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Jenny L. Gentry, Sr. VP Fin & Admin Public Broadcasting of Colorado, Inc. Bridges Broadcast Center 7409 South Alton Court Centennial, CO 80112

> Re: Public Broadcasting of Colorado, Inc. (PBC) KCFC(AM), Boulder, CO Facility Identification Number: 70405 Special Temporary Authority (STA) BESTA- 20161220AAE

Dear Ms. Gentry:

This is in reference to the request filed on December 20, 2016. PBC requests a further extension of the STA granted on June 22, 2011, to continue operating using an alternate site pending the filing of the required FCC Form 301 application to propose a new permanent facility at the KVCU transmitter site. In support of the request, we note that PBC plans to file the application within the next six months.

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.

¹ KCFC is licensed for ND operation on 1490 kHz with 1 kW day and night.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and PBC may continue to operate with the following facilities:

Transmitter site:

KVCU(AM), Boulder, CO (ID# 48965)

Geographic coordinates:

39° 57′ 53″ N, 105° 14′ 07″ W (NAD 1927)

Frequency:

1490 KHz

Hours of operation:

Unlimited

Operating power:

0.32 kW maximum

Antenna type:

Non-directional

Radiator height:

112.7° (63 meters)

Antenna efficiency:

320.4 mV/m/km/kW

Overall height:

65.7 meters

ASRN:

1033690

It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. PBC 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 July 11, 2017.

Sincerely,

Joe Szczesny, Engineer

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cc: William K. Keane, Esq., DM LLP (via e-mail only)