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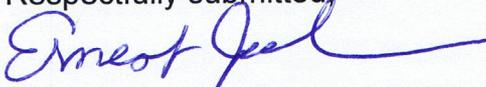
Re: K38NR-D, Alexandria, LA
File No. BLDTL-20140729AAT
Facility ID Number: 189745
Separate request for reinstatement and extension under section 312(g)

To whom it may concern:

Developers and Managers Group, LLC (DMG) request the Commission reinstate and extend low power television station license K38NR-D under Section 312(g) of the Communications Act of 1934¹. **Request.** As part of the Incentive Auction and repacking process, K38NR'S channel 38 was reallocated for use by wireless operator T-Mobile USA (T-Mobile). As a result of notification by T-Mobile, K38NR has been silent since September 7, 2018. 7 K38NR timely filed a displacement application requesting a construction permit for channel 4 in the Commission's displacement application filing window for low power television stations that were displaced by the incentive auction and repacking process. 8 K38NR'S application for channel 4 was granted on June 1, 2018. Since the grant of its displacement application, K38NR states that it has worked diligently to complete construction of the Station's displacement facilities on channel 4. The FCC's construction permit is scheduled to expire on August 20, 2021. DMG expects to complete construction of the Station's permanent displacement facilities and began operations with reduced power by August 20, 2021. 9 DMG requests that the reinstate K38NR license because its silence was fully attributable to circumstances beyond its control relating to it being displaced by the Incentive Auction and repacking process. Further, DMG argues that a grant of the requested relief will promote equity and fairness. DMG maintains that K38NR was forced to vacate its channel due to a notice from T-Mobile. DMG states that it worked diligently to resume operations within the one-year period under section 312(g) but ultimately has fallen short. DMG believed that T-Mobile bought the K38NR license and was not notified of the requirement to file an STA until informed in email dated March 1, 2021 from Mr. Andrew Kennedy. It has not been one year since being informed and DMG expects to begin operating next month.¹ Therefore, DMG seeks reinstatement of the Station's license pursuant to section 312(g) to promote equity and fairness.

Your consideration and approval of this request will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,



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¹ See letter from AnyWave attached hereto.