



Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554

October 13, 2020

**WGBH Educational Foundation**

Eric Brass  
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Boston, MA 02135

In Re: Special Temporary Authority  
For Station WGBH-TV  
Boston, Massachusetts  
Application File No. 0000121660  
Fac Id: 72099

Dear Licensee:

This is in reference to your September 15, 2020 request seeking special temporary authority and waiver of section 73.622(f)(6)(ii) of the Commission's rules (Rules) for TV station WGBH-TV, Boston, MA, to operate with increased parameters to overcome the diminution of the station's broadcast signal as a result of the incentive auction transition to VHF channel 5.

Upon review of the facts and technical specifications, we find that sufficient circumstances exist to waive section 73.622(f)(6)(ii) of the rules and that no interference is likely to occur from the proposed operation. We therefore conclude that the public interest would be served by the grant of this request. If problems do arise, we expect them to be solved expeditiously and the Bureau reserves the right to require the termination of the operation.

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

In light of the above, special temporary authority IS GRANTED pursuant to Section 73.1560(d) and 73.1635 of the Commission's Rules. This authorization expires on **April 12, 2021**.

Sincerely,

/s/

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Media Bureau

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