



## **TRANSLATOR DISPLACEMENT FILING FREEZE WAIVER REQUEST**

Oklahoma Educational Television Authority (OETA) hereby requests a waiver of the Displacement Filing Freeze (see Freeze on the Filing of Applications for Digital Replacement Translator Stations and Displacement Application, FCC Public Notice 29 FCC Rcd 6063 (MB 2014)).

This waiver is requested in order to file an application for a new channel for this translator due to the receipt of a 120-Day Commencement of Operations letter from a successful FCC Incentive Auction Winning Bidder. The winning bidder has notified the licensee that it intends to commence operations in the area and that the translator must cease operations on its existing channel. Consequently, the licensee has filed this application in accordance with the procedures set forth in the FCC Public Notice regarding TV Translator STA and Displacement Window Filing Procedures (DA 17-584, June 14, 2017).

The licensee is filing an application for a new channel that demonstrates compliance with the processing and interference standards as outlined in the Public Notice.

Furthermore, the licensee will be filing a companion Legal STA to enable operations on the proposed displacement channel in the interim until the Displacement Filing Window Applications have been processed.