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Re: Citicasters Licenses, LP  
KFXD (AM), Boise, Idaho  
Facility Identification Number: 63915  
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed June 8, 2007, on behalf of Citicasters Licenses, LP ("Citicasters"). Citicasters requests extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on March 9, 2007, to operate Station KFXD with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, Citicasters states that it continues to investigate irregularities in the station's monitor point readings.

Requests for extension of STA will be granted only where the licensee can show that one or more of the following criteria have been met:

- Restoration of licensed facilities is complete and testing is underway;
- Substantial progress has been made during the most recent STA period toward restoration of licensed operation; or
- No progress has been made during the most recent STA period for reasons clearly beyond the licensee's control, and the licensee has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem.

Our review indicates that the licensee has made progress toward restoration of licensed operation, but additional time is required for completing the work. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KFXD may continue to operate with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor


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<sup>1</sup> KFXD is licensed for operation on 630 kHz with 5 kilowatts daytime and 5 kilowatts nighttime, employing different directional antenna patterns daytime and nighttime (DA-2-U).

points within licensed limits. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. Citicasters must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored.<sup>2</sup> Citicasters must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. See 47 CFR § 1.1310.

This authority expires on **March 10, 2008**. Any request for further extension of this authority must be accompanied by a detailed progress report, and will be evaluated on the basis of the information provided.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Charles N. Miller", written in a cursive style.

Charles N. Miller, Engineer  
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cc: Citicasters Licenses, LP

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<sup>2</sup> See 47 CFR §§ 73.45(c), 73.51, 73.54, 73.61(b).