



Special Temporary Authority For a Radio Broadcast Station
Audio Division, Media Bureau

Date: November 15, 2022
File Number: 0000203543
Call Sign: KCUK (FM)
Facility ID Number: 33453

For the reasons provided in the application request, Special Temporary Authority IS GRANTED for operation of a low power, temporary facility in Hooper Bay, AK as specified in the STA request, as needed. This temporary operation will relay KCUK's programming. The licensee is responsible for addressing any complaints of interference that may arise.

This STA is granted to promptly restore the sole radio service to the remote, isolated community of Hooper Bay, AK. That community lost KCUK's signal when KCUK was forced to operate at reduced power using a temporary facility, due to damage caused by exceptionally strong winds in Alaska. We emphasize that this STA is not for a permanent or long-term solution, and it will not receive any protection from interference.

This STA is independent of KCUK's reduced power STA 0000201869. The licensee must request any extensions of either STA separately in the FCC's LMS database system

Regular service to Hooper Bay, AK might be eventually restored by:

1. Rebuilding the KCUK facility so as to restore or increase the station's licensed service area, or
2. File for a new Alaskan Class D noncommercial educational station construction permit on a nonconflicting frequency in Hooper Bay, AK. Such a station could operate as a satellite of KCUK.

This STA authority expires **May 14, 2023**.

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A copy of this authorization will be posted in the FCC's LMS database under the file number above. Please retain a copy of this authorization for your records.

Considerations:

Licensee must take all steps to ensure that workers and the public are not exposed to radiofrequency exposure in excess of the Commission's exposure limit.

This Special Temporary Authority does not supersede any non-FCC-regulated requirements applicable to the STA-authorized facility. The licensee remains solely and wholly responsible for maintaining compliance with such requirements.

Requests for extension of STA may be granted only where the licensee can show that one or more of the following criteria have been met:

- Restoration of licensed facilities is complete and testing is underway;
- Substantial progress has been made during the most recent STA period toward restoration of licensed operation; or
- No progress has been made during the most recent STA period for reasons clearly beyond the licensee's control, and the licensee has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem.