Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

August 26, 2019

Hearst Stations Inc.
P.O. Box 1800
Raleigh, NC 27602

In Re: Special Temporary Authority
For Station WCVB-TV
Boston, Massachusetts
Application File No. 0000080451
Fac Id: 65684

Dear Licensee:

This is in reference to your August 19, 2019 request seeking special temporary authority (STA) to operate TV station WCVB-TV, Boston, MA, on its post-auction channel using an interim antenna at the main WCVB-TV site. WCVB-TV had transitioned to its reassignment channel utilizing the station's auxiliary facility but the auxiliary antenna become inoperable due to a failure of the transmission line that fed the antenna.

After a thorough review of your technical specifications, we are persuaded 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 **January 26, 2020**.

Sincerely,

Kevin R. Harding

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Associate Chief
Video Division
Media Bureau

cc: Stephen Hartzell