Extraordinary Circumstances Requiring STA

The WHIZ-DT, Ch. 40. license reflects use of a directional antenna. The actual antenna in use is non-directional. The discrepancy appears to be the result of an error in completing the engineering section of a license application in 2007. The error was never noticed until discovered by a consulting engineer. WHIZ-TV will be switching to Ch. 30 under the Commission's re-pack procedure.

The purpose of the STA is to allow WHIZ-DT to continue to operate non-directionally on Ch.40 as it has been doing for almost ten years, until it moves to Ch.30. The issue was discussed with Commission Staff who agreed that the instant STA filing should be made.