



Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

October 2, 2018

1800E1-MHH

SAGAMOREHILL OF MINNESOTA LICENSES, LLC
525 Blackburn Drive
Augusta, GA 30907

Re: KXLT-TV
0000059966
Rochester, MN
Facility ID Number: 35906

Dear Licensee:

This refers to your request dated September 28, 2018, requesting special temporary authority (STA) to operate at variance. You indicate that the broadband panel antenna system that KXLT-TV currently employs was recently damaged by a lightning strike and, as a result, the station is only able to transmit at reduced power using the lower half of the panel array. You mentioned that because the station is in the process of modifying its existing facility to operate on the new post-auction channel, the Applicant seeks authority to continue broadcasting in this manner as an interim facility until repairs to the antenna are made and the station is ready to transition to its new channel.

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 **April 2, 2019**.

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, reading "Kevin R. Harding", is positioned above the printed name and title.

Kevin R. Harding
Associate Chief
Video Division
Media Bureau

cc: Wayne D. Johnsen