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KTRS-AM License, LLC. (KLL)

KTRS(AM), St. Louis, MO

Facility Identification Number: 20359 Special Temporary Authority (STA)

BESTA-20190809AAE

Dear Mr. House:

This is in reference to the request filed on August 9, 2019. KLL requested a further extension of the STA granted on July 25, 2018, to continue ND operation at night to allow time to complete repairs and file the required FCC Form 302 application (due to the replacement of one nighttime tower). That request was granted on August 29, 2019, and we have received information from Citicasters Licenses, Inc. (CLI) that station WKRC (ID# 29737) was receiving interference from this STA operation, and that KLL reduced power to 0.4 kW to alleviate the problem.

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 KTRS(AM) is licensed for operation on 550 kHz with 5 kW day (ND) and night (DA).

Accordingly, the STA issued on August 29, 2019 is HEREBY SUPERSEDED, and KLL may now operate ND at night using a reduced maximum power level of 0.4 kW (with no change to the daytime licensed 5 kW ND operation). KLL must reduce power or cease operations if any additional 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. KLL must submit an e-mail to my attention after the FCC Form 302 application has been filed to update all operating parameters.

This authority expires on February 28, 2020.

Sincerely,

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer

Audio Division Media Bureau

cc: Troy Langham, CLI (via e-mail only)