

## Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

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## By Electronic Mail and Facsimile

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Re: Applications of Tribune Company, Debtor in Possession, and Licensee Subsidiaries, Debtors-in-Possession, for Consent to Assignment of Broadcast Station Licenses, MB Docket No. 10-104.

Dear Mr. Feore:

We are today stopping the clock on consideration of the license assignment applications related to the proposed transaction bringing the Tribune Companies out of bankruptcy, with retroactive effect. Confirmation of a plan of reorganization in the bankruptcy court has been significantly delayed and has not yet occurred, owing in large part to the Tribune Companies' inability to reach consensus with their creditors with respect to pursuit of potential claims identified in the Report of Kenneth N. Klee, the court appointed examiner. Since the resolution of those issues will determine whether the current application remains viable, or will have to be either substantially amended or withdrawn, the FCC has been unable to complete its review. Accordingly, we stop the clock effective July 26, 2010 (Day 74), which is the date on which Mr. Klee's report was filed. The future running of the clock will depend on developments in the bankruptcy cases.

Sincerely,

Barbara Kreisman Chief, Video Division

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Mr. Klee filed his report in the Tribune bankruptcy cases on July 26, 2010 (Docket Nos. 5130 through 5134 in Case No. 08-13141-kjc).