

Request for Extension of Special Temporary Authorization

Radio License Holding CBC, LLC (“RLH”), pursuant to Section 73.1635 of the FCC’s rules, hereby requests an extension of the existing special temporary authorization (“STA”) for radio station KNEK(AM), Washington, Louisiana (Facility ID 15801) (File No. BLSTA-20180212ABW) for an additional period of 180 days.

Station KNEK is licensed to operate on 1190 kHz daytime only with 0.25 kW and a non-directional antenna pattern. As RLH previously informed the Commission, the station currently is off the air due to problems with its transmitter. KNEK’s transmitter will require a new controller and possibly a new RF module. RLH was not able to make substantial progress with respect to replacing the above equipment during the current STA period due in large part to the Chapter 11 bankruptcy proceeding in which the licensee’s ultimate parent entity, Cumulus Media Inc. (“Cumulus”), and various direct and indirect subsidiaries were involved until June 4, 2018, at which time Cumulus completed its reorganization.

For these reasons, RLH respectfully requests an extension of the existing STA pursuant to Section 73.1635 of the Commission’s rules to permit KNEK to remain off the air for an additional period of 180 days.