

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

August 5, 2019

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KIRO-TV, INC. Chief Engineer 2807 THIRD AVENUE SEATTLE, WA 98121

Re: KIRO-TV

0000079080 Seattle, WA Fac Id: 66781

Dear Licensee:

This is in response to the above application filed on July 30, 2019, for special temporary authority (STA) to operate at variance. You indicate that KIRO-TV will move from Channel 39 to Channel 23 in the Post-Incentive-Auction spectrum repack. You mentioned that the propose of this STA is to enable continued operation on its licensed channel 39 with the best performance achievable using the current Auxiliary equipment during the station's reconstruction and channel transition.

In light of the above, special temporary authority is GRANTED pursuant to Sections 73.1560(d) and 73.1635 of the Commission's Rules. This authorization expires on **January 17**, **2020**.

Sincerely,

Kevin R. Harding Associate Chief Video Division

Media Bureau

cc: Christina Burrow