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July 20, 2015

Gregory F. Buser, President
KNZA, Inc.
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Hiawatha, KS 66434 - 0104

Re: KNZA, Inc. (KNZA)
KAIR(AM), Atchison, KS
Facility Identification Number: 33398
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
BESTA-20150623ABM

Dear Mr. Buser:

This is in reference to the request filed on June 23, 2015. KNZA requests a fourth extension of the STA granted on July 9, 2013, to operate with emergency antenna facilities pursuant to 73.1680 due to equipment problems.¹ In support of the request, KNZA states that additional time is needed to complete all repairs.

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.

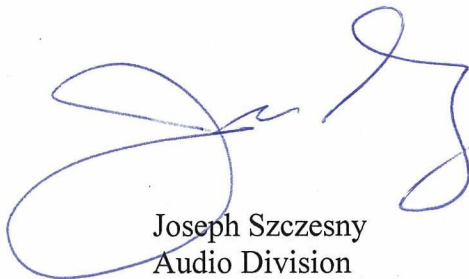
Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KAIR(AM) may continue to operate with an emergency ND antenna and reduced power not to exceed 0.25 kW. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. KNZA must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure

¹ KAIR(AM) is licensed for DA operation on 1470 kHz with 1 kW (day and night).

guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310. Based upon the problems mentioned in the previous requests and the fact that additional repairs remain to be completed, KZNA will need to file an acceptable FCC Form 302 application to update all operating parameter changes before the station can resume licensed operations.

This authority expires on **November 20, 2015**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of a large, stylized 'J' followed by a series of loops and a final flourish.

Joseph Szczesny
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cc: David Oxenford, Esq., Wilkinson Barker Knauer, LLP (via e-mail)