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Re: KUFO (AM), Portland, Oregon
Facility Identification Number: 26926
Alpha Licensee, LLC (Alpha)
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
BESTA-20140114AFB

Dear Ms. Sarver:

This is in reference to the above-captioned request filed on January 14, 2014. Alpha requests extension of the STA granted on January 23, 2009, to operate Station KUFO with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits.¹ In support of the request, Alpha states that additional equipment repairs were made, but final adjustment of the antenna system has not been completed due to weather related stability issues.

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.

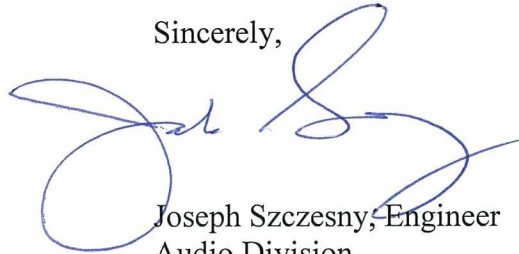
Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KUFO

¹ KUFO is licensed for operation on 970 kHz with 5 kW day (ND) and 5 kW night (DA).

may continue to operate with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. Alpha must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored.² Alpha 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. We anticipate that Alpha will file an FCC Form 302 application to allow for resumption of licensed operations before the expiration date shown below (since equipment repairs have been completed).

This authority expires on **July 20, 2014**.

Sincerely,



Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
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cc: Lawrence R. Wilson, Secretary, Alpha

² *See* 47 CFR §§ 73.45(c), 73.51, 73.54, 73.61(b).