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James G. Withers, Partner
Withers Family Texas Holdings, LP
1921 Crampton Court
Chesterfield, Missouri 63017

Re: Withers Family Texas Holdings, LP
KSIX (AM), Corpus Christi, Texas
Facility Identification Number: 13964
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Mr. Withers:

This is in reference to the request filed September 8, 2008, on behalf of Withers Family Texas Holdings, LP ("WFT"). WFT requests further extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on April 6, 2007, to operate Station KSIX with temporary facilities.¹ In support of the request, WFT states that it is unable to complete measurements necessary for its license application (See Note 1, below) because of ongoing construction by host Station KEYS.

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; thus, extension of STA is warranted. **However, our review further indicates that Construction Permit BMP-20060612AAO expired on October 5, 2008, and that neither an application for license to cover the permit nor a request for tolling of the time to construct has been filed. Consequently, it will be necessary for WFT to submit an**

¹ KSIX is licensed for operation on 1230 kHz with 1 kilowatt daytime and 1 kilowatt nighttime, employing a nondirectional antenna (ND-1-U). Construction Permit BMP-20060612AAO authorized relocation of the transmitter, an increase in antenna height and a reduction in power to 0.72 kilowatt. The permit expired on October 5, 2008.

application for a new construction permit.

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

Frequency	1230 kHz
Transmitter site	Existing site of Station KEYS(AM), Corpus Christi, TX
Geographic coordinates	27° 47' 01" N, 97° 27' 30" W (NAD 1927)
Operating power	Not to exceed 0.72 kilowatt
Antenna	Existing KEYS Tower #4
Radiator height	124.7° (84.5 m)
Antenna efficiency	327.8 mV/m/km/kW ²
ASRN	1053363

It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. WFT 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 **December 8, 2009**. **No extension of this authority is contemplated absent the filing of an application for construction permit to replace expired Permit BMP-20060612AAO.**

Sincerely,



Charles N. Miller, Engineer
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² Millivolts per meter at one kilometer for one kilowatt input power.