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Stephen G. Davis, SVP/RE/FAC/CD
IHM Licenses, LLC
7136 S. Yale Avenue, Suite 501
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Re: IHM Licenses LLC (IHM)
WHYN(AM), Springfield, MA
Facility Identification Number: 55757
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
BESTA-20210604AAL

Dear Mr. Davis:

This is in reference to the request filed on June 4, 2021. IHM requests a further extension of the STA granted on November 5, 2015, to continue operating with parameters at variance to allow time to file the required FCC Form 302 application containing a new proof to update all operating parameters.¹ In support of the request, IHM stated that additional time will be needed to file the application in the upcoming months.

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 an extension of the STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and IHM may continue to operate with parameters at variance and reduced power to maintain monitor points within licensed tolerances. IHM must use whatever means are necessary to protect

¹ WHYN(AM) is licensed for DA operation on 560 kHz with 5 kW (day) and 1 kW (night).

workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310. IHM must submit an e-mail to my attention to note the date the application was filed to determine how much additional temporary operation will be needed.

This authority expires on **December 27, 2020**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Joe Szczesny". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Joe" being more prominent and the last name "Szczesny" following in a similar style.

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
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