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BOARD OF TRUSTEES, MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
Susanne Elkins, Director of Broadcasting
WKAR-AM/FM/TV
404 Wilson Rd, Room 212
East Lansing, MI 48824

Re: WKAR-TV
0000054690
East Lansing, MI
Fac Id: 6104

Dear Licensee:

This refers to your request dated May 30, 2018 requesting special temporary authority (STA) to operate at variance. You indicate that as part of the change-over in facilities from Ch. 40 to Ch. 33, WKAR-TV installed an interim/auxiliary ERI I230ECW-8-23 broadband antenna and broadband transmission line on the same tower as the main antenna. You mentioned that the station seeks authority to operate on Ch. 33 using its interim/auxiliary broadband antenna until the problems with the main Ch. 33 facility can be corrected.

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 December 2, 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,

Kevin R. Harding
Associate Chief
Video Division
Media Bureau

cc: Jonathan Cohen, Esq.