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David A. Jones, VP  
Seattle FCC License Sub, LLC  
3415 University Avenue, West  
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Re: Seattle FCC License Sub, LLC (SFL)  
KKNW(AM), Seattle, WA  
Facility Identification Number: 57834  
Special Temporary Authority (STA)  
BESTA-20190610AAJ

Dear Mr. Jones:

This is in reference to the request filed on June 10, 2019. SFL requests a further extension of the STA granted on November 17, 2016, to continue operating with parameters at variance due to the on-going light rail project adjacent to the transmitter site.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, SFL states that additional time will be needed pending completion of the project.

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 the STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and SFL may continue to operate with day and night parameters at variance and/or reduced power if needed to maintain nighttime monitor points within licensed limits. SFL must reduce power or

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<sup>1</sup> KKNW(AM) is licensed for operation on 1150 kHz with 10 kW ND day and 6 kW DA night.

cease operation if complaints of interference are received, and 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. SFL must submit an e-mail to my attention to certify the date the station resumed licensed operations per BML-20130821ADN with negligible changes to all operating parameters.

This authority expires on **January 15, 2020**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of a large, stylized initial 'J' followed by a series of loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer  
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cc: Kenneth E. Satten, Esq., WBK LLP (via email only)