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January 22, 2020

Edward A. Schober, Executive Manager
Winchester Radio Broadcasters, LLC
PO Box 367
Haddon Heights, NJ 08035-0367

Re: Winchester Radio Broadcasters, LLC (WRB)
WXVA(AM), Winchester, VA
Facility Identification Number: 4668
Special Temporary Authorization (STA)
BESTA-20200113AAC

Dear Mr. Schober:

This is in reference to the request filed on January 13, 2020. WRB requests a further extension of the STA granted on September 30, 2016, to continue operating at night using the licensed daytime site facility to allow time to file the required FCC Form 301 application.¹ In support of the request, we noted that WRB did not yet file the application to propose a new permanent facility (due to loss of the nighttime site).

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.

We note that the previous STA expired on October 8, 2019, therefore the authority granted

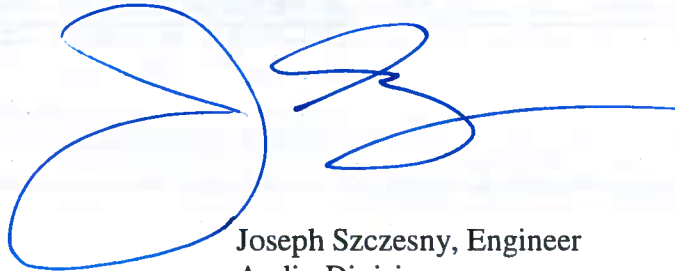
¹WXVA(AM) is licensed for operation on 610 kHz with 0.38 kW ND (existing daytime site) and 0.5 kW DA (old nighttime site).

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 during that time period.

Accordingly, the request for extension of the STA is **HEREBY GRANTED**, and WRB may continue to operate using a maximum of 0.38 kW (day) and 0.125 kW (night) using the existing daytime site antenna system. WRB 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 Commission's exposure guidelines. See 47 CFR §1.1310. WRB must submit an e-mail to my attention to note the date the 301 application was filed.

This authority expires on **July 21, 2020**.

Sincerely,

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

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
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