenna height above average terrain of 524 meters.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KUNI may continue to operate with reduced power. UNI must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored. UNI 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 12, 2011.

Sincerely,

Charles N. Miller, Engineer

Audio Division Media Bureau

cc: University of Northern Iowa