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February 6, 2015

Kona Coast Radio, LLC
87 Jasper Lake Road
Loveland, CO 80537

Re: KIMI (FM), Malvern, IA
Kona Coast Radio, LLC
Facility Identification Number: 189501
Special Temporary Authority
BESTA-20150123AGU

Dear Licensee:

This is in reference to your request filed January 23, 2015, seeking extension of the July 31, 2014 Special Temporary Authority (STA) to operate with the facilities specified in construction permit BMPH-20140113ADO, but at the reduced power of 0.110 kW. Your STA extension request repeats the information provided in the initial STA request, specifically, that Kona Coast Radio has been working with the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) regarding the potential for interference from KIMI to the Runway 30 ILS frequency at Ofutt Air Force Base. You again provide a copy of a "Determination of No Hazard to Air Navigation" issued by the FAA on July 25, 2014, for operation at an effective radiated power (ERP) of 0.110 kW. While operation at this power level does not cover the community of license with 60 dBu coverage, it permits this station to continue operating with its already-constructed construction permit facility. Full power operation must await the FAA's change of the ILS frequency, or some other change, to avoid interference.

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.

The STA request does not provide any evidence of progress on the matter, but given the nature of the situation, we expect that it will take some time to completely resolve. Nevertheless, Kona Coast must provide a summary of where matters currently stand in any future requests for extension of this STA.

The request for STA extension IS GRANTED. KIMI may continue to operate with the facilities specified in construction permit BMPH-20140113ADO, but at the reduced ERP of 0.110 kW. Kona Coast Radio must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from radiofrequency exposure in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310.

This authority expires on **August 5, 2015**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Dale Bickel".

Dale Bickel
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cc: Victor A. Michael (via e-mail only)