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In re: KIRO(AM), Seattle, Washington
Facility Identification Number: 6362
Entercom Seattle News License, LLC
Request for Special Field Test Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to your letters of June 5 and 13, 2001, filed on behalf of Entercom Seattle News License, LLC (Entercom), licensee of Station KIRO(AM), Seattle, Washington. Special field test authority (SFTA) pursuant to 47 CFR §73.1515 is requested for operation of a 1000 watt test transmitter on 740 kHz, employing a temporary tower at geographic coordinates 47° 39' 35" NL, 121° 54' 10" WL.

It is proposed to conduct field strength measurements pursuant to 47 CFR § 73.1515 and other applicable sections of the Commission's Rules, to independently confirm measurements taken by the applicant in FCC File No. BNP-20010212ABT, which potentially impacts on Entercom's Stations KIRO and KNWX. The request provides details of the proposed SFTA operation. Entercom states that it is not likely that the proposed SFTA operation will cause interference to any other station.

Our review confirms that no interference to any other station is likely. SFTA will be granted as requested.

In light of the above, the requested special field test authority IS HEREBY GRANTED. Call Sign KI6XRO is assigned to the test station. Station KI6XRO may operate with the following facilities:

Frequency:	740 kHz
Hours of operation:	Non-critical daytime hours only
Coordinates:	47° 39' 35" NL, 121° 54' 10" WL (NAD 1927)
Power:	1000 watts
Antenna type:	Temporary tower, nondirectional
Radiator height:	32.5°
Overall height:	36.6 meters (120')
Ground system	Six radials, each (30.5 m) in length

Transmissions shall consist of unmodulated carrier plus hourly station identification announcements. A report detailing the methodology employed and the results obtained must be submitted within sixty days following the conclusion of the experimental operation pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 73.1515(c)(7). It will be necessary to reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. It will be necessary to reduce power or cease operation to protect persons having access to the site from radio frequency radiation in excess of FCC guidelines.

This special field test authority expires **September 13, 2001.**

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Edward P. De La Hunt", with a large, stylized flourish at the end.

Edward P. De La Hunt
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cc: Entercom Seattle News License, LLC