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Re: Educational Media Foundation
WKVU(FM), Utica, New York
Facility Identification Number: 54549
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed August 9, 2011, on behalf of Educational Media Foundation ("EMF"). EMF requests extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on February 7, 2011, to operate Station WKVU with reduced power.¹ In support of the request, EMF states that it is in the process of preparing a replacement transmitter for installation. EMF states that it expects to complete the installation within a couple of months.

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 WKVU may continue to operate with reduced power. EMF must notify the Commission when licensed

¹ WKVU is licensed for operation on Channel 297B (107.3 MHz) with effective radiated power of 50 kilowatts (H&V) and antenna height above average terrain of 152 meters.

operation is restored. EMF 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 **January 26, 2012**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Charles N. Miller", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Charles N. Miller, Engineer
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cc: Educational Media Foundation