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Miller Communications, Inc.
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Re: WQKI-FM, Orangeburg, South Carolina
Miller Communications, Inc.
Facility Identification Number: 6484
Special Temporary Authority
BESTA-20150526ACJ

Dear Licensee:

This is in reference to the request filed May 26, 2015, on behalf of Miller Communications, Inc. ("MCI"). MCI requests a tenth extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on August 28, 2009, to operate Station WQKI-FM with temporary facilities.¹ We take note that construction permit BPH-20150420ABG was granted yesterday, May 27.

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.

Our review indicates that the licensee has been prevented from restoring licensed operation due to causes beyond its control, and that it has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WQKI-FM may continue to operate with the following facilities:

¹ WQKI-FM is licensed for operation on Channel 275A (102.9 MHz) with effective radiated power ("ERP") of 3.1 kW (H&V) and antenna height above average terrain ("HAAT") of 139 meters. Application BPH-20110421ABH for Channel 275A remains under review by the staff.

Geographic coordinates: 33° 26' 35" N, 80° 48' 16" W (NAD 1927)
Channel 275 (102.9 MHz)
Effective radiated power: 3.7 kilowatts (H&V)
Antenna height:
 above average terrain: 124 meters
 above mean sea level: 177 meters
 above ground: 122 meters

MCI must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored. MCI 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 **November 27, 2015**.

Sincerely,



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