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Re:

Denver Educational Broadcasting, Inc.

KVJZ(FM), Vail, Colorado

Facility Identification Number: 89878

Special Temporary Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed November 3, 2011, on behalf of Denver Educational Broadcasting, Inc. ("DEB"). DEB requests estension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on May 5, 2011, to operate Station KVJZ with reduced power.¹

In support of the request, DEB states that it continues to work toward resolving an interference issue.

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 been prevented from restoring licensed operation due to causes beyond its control and has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem.

¹ KVJZ is licensed for operation on Channel 203A (88.5 MHz) with effective radiated power of 5 kilowatts (H&V) and antenna height above average terrain of -241 meters.

Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KVJZ may continue to operate with reduced power. DEB must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored. DEB 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 June 16, 2012.

Sincerely,

Charles N. Miller, Engineer

Audio Division Media Bureau

cc: Denver Educational Broadcasting, Inc.