



Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

July 5, 2018

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WESTERN NEW LIFE, INC
Juan Carlos Matos Barreto
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Re: WQHA(TV)
0000055507
Aguada, PR
Facility ID Number: 3255

Dear Licensee:

This refers to your request dated June 28, 2018, requesting special temporary authority (STA) to operate at variance. You indicate that the recent devastating hurricane in Puerto Rico has made the job of Western New Life, Inc. using its current tower considerably more difficult. For safety reasons the WQHA(TV) tower needs to be reinforced to correct for any damages caused by the hurricane and to have the capacity to hold the new heavier channel 25 antenna. Due to these unforeseen difficulties, Western New Life, Inc. respectfully requests special temporary authority to begin transmitting on channel 25 at reduced power using a lighter weight Kathrein Model 75020023 antenna. The antenna pattern will be oriented a 2 degrees true north with 11 kW of radiated power. You mentioned that the proposed temporary noise-limited coverage will fall entirely inside the authorized coverage of the current WQHA(TV) construction permit.

In light of the above, special temporary authority is GRANTED pursuant to Sections 73.1560(d) and 73.1635 of the Commission's Rules. This authorization expires on January 5, 2019.

Sincerely,

Kevin R. Harding
Associate Chief
Video Division
Media Bureau

cc: Lee J. Peltsman