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Re: KMXA(AM), Aurora, Colorado

Facility Identification Number: 10057

Entravision Holdings, LLC

Special Temporary Authorization

## Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed July 12, 2010¹, on behalf of Entravision Holdings, LLC ("Entravision"). Entravision requests extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on January 12, 2010, to operate Station KMXA with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits.² In support of the request, Entravision states that it has engaged an engineering firm to upgrade the station's phasing and coupling equipment, but that the work cannot commence until late August due to scheduling problems.

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 progress toward restoration of licensed operation, but additional time is required for completing the work. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KMXA may

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Processing of the request was delayed by a fee issue which has been resolved.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> KMXA is licensed for operation on 1090 kHz with 50 kilowatts daytime and 0.5 kilowatts nighttime, employing different directional antenna patterns during daytime and nighttime hours (DA-2-U).

operate with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits. Operation with a temporary nondirectional antenna and reduced power not to exceed 12.5 kilowatts daytime and 0.125 kilowatt nighttime also is authorized, only as necessary to facilitate the refurbishment work. Upon completion of the refurbishment work and, following adjustment of the antenna system to MOM parameters, KMXA may operate with its substantially adjusted daytime and nighttime directional patterns, with operating parameters as determined by the MOM model, pending the filing and processing of an application for license based on a MOM proof.<sup>3</sup> It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. Entravision 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: Entravision Holdings, LLC

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> During this mode of operation, the operating parameters shall be maintained within  $\pm 3^{\circ}$  phase and  $\pm 5\%$  current ratio of the MOM-derived parameters, which must be posted with the station license along with a copy of this letter.