



Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554  
December 22, 2022

John J. Petillo, President  
Sacred Heart University, Inc.  
5151 Park Avenue  
Fairfield, CT 06825

Re: Sacred Heart University, Inc. (SHU)  
WSHU (AM), Westport, CT  
Facility Identification Number: 43126  
Special Temporary Authority (STA)  
BESTA-20221206AAB

Dear Mr. Petillo:

This is in reference to the request filed on December 6, 2022. SHU requests a further extension of the STA granted on October 19, 2005, to continue operating using the tower specified in BP-20220930AAE to allow time to file the required FCC Form 302 application (after the proposed facility has been found to be acceptable).<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, we noted that further action on BP-20220930AAE should take place well before the expiration date shown below (if no problems are found).

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.

Accordingly, the request for extension of the STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and SHU may continue to operate with the tower specified in the construction permit with a maximum of 0.25 kW day and 0.002 kW night. SHU must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers

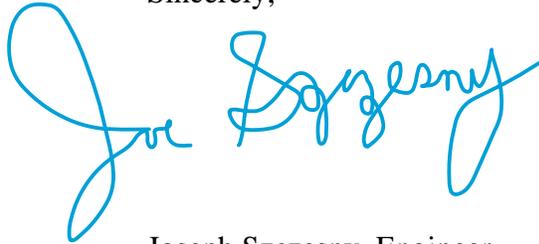
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<sup>1</sup> WSHU is licensed for DA operation on 1260 kHz with 1 kW day and 0.009 kW night, and BP-20220930AAE proposes to operate ND from a new site with reduced power day, and increased power at night.

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 **June 21, 2023**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Joe Szczesny". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "J" and a long, sweeping underline.

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer  
Audio Division  
Media Bureau

cc: Mark N. Lipp, Esq., FHH PLC (via e-mail only)