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Re: KWCR-FM, Ogden, Utah Weber State University

Facility Identification Number 71394

Special Temporary Authority BESTA-20130320ADV

## Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed March 20, 2013, on behalf of Weber State University ("WSU"). WSU requests extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on September 28, 2012, to operate Station KWCR-FM with temporary facilities.<sup>1</sup>

In support of the request, WSU states that the building on which the KWCR-FM facilities were located has been demolished, that contracts have not been negotiated for the location proposed in Construction Permit BPED-20101004ACP, and that the school administration has not made a final determination on a new location.<sup>2</sup>

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.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Station KWCR-FM is licensed (File No. BLED-19930903KA) for operation on Channel 201 (88.1 MHz) with effective radiated power of 2.00 kilowatts (H&V) and antenna height above average terrain of -96 meters.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Construction permit BPED-20101004ACP will expire on November 4, 2013.

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. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

Accordingly, the request for modification and extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KWCR-FM may continue to operate with the following facilities:

Geographic coordinates: 41° 09′ 57″ N, 112° 00′ 52″ W (NAD 1927)

Channel 201 (88.1 MHz)

Effective radiated power: 0.200 kilowatt (H &V)

Antenna height:

above ground: 22 meters above mean sea level: 1,417 meters above average terrain: -25 meters.

Our review shows that the FCC ASR for the antenna structure proposed for use by Station KWCR-FM contains an affirmative FAA Electromagnetic Interference flag. Therefore, this authorization is subject to the following condition:

Upon receipt of notification from the Federal Aviation Administration that harmful interference is being caused to any of its facilities by the operation of the Station KWCR-FM facilities specified herein, WSU must either immediately cease operation, reduce power to the point where no interference results, or take whatever other corrective action is necessary to eliminate the harmful interference.

WSU must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from radiofrequency exposure in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. See 47 CFR § 1.1310. The authority granted herein is without prejudice as to the Commission's final action with regard to any subsequently filed application for construction permit. Any construction undertaken pursuant to this authority is entirely at WSU's own risk.

This authority expires on **September 23, 2013**.

Sincerely,

Dale Bickel Senior Engineer Audio Division Media Bureau

cc: Weber State University