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Re: WCSX(FM), Birmingham, Michigan
Facility Identification Number: 25084
Greater Boston Radio, Inc.
Special Temporary Authority
Hybrid IBOC Digital Operation

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed June 5, 2007, on behalf of Greater Boston Radio, Inc. ("GBR"). GBR seeks a brief extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on January 5, 2007, to operate Station WCSX with power levels up to 10 decibels above the system specification of 20 decibels below analog carrier level,¹ for tests to be conducted in conjunction with iBiquity Digital Corporation. In support of the request, GBR states that completion of the testing was delayed when the equipment in use became defective. GBR states that it purchased alternate equipment but a brief extension is necessary in order to complete the testing

Our review indicates that the Public Interest would be served by the brief extension proposed by GBR, and that the chance of interference to other stations is small.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WCSX may continue to operate with a hybrid digital signal at variance from the specifications in the *Report and Order*,² as described above. Operation pursuant to this authority must be discontinued if complaints of interference are received, unless such complaints are immediately resolved by other technical means.

This authority expires on **August 16, 2007**.

Sincerely,



Charles N. Miller, Engineer
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cc: Greater Boston Radio, Inc.

¹ See *Digital Audio Broadcasting Systems and Their Impact on the Terrestrial Radio Broadcast Service*, MM Docket No. 99-325, *First Report and Order*, (October 11, 2002).

² See *Report and Order*, Appendix B.