



Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554
June 7, 2023

Darren Girdner
G2 Media Group LLC
P.O. Box 428
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Re: G2 Media Group LLC (G2)
KFSW(AM), Fort Smith, AR
Fac. ID No.: 87114
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
BESTA-20230511AAC

Dear Mr. Girdner:

This is in reference to the request filed on May 11, 2023. G2 requests a further extension of the STA granted on May 4, 2022, to continue operating with reduced power of 0.5 kW to allow time to complete repairs, which included the installation of a new 10 kW transmitter (due to flood damage).¹ In support of the request, G2 stated that it has completed most of the repairs, and plans to complete all remaining work within the next 90 days.

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.

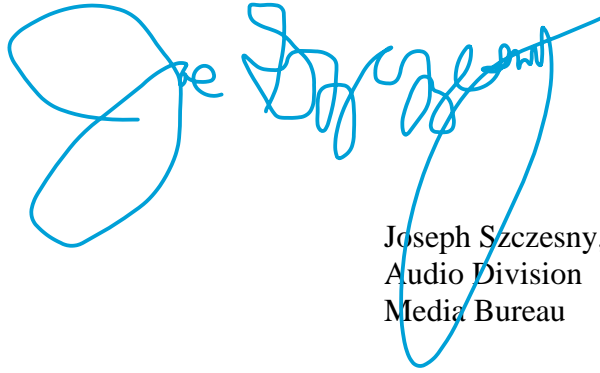
Accordingly, the request for extension of the STA is GRANTED, and G2 may continue to operate may operate with a reduced power of 0.5 kW day and night. G2 must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310. G2 must submit a brief e-mail to my attention to confirm the date the station resumed licensed operations

¹ KFSW(AM) is licensed for ND operation on 1650 kHz with 10 kW day and 1 kW night.

per BL-20001221ACS with negligible changes to all engineering parameters (to verify no further STA operation will be needed).

This authority expires on **December 4, 2023.**²

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Joe Szczesny", with a large, stylized loop at the end.

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
Audio Division
Media Bureau

cc: Allan G. Moskowitz, Esq. (via e-mail only)

²Periods of operation pursuant to this STA shall be recorded in the station's records (see 47 CFR § 73.1820). The records shall include start/stop dates and times of such operation. These log entries must be maintained for a minimum of two years as specified in 47 CFR § 73.1840(a), unless a longer retention period is requested by the staff. Periods of operation may be subject to independent verification that they in fact occurred.