

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

June 10, 2014

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Re: KTNW-TV

BDSTA-20140606AAL

Richland, WA Fac Id: 71023

Dear Applicant:

This refers to your attorney's letter dated June 6, 2014, for special temporary authority (STA) to operate at reduced effective radiated power (ERP). You indicate that station KTNW began operating at 23 kW ERP (50% of its authorized power level) on May 27, 2014 due to equipment damage resulting from a lightning strike at the transmitter site. You state that reduced power operations will continue to be necessary while the applicant is trying to repair the equipment 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 December 10, 2014 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: Barry S. Persh