

Telemundo of Puerto Rico, licensee of UHF Digital TV Translator W09AT (Facility ID: 64973, Fajardo, Puerto Rico (the "Translator")), hereby requests Special Temporary Authority ("STA") for the Translator to remain silent. As widely reported and documented, Hurricane Maria destroyed Puerto Rico's power grid and rendered travel difficult and often impossible throughout many areas of the island. Further, as documented in the Commission's DIRS system, communications systems on the island have suffered substantial damage, rendering many facilities inoperable. Current predictions by local officials are that electrical power could be restored in three to four months.

We are now beginning to receive reports on the status of our facilities beyond the San Juan metropolitan area; however, at this time station personnel are unable to access this Translator; therefore, we cannot currently provide its status. Our engineer is planning to travel to the Translator as soon as possible, at which time, we hope to have a clearer picture of its viability.

For the reasons detailed herein, we ask the Commission to grant this STA request.