## **EXHIBIT**

Broadcasting Licenses, L.P. ("BLLP"), licensee of television translator station K26NB-D, Klamath Falls, Oregon (Facility ID 129027) (the "Station"), by its attorneys and pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 73.1740(a)(4) ("Section 1740"), hereby respectfully requests special temporary authority ("STA") to remain off the air beyond March 31, 2019, the 30<sup>th</sup> day after March 1, 2019, the date the Station went silent.

Section 1740 allows broadcast stations to remain off air for 30 days without Commission authority, but requires stations to seek special temporary authority ("STA") to remain silent for longer periods. This request seeks the requisite STA.

Over the recently ended winter months, the Southeastern part of Oregon was hit with an extraordinary amount of snow, leading to the Station's technical failure on March 1 and subsequent blockage of BLLP attempts to access the Station site for repairs. During this period, BLLP searched to locate a vehicle and operator to safely access the site. However, that effort was unsuccessful and the Station must now wait until the snow melts to gain access to the site. BLLP notes that a recent attempt to access the site resulted in a 911 call for rescue, confirming that attempts to restore the transmitter site's functionality must be temporarily postponed to ensure the safety of all employees. Given weather uncertainties, BLLP does not at this time have an estimate or timeframe as to when service will be restored.

Under these circumstances, Commission grant of an STA to allow the Station to remain silent for the maximum permissible length of time is amply warranted and respectfully requested.