

## Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

April 1, 2013

1800E1-MHH

Young Broadcasting of Richmond, INC. c/o Brooks, Pierce, ET Al. P.O. BOX 1800 Raleigh, NC 27602

Re:

WRIC-TV

BDSTA-20130326AAP

Petersburg, VA Fac Id: 74416

## Dear Applicant:

This refers to your attorney's letter dated March 26, 2013, for special temporary authority (STA) to operate at reduced effective radiated power (ERP). You indicate that WRIC-TV's main antenna is inoperative at full power due to high VSWR attributable to a sudden antenna problem. The antenna's manufacture has advised that the antenna must be returned for assessment and repair or replacement. You mentioned that an emergency antenna has been installed at a tower elevation on the tower structure and was placed into operation. You state that reduced power operations will continue to be necessary while the applicant is trying to complete the repairs and restore full power operation.

In light of the above, special temporary authority pursuant to Sections 73.1560(d) and 73.1635 of the Commission's Rules until October 1, 2013 IS GRANTED.

We wish to point out that an extension of this request must include detailed reasons and a description of efforts being taken to return the station to full power operation.

Sincerely,

Kevin R. Harding

Associate Chief Video Division

Media Bureau

cc: Mark J. Park