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Re: KXNT-FM, Henderson, NV
CBS Radio Stations, Inc.
Facility Identification Number: 12560
Special Temporary Authority
BSTA-20130730ACH

Dear Mr. Benedict:

This is in reference to the request filed July 30, 2013, on behalf of CBS Radio Stations, Inc. ("CBS"). CBS requests special temporary authority ("STA") to operate Station KXNT-FM with temporary facilities.¹ CBS states that the licensed main antenna will soon be modified to reduce downward radiation and potential radiofrequency exposure levels at the transmitter site. The main antenna must be off the air to perform the work. Operation from the temporary, alternate site will maintain station operation.

STA requests which involve a change in transmitter site must include four critical elements: (1) Loss of the licensed site must be beyond the licensee's control; (2) STA facilities must continue to provide service² to the licensed community; (3) STA facilities must maintain, as closely as practicable, the licensed service area³ without extending it; (4) STA facilities cannot involve the construction of towers intended for permanent use by the station requesting the STA. In the present instance, the proposed temporary STA 60 dBu service contour will extend beyond the licensed 60 dBu contour toward the south-southwest, covering a comparatively small area that is normally terrain-blocked from the licensed transmitter site. However, we conclude that this situation is not likely to result in interference caused to other stations. And while the "loss" of site is within the licensee's control, safety considerations warrant grant of the STA.

Accordingly, the request for STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KNXT-FM may operate with the following facilities:

¹ KXNT-FM is licensed for operation on Channel 263C (100.5 MHz) with effective radiated power of 100 kilowatts (H&V) and antenna height above average terrain of 357 meters.

² For AM - 5 mV/m; for commercial FM - 3.16 mV/m; for noncommercial educational FM - 1.0 mV/m.

³ For AM - 0.5 mV/m contour; for FM - 1.0 mV/m contour.

Geographic coordinates: 35° 56' 01" N, 115° 03' 01" W (NAD 1927)
Channel 263 (100.5 MHz)
Effective radiated power: 5.6 kilowatts (V only)
Antenna height:
 above ground: 32 meters
 above mean sea level: 1255 meters
 above average terrain: 459 meters

CBS must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from radiofrequency exposure in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310. CBS must notify the Commission when licensed operations resume. Changes to the licensed antenna system may require the filing of FCC Form 302-FM to update the current station license.

This authority expires on **December 5, 2013**.

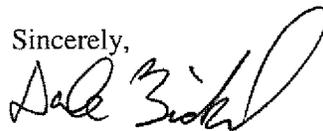
STA Advisory: Section 309(f) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, authorizes the Commission to grant STA in cases of "extraordinary circumstances requiring temporary authorizations in the public interest and when delay in the institution of the temporary operations would seriously prejudice the public interest." However, Section 309(f) is not a means by which a licensee/permittee may circumvent established processing procedures which require the filing of an application, nor is it a means by which a broadcaster may enhance his facility or make operation more convenient for the broadcaster. Stations operating with less than licensed facilities under temporary authorities can be viewed as receiving the benefit of a larger protection area than that in which they are currently providing service.

Accordingly, Special Temporary Authorities by nature are to be temporary and are not intended for extended use. Licensees of stations operating under temporary authorities are reminded that timely restoration of permanent facilities is the responsibility of the licensee and should be undertaken expeditiously. Any request for extension of special temporary authorities carries an increased burden with each subsequent request.

Therefore, 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.

Sincerely,



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