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Troy G. Langham  
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Re: CC Licenses, LLC  
WELI (AM), New Haven, Connecticut  
Facility Identification Number: 11933  
Special Temporary Authority  
BESTA-20130130AEY

Dear Mr. Langham:

This is in reference to the request filed January 30, 2013, on behalf of CC Licenses, LLC ("CCL"). CCL requests further extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") originally granted on September 28, 2010, and last extended on July 30, 2012 to operate Station WELI with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits, or with a temporary nondirectional antenna and reduced power.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, CCL states that a problem was discovered with the measured base impedance for tower #3 which does not match the model, and need time to correct the problem before proceeding with the Method of Moments proof.

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.

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<sup>1</sup> WELI is licensed for operation on 960 kHz with 5 kilowatts daytime and 5 kilowatts nighttime, employing a directional antenna during nighttime hours only (DA-N-U).

Our review indicates that substantial progress has been made during the most recent STA period toward restoration of licensed operation. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WELI may continue to operate with parameters at variance from licensed values and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. CCL must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored.<sup>2</sup> CCL 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.

This authority expires on **July 30, 2013**.

Sincerely,



Jimmy Kong, Engineer  
Audio Division  
Media Bureau

cc: CC Licenses, LLC

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<sup>2</sup> *See* 47 CFR §§ 73.45(c), 73.51, 73.54, 73.61(b).