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Re: Board of Regents of the  
Nevada System of Higher Education  
KNCC(FM), Elko, New York  
Facility Identification Number: 49582  
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed April 19, 2011, on behalf of the Board of Regents of the Nevada System of Higher Education ("NSHE"). NSHE requests extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on October 19, 2010, to operate Station KNCC with reduced power.<sup>1</sup>

In support of the request, NSHE states that the reduction in power results from requirements imposed by the owner of the shared transmitter site, and that its consulting engineer is preparing an application for permanent reduction of power.

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.

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<sup>1</sup> KNCC is licensed for operation on Channel 218A (91.5 MHz) with effective radiated power ("ERP") of 0.1 kW (H&V) and antenna height above average terrain of 622 meters. Application BMLED-20110610ACM proposes a reduction in ERP to 0.054 kW.

Our review indicates that Application BMLED-20110610ACM is pending; thus, 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.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KNCC may continue to operate with reduced power. NSHE 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 **December 14, 2011**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Charles N. Miller". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

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cc: Board of Regents of the Nevada System of Higher Education