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RE: MB Docket No. 03-15 - Request for Waiver  
Station KIDY-DT, San Angelo, Texas – Facility Id. 58560  
Sage Broadcasting Corporation, Permittee – FRN: 0001-6887-12

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Sage Broadcasting Corporation (“Sage”), by and through its attorneys, and pursuant to the Public Notice, dated June 14, 2006,<sup>1</sup> hereby requests a Waiver of the July 1, 2006 Replication/ Maximization Interference Deadline (the “Deadline”) established in the DTV Second Periodic Review.<sup>2</sup> Sage is the licensee of Station KIDY(TV), and the permittee of Station KIDY-DT, San Angelo, Texas (the “Station”).

Sage has been unable to construct the authorized digital television (DTV) facilities for the Station due to severe financial constraints. Pursuant to Section 0.459 of the Commission’s rules, Sage is separately submitting under confidential cover the supporting information for the Request for Waiver. Confidential treatment is appropriate in the instant matter since the financial information provided therein is proprietary and is not customarily disclosed to the public.

<sup>1</sup> *DTV Channel Election Issues – Compliance with the July 1, 2006 Replication/Maximization Interference Protection Deadline; Stations Seeking Extension of the Deadline*, Public Notice, DA 06-1255 (rel. June 14, 2006)(“Public Notice”).

<sup>2</sup> *Second Periodic Review of the Commission’s Rules and Policies Affecting the Conversion To Digital Television*, Report and Order, 19 FCC Rcd 18279, ¶ 78 (2004)(“DTV Order”).

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Should there be any questions regarding this submission, please contact undersigned counsel.

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