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Re: KRSN(AM), Los Alamos, New Mexico
Facility Identification Number : 12810
Gillian Sutton
Special Temporary Authorization

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed September 19, 2006, on behalf of Gillian Sutton ("GS"). GS requests extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted to former licensee Yvette Gonzales, Trustee, on March 29, 2006, to operate Station KRSN from a site other than the licensed site.¹ In support of the request, GS states that the search continues for a new, permanent site for the station following loss of the licensed transmitter site.

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.

Our review indicates that the licensee has been prevented from restoring licensed operation due to causes beyond its control and has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.²

¹ KRSN is licensed for operation on 1490 kHz with 1.0 kilowatt daytime and 1.0 kilowatt nighttime, employing a nondirectional antenna (ND-1-U).

² The request indicated operating power of one kilowatt. However, the original STA was granted with a power reduction to 640 watts; consequently, extension is granted for 640 watts and not one kilowatt as requested.

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

Coordinates:	35° 49' 28" NL, 106° 13' 19" WL (NAD 1927).
Frequency:	1490 kHz
Operating hours:	Unlimited
Operating power:	0.64 kilowatt (See Note 2)
Antenna:	Nondirectional, employing an existing tower
Overall height	60 meters
Antenna efficiency:	317 mV/m/km/kW ³

It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. It is anticipated that an application for construction permit on Form 301 will be filed prior to the expiration date below. GS 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 **February 7, 2008**.

Sincerely,



Charles N. Miller, Engineer
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cc: Gillian Sutton

³ millivolts per meter at one kilometer for one kilowatt input power