

**Amendment to Pending STA Extension Request to
Renew Request for Extension of STA to Remain Silent and
Request Waiver of Section 312(g) of the Communications Act**

Deerfield Media (Reno) Licensee, LLC (the “Licensee”), licensee of K23DT-D, Tahoe City, CA (Facility ID 19197) (the “Station”) hereby respectfully amends its pending STA extension request, filed May 28, 2019, to renew its request for extension of Special Temporary Authority to remain silent pending grant of an engineering STA that would permit the Station operate at variance while it awaits grant of a displacement application and completes its transition to channel 34 displacement facilities. To enable an extension of silent authority beyond twelve consecutive months and the Station’s resumption of operations pursuant to an engineering STA, Licensee also respectfully requests a waiver of Section 312(g) of the Communications Act and, to the extent necessary, reinstatement of the Station license.

The Station filed its original request for STA on December 7, 2018 following its displacement by a full-power television station’s post-incentive auction repack transition. *See File No.* 0000064039. The Station has been working diligently since then to find and evaluate suitable displacement channel options and has also investigated technology that would enable the station to get back on air on its current channel.

The Station has now identified an engineering solution that would enable it to resume operations on its current channel at variance from licensed parameters and has located a suitable displacement channel. The Station will soon, or simultaneously herewith, file a request for engineering STA and a displacement application to relocate to channel 34.

Grant of this STA extension request and grant of this waiver and reinstatement request would therefore serve the public interest by preserving the license of a low power station that has been forced to suspend operations due to factors beyond the Licensee’s control. Where a station has been silent for more than twelve consecutive months, Section 312(g) of the Communications Act provides the Commission with authority to extend or reinstate a station license “if the holder of the station license prevails in an administrative or judicial appeal, the applicable law changes, or for any other reason to promote equity and fairness.” Here, granting the Station’s requests would promote equity and fairness because the factors that caused the Station’s suspension of operations were entirely outside Licensee’s control and the Licensee has expended time and resources on—and has now found—solutions to enable the Station to resume operations in the very near future.