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John Grossi, Secretary
Alpha Media Licensee LLC
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Re: Alpha Media Licensee, LLC (Alpha)
KUFO (AM), Portland, Oregon
Facility Identification Number: 26926
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
BESTA-20210719AAF

Dear Mr. Grossi:

This is in reference to the above-captioned request filed on July 19, 2021. Alpha requests a further extension of the STA granted on January 23, 2009, to continue operating with parameters at variance to allow time to file the required FCC Form 302 application.¹ In support of the request, Alpha stated that additional time is needed to file the application due to on-going work on three collocated TV stations.

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 Alpha may continue to operate with parameters at variance (day and night) along with a reduced nighttime power if needed to maintain all monitor points within licensed limits. Alpha must use

¹ KUFO is licensed for operation on 970 kHz with 5 kW day (ND) and 5 kW night (DA).

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. Alpha must submit an e-mail to my attention to note the date the application was filed to update all operating parameters.

This authority expires on **February 3, 2022**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Joe Szczesny". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Joe" being larger and more prominent than the last name "Szczesny".

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
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cc: Gregory L. Masters, Esq., WR LLP (via e-mail only)