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Re: IHM Licenses, LLC (IHM)  
WIOD(AM), Miami, FL  
Facility Identification Number: 14242  
Special Temporary Authority (STA)  
BESTA-20210714AAA

Dear Mr. Fasbender:

This is in reference to the request filed on July 14, 2021. CCBL requests a further extension of the STA originally granted in 1981 to continue operating using alternate 10 kW patterns to overcome Cuban interference, to allow time to file the required FCC Form 302 application to cover BP-20170406ADD.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, we noted that additional time will be needed to build the new facility and file the application.

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.

Accordingly, the request for extension of the STA is hereby GRANTED, and CCBL may continue to operate with the 10 kW patterns specified in BMML-20170426ACK using

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<sup>1</sup> WIOD is licensed for DA operation on 610 kHz with 5 kW using different augmented patterns (day and night), and BP-20170406ADD authorizes operation from a new site with new patterns.

the licensed site towers. CCBL must reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received, and use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commissions exposure guidelines. See 47 CFR § 1.1310. CCBL must resume licensed 5 kW operation if the Cuban interference ceases, or upon official notice from the Commission.

This authority expires on **February 2, 2022**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Joe Szczesny". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Joe" being particularly prominent.

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cc: Gregory L. Masters, Esq., WR LLP (via e-mail only)