



Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554  
September 28, 2022

Stephen G. Davis, SVP/RE/FAC/CD  
IHM Licenses, LLC  
7136 S. Yale Avenue, Suite 501  
Tulsa, OK 74136

Re: IHM Licenses, LLC (IHM)  
WENE(AM), Endicott, NY  
Facility Identification Number : 19625  
Special Temporary Authorization (STA)  
BESTA-2020922AAD

Dear Mr. Davis:

This is in reference to the request filed on September 22, 2022. IHM requests an extension of the STA granted on March 28, 2022, to continue operating with the nighttime pattern using reduced power during the daytime hours to allow time to replace the damaged antenna switching control system.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, IHM stated additional time is required to obtain and install a new control system in the upcoming 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.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and IHM may continue to operate at night using the 5 kW licensed nighttime DA pattern with no changes, and during the daytime with a power level of 0.65 kW using the nighttime DA pattern. IHM must reduce the daytime power below 0.65 kW or cease daytime operation if complaints of interference are received, and 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. IHM must submit a brief e-mail to my attention to note the

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<sup>1</sup> WENE(AM) is licensed for operation on 1430 kHz with a power of 5 kW ND day and DA night.

date the station resumed licensed operations per BMML-20180227ABL with negligible changes to all engineering parameters after all repairs have been completed.

This authority expires on **March 27, 2023**.

Sincerely,

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer  
Audio Division  
Media Bureau

cc: Troy Langham (via e-mail only)