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February 22, 2016

Richard S. Denning, SVP
Radio License Holding CBC, LLC
3280 Peachtree Road NW, Suite 2300
Atlanta, GA 30305

Re: Radio License Holding CBC, LLC (RLHC)
WRIE (AM), Erie, Pennsylvania
Facility Identification Number: 32982
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
BESTA- 20160126AAS

Dear Mr. Denning:

This is in reference to the request filed on January 26, 2016. RLHC requests a ninth extension of the STA originally granted on November 29, 2010, to operate Station WRIE with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits (due to antenna system problems).¹ In support of the request, RLHC states that in the past six months additional steps were taken, but additional time is needed to repair or replace the phasor.

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.

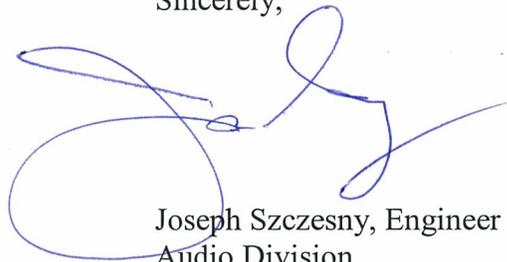
Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED and station WRIE may continue to operate with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while

¹ WRIE is licensed for DA operation on 1260 kHz with 5 kW (day and night).

maintaining monitor points within licensed limits. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. RLHC 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. We anticipate that RLHC file the required FCC Form 302 application to update all operating parameters before the expiration date shown below due to all repairs done since 2010 and those that remain to be completed.

This authority expires on **August 22, 2016**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Joseph Szczesny', with a large, stylized flourish extending to the left.

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
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cc: Andrew S. Kersting, CMI (via e-mail)