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Re: Board of Regents of the Nevada System of Higher Education KUNR(FM), Reno, Nevada Facility Identification Number: 69001 Special Temporary Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed September 14, 2012, on behalf of Board of Regents of the Nevada System of Higher Education ("NSHE"). NSHE requests modification of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on August 27, 2012, to operate Station KUNR with emergency antenna facilities pursuant to Section 73.1680.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, NSHE states that, following failure of the station's antenna, it restored operation with an emergency antenna mounted on the licensed tower with reduced power and antenna height. NSHE states that the new replacement antenna will be ready for installation in about a week, but that it will be mounted more than 4 meters below the currently licensed elevation. NSHE states that it has filed Application BPED-20120914ADR to reduce the antenna height, and requests STA for operation with the replacement antenna in the interim.

Our review indicates that the proposed operation will not result in extension of the 60 dBu contour beyond the licensed contour, so no interference to any other station is likely to result.

Accordingly, the request for modification of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KUNR may operate with the following facilities:

Geographic coordinates:	39° 15′ 34″ N, 119° 42′ 16″ W (NAD 1927)
Channel	204 (88.7 MHz)
Effective radiated power:	20 kilowatts (H&V)
Antenna type: Antenna height:	nondirectional
above ground:	29 meters
above mean sea level:	2297 meters

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> KUNR is licensed for operation on Channel 204C (88.7 MHz) with effective radiated power of 20 kilowatts (H&V) and antenna height above average terrain ("HAAT") of 661 meters. Application BPED-20120914ADR proposes a decrease in HAAT to 651 meters.

above average terrain:

651 meters

Authority remains in effect for operation with the previously authorized emergency antenna until operation commences with the replacement antenna. 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 March 18, 2013.

Sincerely,

Charles N. Miller, Engineer Audio Division Media Bureau

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