

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

May 11, 2018

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Sinclair Media Licensee, LLC. Harvey Arnold 10706 Beaver Dam Road Cockeysville, MD 21030

> Re: KCFW-TV 0000053737 Kalispell, MT Fac Id: 18079

Dear Licensee:

This refers to the above-mentioned application dated May 2, 2018 requesting further extension of your authority to continue to operate at reduced power. You mentioned that authorizing the station to continue to operate at 17 kW ERP would permit the station to restore a better-quality signal to viewers without any impact on the repacking process and without causing impermissible interference to other stations.

Upon review of your extension request, it is evident your efforts are directed toward enhancing the operating efficiency of KCFW-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 November 11, 2018.

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: Paul A. Cicelski