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> Re: KPSC(FM), Palm Springs, California University of Southern California Facility Identification Number: 69394 Special Temporary Authority BESTA-20130916AAX

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed Deptember 16, 2013, on behalf of University of Southern California ("USC"). USC requests an extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted March 26, 2013 to continue operating KPSC with emergency antenna facilities pursuant to Section 73.1680.<sup>1</sup> USC advises that the replacement facilities are substantially constructed, and the licensee will soon be applying for a license to cover construction permit BPED-20130617AAD.

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.

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

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> KPSC is licensed for operation on Channel 203A (88.5 MHz) with effective radiated power of 1.25 kilowatts (H&V) and antenna height above average terrain of 179 meters.

Geographic coordinates:	33° 51´ 56″ N, 116° 26´ 04″ W (NAD 1927)
Channel	203 (88.5 MHz)
Effective radiated power:	1.25 kilowatts (V only)
Antenna manufacturer and type:	Scala, FMV-2, nondirectional
Antenna height:	
above ground:	9 meters
above mean sea level:	466 meters
above average terrain:	161 meters

USC 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.

This authority expires on May 5, 2014.

Sincerely,

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cc: University of Southern California