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Subject: WLQP-LP (Lima, OH) STA Request (FCC File No. BSTA-20100604AEH)

Mr. Habib,

Pursuant to your request, here is a supplemental explanation for the submission of the above-referenced STA request for WLQP-LP (Lima, OH). The station has requested STA to operate analog facilities notwithstanding the grant earlier this week of a digital construction permit. The STA is needed because the station currently is dark and the license would cancel automatically on September 27th if service is not resumed by then. It is unlikely, however, that the station will be able to complete construction of permanent digital facilities by the September 27th deadline given that the digital construction permit was just issued and digital equipment now must be ordered, delivered, and installed. The station on the other hand can preserve the license by constructing temporary analog facilities by the September 27th deadline because it can repurpose readily available analog equipment. The station is proposing temporary operation on the unassigned Channel 25 because (1) operation on the channel is not predicted to cause interference; (2) Channel 25 equipment is readily available as commonly-owned WOHL-CA recently abandoned Channel 25; and (3) operation on the authorized analog channel is impermissible due to a channel change implemented by WISE-TV.

We very much appreciate your attention to this. If the Commission finds that it needs additional information to process the STA request, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Respectfully,
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