Broadcasting Administrative Decision CRTC L2022-30

Ottawa, 19 July 2022

Vernon Community Radio Society Vernon, British Columbia

Application 2022-0332-1, received 28 June 2022

CFAV-FM Vernon British Columbia – Extension of deadline to commence operation of a new community radio station

- 1. The Commission **approves** the application by Vernon Community Radio Society relating to the English-language community radio programming undertaking in Vernon, British Columbia, approved in *Community radio station in Vernon*, Broadcasting Decision CRTC 2020-322, 2 September 2020 (Broadcasting Decision 2020-322) for an extension of the deadline set out in that decision to commence the operation of that radio station.
- 2. This is the applicant's first request for an extension of that deadline. Applicants are generally given two years to commence operations, with the possibility of two additional 12-month extensions (for a total of four years), if needed.
- 3. Accordingly, the Commission extends to **2 September 2023** the deadline by which the operation of this radio station must commence. The authorization granted in Broadcasting Decision 2020-322 will become null and void should the licensee fail to meet this new implementation deadline.
- 4. The transmitter must be operational at the earliest possible date, unless a request for an extension of time is approved by the Commission before **2 September 2023**. In order to ensure that such a request is processed in a timely manner, it should be submitted at least 60 days before this date.

Secretary General

This decision is to be appended to the licence.

