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April 1, 2019

Thomas Hodgins, President  
Alexandra Communications, Inc.  
1600 Gray Lynn Drive  
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Re: Alexandra Communications, Inc. (ACI)  
KYQT(AM), Burns, OR  
Facility Identification Number: 62265  
Special Temporary Authority (STA)  
BESTA-20190328AAT

Dear Mr. Hodgins:

This is in reference to the request filed on March 28, 2019. ACI requests a final extension of the STA granted on October 28, 2016, as modified to continue operating with a long wire antenna from an alternate site pending the filing of an FCC Form 302 application to update all operating parameters after completing all required repairs at the licensed site.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, ACI stated that it plans to complete repairs within the next few months.

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**, and ACI may continue to operate with the following facilities:

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<sup>1</sup> KYQT(AM) is licensed for ND operation on 1230 kHz with 1 kW, day and night.

Geographic coordinates	43° 34' 59" N, 119° 03' 14" W (NAD 1927)
Frequency	1230 kHz
Hours of operation	Day and Night
Operating power	0.06 kW
Antenna type	Long wire antenna (30 feet vertical run, 100 feet horizontal run)
Antenna efficiency	285.8 mV/m/kW/km

ACI 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. ACI must file an FCC Form 302 application to update all operating parameters after all repairs have been completed if any changes are needed, or submit an e-mail to my attention to certify the date the station was able to resume licensed operations per BL-20120113AEY with negligible changes.

This authority expires on **October 1, 2019**.

Sincerely,



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