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**Special Temporary Authority For a Radio Broadcast Station**

**Reduced Power Operation**

**Audio Division, Media Bureau**

**Date:** March 9, 2017  
**File Number:** BSTA-20170306AIT  
**Call Sign:** KQSM-FM (FM)  
**Facility ID Number:** 16569

For the reasons provided in the application request, Special Temporary Authority IS GRANTED for continued operation of the station above at reduced power, as needed. The licensee must notify the Commission when licensed operation resumes. See 47 CFR Section 73.1560(d).

This STA authority expires **September 5, 2017**.

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Considerations:

Licensee must take all steps to ensure that workers and the public are not exposed to radiofrequency exposure in excess of the Commission's exposure limit.

Requests for extension of STA may 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.