

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

February 10, 2017

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MOUNTAIN BROADCASTING CORPORATION JOON S. JOO 99 CLINTON ROAD WEST CALDWELL, NJ 07006

> Re: WMBC-TV 0000021926 Newton, NJ Fac Id: 43952

Dear Applicant:

This refers to the above application dated February 7, 2017 requesting special temporary authority to remain silent. You indicate that due to a failure in the transmission system for the WMBC-TV DTS (Site 1) facility, the station has been taken off the air and will remain so until repairs have been completed

In light of the above, special temporary authority IS GRANTED pursuant to Sections 73.1740 of the Commission's Rules. This authorization expires on August 10, 2017.

During this period of discontinued operation, you are directed to pay strict attention to Section 73.1740 (a) (4). That is, you must continue to adhere to the requirements in your station license pertaining to the lighting of antenna structures.

We wish to point out that an extension of this request must include detailed reasons and a description of efforts being taken to return the station to full power operation.

Sincerely,

Kevin R. Harding Associate Chief Video Division Media Bureau

cc: Arthur H. Harding, Esq