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Phuong Pham, President
Pham Radio Communication LLC
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Re: Pham Radio Communication LLC (PRC)
KVVN(AM), Santa Clara, CA
Facility Identification Number: 28438
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
BESTA-20210305AAI

Dear Mr. Pham:

This is in reference to the request filed on March 5, 2021. PRC requests an extension of the STA granted on September 29, 2020, to continue operating ND with reduced power until problems with the pattern switching equipment have been resolved (due to recurring vandalism to fencing, ATU buildings, and power lines).¹ In support of the request, PRC stated that the vandalism problem will hopefully be resolved 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

Accordingly, the request for extension of the STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and PRC may continue to operate ND with a maximum of 0.25 kW day and 0.625 kW night. PRC 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. PRC must submit a brief e-mail to my attention to note the date the station resumed licensed operations per BMML- 20110620AIE with negligible changes (to ensure an FCC Form 302 application is not required to update any of the old operating parameters).

¹ KVVN(AM) is licensed for DA operation on 1430 kHz with 1 kW day and 2.5 kW night, using different patterns.

This authority expires on **October 6, 2021.**

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Joe Szczesny". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Joe" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "Szczesny".

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
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cc: David A. O'Connor, Esq., WBK LLP (via email only)