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August 23, 2018

Kristin Cantrell, President
Southern Belle, LLC
C/O 115 West Main Street
Frankfort, KY 40601

Re: Southern Belle, LLC (SBL)
WHUN(AM), Huntingdon, PA
Facility Identification Number: 28131
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
BESTA-20180806ACK

Dear Kristin Cantrell:

This is in reference to the request filed on August 6, 2018. SBL requests an extension of the STA granted on January 17, 2018, to continue to operate with reduced power to allow time to replace (or repair) the damaged 5 kW transmitter.¹ In support of the request, we noted that SBL was unable to repair the transmitter during the past seven months.

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.

The previous STA expired on July 16, 2018, therefore the authority granted will not cover the period between the expiration of the prior STA and the filing of the instant request, and is without prejudice as to whatever action the Commission may take with respect to operation of station during that time period. In addition, our staff is aware that many older transmitters cannot be repaired due to a lack of parts and manufacturer support, therefore a new or used transmitter may have to be

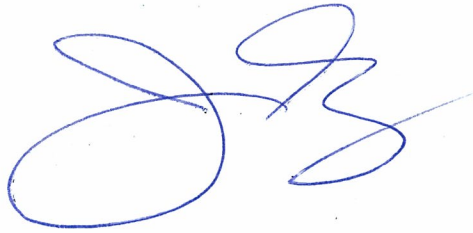
¹ WHUN(AM) is licensed for ND operation on 1150 kHz with 5 kW day and 0.036 kW at night.

purchased in the upcoming months if SBL has already determined the old transmitter can't be repaired.

Accordingly, the request for an extension of the STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and SBL may continue to operate during daytime hours with reduced power, with no change to the licensed nighttime operation. SBL 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 **February 23, 2019**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of a large, stylized 'J' followed by a series of loops and a final flourish.

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