

REASONS FOR STA

WSJN-CD LOST ITS TOWER DURING HURRICANE MARIA ON SEPTEMBER 20, 2017; A SILENT STA WAS FILED WITH THE FCC. THE STATION HAS BEEN ABLE TO PARTIALLY RECONSTRUCT ITS TOWER AND RESTORE A LOW POWER OPERATION TO PROVIDE A MINIMUM OF SERVICE. WSJN-CD REQUEST A SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY FOR A PERIOD OF SIX MONTHS FOR THIS REDUCED POWER OPERATION TO PROVIDE SERVICE TO THE PUBLIC WHILE ITS LICENSED FACILITIES ARE RECONSTRUCTED. SHOULD THE LICENSED FACILITY BE RECONSTRUCTED EARLIER, THE FCC WILL BE SO NOTIFIED.

IT IS PROPOSED TO USE THE LICENSED ANTENNA AT A HIGHER ELEVATION (24 MTS INSTEAD OF 6 MTS AGL) BUT WITH SIGNIFICANT LOWER POWER, 3.2 KW ERP (INSTEAD OF 10 KW ERP), THUS THE SERVICE CONTOUR OF THE STATION WILL BE WELL WITHIN ITS LICENSED AUTHORIZED COVERAGE.