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Re: KRSN (AM), Los Alamos, New Mexico
Facility Identification Number: 12810
Gillian Sutton
Special Temporary Authorization

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed July 30, 2010, on behalf of Gillian Sutton ("GS"). GS requests further extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted to former licensee Yvette Gonzales, Trustee, on March 29, 2006, to operate Station KRSN from a site other than the licensed site.¹ In support of the request, GS states that it has secured a new site and has obtained the necessary FAA and local zoning approvals. GS states that it expects to file a Form 301 application soon.

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 Application BP-20100811AAH is on file. Thus, the licensee has made substantial progress toward restoring licensed operation and extension of STA is warranted.

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

¹ KRSN is licensed for operation on 1490 kHz with 1.0 kilowatt daytime and 1.0 kilowatt nighttime, employing a nondirectional antenna (ND-1-U).

continue to operate with the following facilities:

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| Coordinates: | 35° 49' 28" NL, 106° 13' 19" WL (NAD 1927). |
| Frequency: | 1490 kHz |
| Operating hours: | Unlimited |
| Operating power: | 0.64 kilowatt |
| Antenna: | Nondirectional, employing an existing tower |
| Overall height | 60 meters |
| Antenna efficiency: | 317 mV/m/km/kW ² |

It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. It is anticipated that an application for construction permit on Form 301 will be filed prior to the expiration date below. GS 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 24, 2011**.

Sincerely,



Charles N. Miller, Engineer
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cc: Gillian Sutton

² millivolts per meter at one kilometer for one kilowatt input power