

## Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

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Re: Request for Special Temporary
Authority

WNYZ-LD, New York, NY Facility ID No. 56043 LMS File No. 0000184381

## Dear Licensee:

This letter concerns the above-referenced request for special temporary authority (STA), as amended, filed on February 4, 2022, by Sound of Long Island, Inc. (SLI), licensee of digital low power television (LPTV) station WNYZ-LD, New York, New York (WNYZ-LD or Station). For the reasons below, we grant SLI's STA with conditions.

WNYZ-LD is a digital LPTV station operating on channel 6 in ATSC 3.0 format. SLI requests an STA to operate an analog FM audio carrier within Station's assigned digital channel frequencies (FM6 operations). SLI commits that while they are operating pursuant to the STA, they will continue to make efficient use of the ATSC 3.0 video portion of the Station's signal. The Station will provide at least one stream of synchronized video and audio programming on the ATSC 3.0 portion of the spectrum on a full time (24x7) basis. SLI states that the Station will continue to air a 24-hour Korean language program. SLI states that this video programming can be satisfactorily viewed on consumer receiving equipment based on the ATSC 3.0 standard.

SLI further states that the Station's ancillary or supplementary audio signal will occupy a portion of the bandwidth assigned to the Station as part of its DTV channel. Should any unexpected interference occur, SLI pledges that it will promptly take remedial action, including termination of all or part of the Station's signal, if necessary.

ACCORDINGLY, the request for special temporary of Sound of Long Island, Inc. for digital LPTV station WNYZ-LD, New York, New York, **IS GRANTED** for a period of **six months from the date of this letter**, subject to the following conditions:

- 1. FM6 operations may only be conducted on 87.75 MHz.
- 2. This STA has been issued on a non-interference basis and may be immediately modified or terminated if the operation causes interference to any other licensed user, including but not limited to broadcast television or radio users, or if SLI fails to comply with any conditions of grant. Pursuant to section 73.1635(b) of the rules, 47 CFR § 73.1635(d), the Video Division, without the consent of SLI, may also modify the terms of or terminate this authorization for any other reason upon written notice to SLI.
- 3. WNYZ-LD's audio and video coverage must reach similar populations.

- 4. SLI shall submit written reports, 90 days from the date of this letter and then again 180 days from the date of this letter, detailing any reports of interference to other licensed users it has received and any interference between WNYZ-LD's video and audio services that in any way limits the coverage of its video. Such reports must also include a demonstration that WNYZ-LD's audio and video coverage reach similar populations.
- 5. During the term of this STA, WNYZ-LD must provide at least one stream of synchronized video and audio programming on the ATSC 3.0 portion of the spectrum on a full time (24x7) basis.
- 6. During the term of this STA, the technical facilities of WNYZ-LD may not be modified.
- 7. During the term of this STA, the license of WNYZ-LD may not be assigned or transferred.

Sincerely,

/s/

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