



Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

May 10, 2018

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THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA
Chuck Griffin
C/O Becon
6600 SW Nova Drive
Fort Lauderdale, FL 333317

Re: WBEC-TV
0000053805
Boca Raton, FL
Fac Id: 51349

Dear Licensee:

This refers to the above-mentioned application dated May 3, 2018, requesting special temporary authority to operate at reduced effective radiated power (ERP). You indicate that WBEC proposes to operate at a reduced power (415 kW) and a reduced height (243.4m AGL) on channel 25, while the station replaces its existing main antenna and transmitter. WBEC-TV anticipates commencing testing of the temporary facilities beginning on May 15, 2018, and expects to cease all transmissions on its pre-transition channel (40) as scheduled, on or before June 1, 2018. You mentioned that the station WBEC-DTV proposes to operate from temporary facilities side mounted on its current tower while it dismantles and replaces its top-mounted main antenna as part of the TV repack process.

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 November 10, 2018.

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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kevin R. Harding".

Kevin R. Harding
Associate Chief
Video Division
Media Bureau

cc Evan Carb