

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

December 6, 2018

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GRAY TELEVISION LICENSEE, LLC 4370 PEACHTREE ROAD, NE ATLANTA, GA 30319

Re: KGNS-TV 0000063741 LAREDO, TX Facility Number: 10061

Dear Licensee:

This refers to your request dated November 27, 2018, requesting special temporary authority (STA) to operate at variance. You indicate that KGNS-TV's main antenna is inoperative due to antenna and transmission line failure. The request for this STA is to operate with an emergency antenna. You mentioned that an emergency antenna has been installed at a lower elevation on the tower structure and was placed into operation pursuant to §73.1680. The emergency antenna is currently in use by KGNS-TV in order to maintain program service to the public until a disposition can be achieved in the repair or replacement of the main antenna and transmission line.

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 **June 6, 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,

Kevin R. Harding Associate Chief Video Division Media Bureau

cc: Joan Stewart