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Calvary Chapel of Honolulu, Inc.
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Re: Calvary Chapel of Honolulu, Inc.
KLHT(AM), Honolulu, Hawaii
Facility Identification Number: 8415
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Applicant:

This is in reference to the request filed August 25, 2016, on behalf of Calvary Chapel of Honolulu, Inc. ("Calvary"). Calvary requests special temporary authority ("STA") to relocate station KLHT(AM) to a proposed tower only 75 feet away from its current location and to operate with its currently licensed power.¹ On July 6, 2017 the Wireless Bureau issued a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) in connection with the temporary tower and on July 7, 2017 they issued tower registration number 1302728 for the tower. Therefore, since the Wireless Bureau has not issued a FONSI for the proposed tower, KLHT(AM) seeks grant of its pending STA request.

Calvary states that due to a light rail construction project implemented by the Honolulu Authority for Rapid Transit, station KLHT(AM) needs to temporarily relocate its facility 75 feet away. Thus, KLHT(AM) requests an STA to relocate to a proposed 150 foot tower (ASRN: 1302728) and temporarily operate non-directionally from the new tower with a daytime and nighttime power of 10 kilowatts. Station KLHT(AM) will be co-locating with KHKA(AM) who was recently granted an STA from this proposed STA location.

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 service to the licensed community; (3) STA facilities must maintain, as closely as

¹ KLHT(AM) is licensed for operation on 1040 kHz with a daytime and nighttime power of 10 kilowatts, employing a non-directional antenna pattern (ND2-U).

practicable, the licensed service area² without extending it; (4) STA facilities cannot involve the construction of towers intended for permanent use by the station requesting the STA.

Accordingly, the request for STA is GRANTED. Station KLHT(AM) may operate with the following facilities:

Geographic coordinates	21° 20' 09" N, 157° 53' 33" W (NAD 1927)
Frequency	1040 KHz
Hours of operation	Daytime and Nighttime
Operating power	10 kilowatts (Daytime and Nighttime)
Antenna type	150 foot self supporting tower
ASRN	1302728
Antenna radiator height	57.1 electrical degrees
Antenna efficiency	284.5 mV/m/kW at 1 km

It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. KLHT(AM) must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored. KLHT(AM) 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 **January 17, 2018**.

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;

² For AM - 0.5 mV/m contour; for FM - 1.0 mV/m contour.

- 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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