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Re: WTOD(AM), Toledo, Ohio
Facility Identification Number: 22672
Cumulus Licensing LLC
Special Temporary Authorization

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed May 5, 2006, on behalf of Cumulus Licensing LLC ("CLL"). CLL requests further extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") originally granted on April 11, 2002, to operate Station WTOD with reduced power.¹

In support of the request, CLL states that it has located a new site for the station and has filed Application BP-20050408ADF, for construction permit to relocate the station's transmitter.

Requests for extension of STA will be granted only where the licensee can show that one or more of the following criteria have been met:

- Restoration of licensed facilities is complete and testing is underway;
- Substantial progress has been made during the most recent STA period toward restoration of licensed operation; or
- No progress has been made during the most recent STA period for reasons clearly beyond the licensee's control, and the licensee has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem.

Our review indicates that Construction Permit BP-20050408ADF was granted on June 13, 2006. Thus, extension of STA is warranted to allow time for completion of construction of the new facilities for Station WTOD.

¹ WTOD is licensed for operation on 1560 kHz with 5 kilowatts, daytime hours only, employing a directional antenna (DA-D-D). Construction Permit BP-20050408ADF authorizes relocation of the transmitter, a reduction in power to 2.5 kilowatts, and changes to the directional pattern.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WTOD may continue to operate with reduced power. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. CLL must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored.² CLL must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310.

This authority expires on **September 21, 2007**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Charles N. Miller". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Charles N. Miller, Engineer
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cc: Cumulus Licensing LLC

² *See* 47 CFR §§ 73.45(c), 73.51, 73.54, 73.61(b).