

## Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554 May 10, 2022

Stuart W. Epperson, Jr., President Truth Broadcasting Corporation 4405 Providence, Lane, Suite D Winston-Salem, NC 27106

Re: Truth Broadcasting Corporation (TBC)

WHVN(AM), Charlotte, NC

Facility Identification Number: 72331 Special Temporary Authority (STA)

BESTA-20220427AAL

## Dear Mr. Epperson:

This is in reference to the request filed on April 27, 2022. TBC requests a further extension of the STA granted on September 24, 2020, to continue operating from an alternate site to allow time to file the required FCC Form 301 application to propose a new permanent facility. In support of the request, TBC stated that it remains in the process of purchasing a new transmitter site in order to move forward with the filing of the application (due to loss of the licensed site).

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 the STA is hereby GRANTED, and TBC may continue to operate with the following facilities:

Geographic coordinates

35° 15′ 50″ N, 80° 46′ 13″ W (NAD 1927)

Frequency
Hours of operation
Operating power
Antenna type
Electrical height of radiator

day and night 0.6 kW

Single wire unipole system

68 degrees

1240 kHz

291.4 mV/m/kW at 1 km

Antenna efficiency

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> WHVN(AM) is licensed for ND operation on 1240 kHz using 1 kW, day and night.

TBC must reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received, and 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 November 9, 2022.

Sincerely,

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer

Audio Division

Media Bureau

cc: Davina Sashkin, Esq., B&H LLP (via e-mail only)