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Re: Townsquare Media Texarkana License, LLC (TMTL)

KOSY(AM), Texarkana, Arkansas Facility Identification Number: 7072 Special Temporary Authority (STA)

BESTA-20140619ABG

Dear Mr. Liberman:

This is in reference to the request filed on June 19, 2014. TMTL requests a third extension of the STA granted on December 4, 2012, to operate station KOSY with parameters at variance from licensed values and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within license limits due to antenna monitor problems.¹ In support of the request, TMTL states that additional time is needed to complete repairs.

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.

We noted that TMTL did not provide any new information to show that substantial progress had been made in the last six month STA period toward restoration of licensed operations, or provide a list of what repairs remain. As a result, we will grant a reduced period

¹ KOSY is licensed for operation on 790 kHz with 1 kW (ND) day and 0.5 kW (DA) night.

of time and recommend that TMTL complete all repairs and file an FCC Form 302 application before the expiration date shown below (to avoid a possible cancellation of this STA).

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KOSY may operate with parameters at variance from licensed values 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. TMTL must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored.² TMTL 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.

This authority expires on **December 18, 2014**.

Sincerely,

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer

Audio Division Media Bureau

cc: Steven Price, CEO and President, TMTL

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