

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

April 17, 2018

1800E1-MHH

LESEA BROADCASTING OF HAWAII, INC. 61300 Ironwood Road South Bend, IN 46614

Re: KWHM-TV

0000052748 Wailuku, HI Fac Id: 37105

Dear Licensee:

This is in response to your request dated April 14, 2018, for special temporary authority (STA) in order to operate at variance. You indicate that the ability of LeSEA to resume operations at the presently licensed tower/transmitter site is subject to legal and financial negotiations with the site owner. If those negotiations are not successful in time to allow KWHM to resume broadcast operation from the licensed site prior to the one-year deadline, LeSEA is proposing operation at reduced power from a temporary auxiliary site. This request for special temporary authority proposes operation on channel 21 from a different site with a maximum effective radiated power of 2.1 kW at a center of radiation of 777.2 meters above mean sea level also using a directional antenna.

After a thorough review of your technical specifications, we are persuaded that no interference is likely to occur from the proposed operation. If problems do arise, we expect them to be solved expeditiously and the Bureau reserves the right to require termination of the operation. We therefore conclude that the public interest would be served by the grant of this request.

With respect to radio frequency radiation (RFR), we expect compliance with Section 1.1307(b) of the Commission's Rules to be achieved.

Accordingly, the request for special temporary authority IS GRANTED subject to the technical parameters and conditions specified below

Technical Parameters:

Channel: 21

Antenna Coordinates: N. Latitude: 20° 46′ 32.4″

W. Longitude: 156° 19' 41.9"

Antenna Type: Jampro, Directional-Custom

Model No. JUHD-1 Special,

Maximum Effective Radiated Power: 2.1 kW

Radiation Center Above Mean Sea Level: 777.2 meters

Radiation Center Above Ground Level: 12.2 meters

Ground Elevation: 29.0 m

Tower Registration Number: N/A

Special Conditions:

1. The grant of this construction permit is subject to the condition that, with ample time before commencing operation, you make a good faith effort to identify and notify health care facilities (e.g., hospitals, nursing homes, see 47 CFR 15.242(a)(1)) within your service area potentially affected by your DTV operations. Contact with state and/or local hospital associations and local governmental health care licensing authorities may prove helpful in this process. During this pre-broadcast period, you must provide all notified entities with relevant technical details of your operation, such as DTV channel, targeted on-air date, effective radiated power, antenna location, and antenna height. You are required to place in the station's public inspection file documentation of the notifications and contacts made and you may not commence operations until good faith efforts have been made to notify affected health care facilities. During this pre-broadcast period and for up to twenty (20) days after commencing operations. should you become aware of any instances of medical devices malfunctioning or that such devices are likely to malfunction due to your DTV operations, you must cooperate with the health care facility so that it is afforded a reasonable opportunity to resolve the interference problem. At such time as all provisions of this condition have been fulfilled, and either upon the expiration of twenty (20) days following commencement of operations or when all known interference problems have been resolved, whichever is later, this condition lapses.

2. This authority expires on October 16, 2018. If appropriate, a timely renewal request must be filed before the end of this period.

3. Hours of operation of this facility will be in accordance with Section 73.624(b) of the Commission's Rules

Sincerely,

Kevin R. Harding

Associate Chief

Video Division

Media Bureau

cc: Joseph C Chautin, III