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Re: Public Broadcasting of Colorado, Inc.  
KCFC (AM), Boulder, Colorado  
Facility Identification Number: 70405  
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed August 31, 2012, on behalf of Public Broadcasting of Colorado, Inc. ("PBC"). PBC requests further extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on June 22, 2011, to operate Station KCFC with temporary facilities.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, PBC states that operation with full power from the STA site would produce prohibited overlap with Station KXRE, Manitou Springs, Colorado. PBC states that it has approached the KXRE licensee regarding this situation and that it is hopeful that an arrangement might be worked out.

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 been prevented from restoring licensed operation due to reasons beyond its control and has taken all possible steps to resolve the problem. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

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<sup>1</sup> KCFC is licensed for operation on 1490 kHz with 1 kilowatt daytime and 1 kilowatt nighttime, employing a nondirectional antenna (ND-1-U).

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KCFC may continue to operate with the following facilities:

Transmitter site:	Existing tower of Station KVCU(AM), Boulder, Colorado
Geographic coordinates	39° 57' 53" N, 105° 14' 07" W (NAD 1927)
Frequency	1490 KHz
Hours of operation	Unlimited
Operating power	Not to exceed 0.32 kilowatt
Antenna type	Nondirectional
Radiator height	112.7° (63 meters)
Antenna efficiency	320.4 mV/m/km/kW
Overall height	65.7 meters
ASRN	1033690

It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. PBC 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 14, 2013**.

Sincerely,



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