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**W43CB-D FI 6044  
Ministerio Oscar Aguero, Inc.  
STA Extension Waiver 312(g)  
File # 0000112402**

The Applicant has previously submitted and been granted a 312(g) Waiver request for the above listed facility.

Since the last request the Applicant has filed to change location as they were unable to come to terms with the tower company. The Applicant has submitted a request to the new site owners and is awaiting response from same in order to reach reasonable financial commitments for a long term tower lease.

The Applicant has received quotes for a new transmitter and antenna system and has contracted with a Project Manager to complete construction of the station on its new channel assignment.

As the Applicant has previously stated, they do not have the financial means to commit to purchases of equipment until such time as they are assured that they will receive reimbursement. The Applicant is hesitant to commit to equipment until they receive permission to build at the new site.

These delays have occurred as a result of the dynamics of the entire Repack Process and the availability of professionals to assist the Applicant, as they do not have their own staff to implement the construction of Ch 3.

We respectfully request a continued extension of File #0000112402 as we are working diligently to get the final details resolved and complete the project.

Respectfully submitted,  
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**MINISTERIO OSCAR AGUERO, INC.  
Legal STA Extension Justification**

Ministerio Oscar Aguero, Inc (“Licensee”), Licensee of W43CB-D, Matecumbe, Florida (Facility ID 6044) (“Station”), respectfully requests an extension of the Special Temporary Authority (“STA”) under which the Station is currently licensed but silent. Licensee seeks an STA because the Station was displaced as part of the incentive auction and repack process and has been unable to commence operations on its post-auction facilities. The Commission previously granted the Licensee’s STA requests for the Station related to the repack process on August 27, 2018 (*See* File No. 0000059143) and October 29, 2019 (*See* File No. 0000080206).<sup>1</sup> In light of the ongoing difficulty in commencing operations on the Station’s post-auction facilities, Licensee requests a further 180 day STA for the Station to remain silent.

**MINISTERIO OSCAR AGUERO, INC.  
Section 312(g) Waiver**

Ministerio Oscar Aguero, Inc (“Licensee”), Licensee of W43CB-D, Matecumbe, Florida (Facility ID 6044) (“Station”), requests that the Commission waive Section 312(g), which generally prohibits broadcast stations from remaining silent for more than one year. Licensee’s exhibit in support of the requested STA also addresses Licensee’s waiver request. The Commission previously waived Section 312(g) when it granted Licensee’s STA request for the Station on October 29, 2019. At that time, the Commission noted that it understood that waiver of Section 312(g) may be necessary for some LPTV and TV translator stations forced off the air as a result of the incentive auction and repack process. Licensee continues to work to finish construction on its post-auction facilities. However, the financial strain of that process has slowed construction of the Station’s new facilities. That said, Licensee remains undeterred, and progress on the new facilities continues. Therefore, Licensee asks the Commission to waive Section 312(g) on the same basis it previously waive the section in granting the Station’s prior STA.

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<sup>1</sup> This Request indicates that the Station went silent on the same day the Request was filed. As the previously filed STAs indicate, the Station has in fact been silent since August 24, 2018. Because the FCC’s LMS filing system will not permit Licensee to enter a date more than 30 days prior to filing a Silent STA Request, staff advised Licensee to file its Request with a recent silent date and a footnote clarifying the silent date indicated in the previously granted STAs.