

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

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KQDS ACQUISITION CORP. P. O. BOX 9115 FARGO, ND 58106

> Re: KQDS-TV 0000022205 Minnesota, Duluth Fac Id: 35525

Dear Applicant:

This refers to the above application dated March 10, 2017 requesting further extension of your authority to operate at reduce power. You indicate that upon informal advice of the Commission's staff, KQDS-TV requests an extension of the STA until the conclusion of the Broadcast Incentive Auction.

Upon review of your extension request, it is evident your efforts are directed toward enhancing the operating efficiency of KQDS-TV. Accordingly, pursuant to sections 73.1560 (d) and 73.1635 of the commission's Rules special temporary authority to operate at reduced power is EXTENDED until September 17, 2017.

Once again, we wish to point out that any request for further extension of this authority must include your reasons for extension and a detailed description of steps being taken to return the station to a fully operational facility.

Sincerely,

Kevin R. Harding Associate Chief

Video Division

Media Bureau

cc: Charles R. Naftalin