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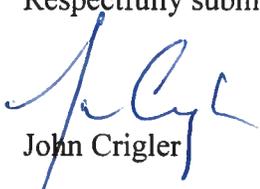
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Re: Request for Special Temporary Authority
 Translator Station ~~W217BM~~ **W216CL**
 Facility ID 91647
 Chicago, Illinois

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On behalf of Chicago Public Media, Inc. ("CPM"), licensee of translator station W217BM (the "Translator"), I hereby request an extension of authority to operate the Translator at 50w ERP for a period of ninety (90) days. The extension will give CPM an opportunity to file and obtain a grant of a construction permit application to reduce ERP of the Translator to 50w. After extensive testing, CPM and College of Du Page ("Du Page") have reached an agreement in principle that will permit operation of the Translator at 50w ERP. Within the next week or so, CPM and Du Page expect to formalize that agreement, pursuant to which Du Page will dismiss all pending objections that the Translator impairs reception of WDCB.

Respectfully submitted,

 John Crigler

JC:cll

cc: Lawrence M. Miller, Esq.
 Counsel to College of Du Page

