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Re: University of Southern Mississippi

WUSM-FM, Hattiesburg, Mississippi Facility Identification Number: 69214

Special Temporary Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed September 8, 2010, on behalf of University of Southern Mississippi ("USM"). USM requests further extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on February 27, 2009, to operate Station WUSM-FM with temporary facilities. In support of the request, USM states that it has filed and been granted a modification of its construction permit for operation with the STA facilities, and requests extension of STA pending the preparation and filing of an application for license.

Our review indicates that License Application BLED-20100921ABA is pending before the Commission. Thus, STA is no longer necessary.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS DISMISSED.

Sincerely,

Charles N. Miller, Engineer

Audio Division Media Bureau

cc: University of Southern Mississippi