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Public Notice, Media Bureau Announces Procedures For All Filings Currently Submitted in the Consolidated Database System (CDBS), DA 22-29, rel. January 11, 2022, addressed to audiofilings@fcc.gov

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
9050 Junction Drive
Annapolis Junction, MD 20701

**Re: W242AX, (Facility No. 146140) Auburn, AL
Request for Extension of BESTA-20211006AAI
Engineering STA**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Auburn Network, Inc., through its counsel, hereby requests extension of the existing Special Temporary Authority (BESTA-20211006AAI) for Station W242AX, (Facility No. 146140) Auburn, AL ("Station") to operate the Station with the facilities set forth in BESTA-20211006AAI.

This Request will permit continuation of the facilities in BSTA20210426AAG, initially approved in BSTA-20191220ACG. The details of the prior filings are incorporated by reference in this request. As reflected in prior filings, due to loss of the licensed transmitter site, the Station must be relocated and the new site is the same location as two other translators owned by the licensee, Auburn Network, Inc. The licensee is unable to file an application for this facility due to a hold placed by the FCC's General Counsel's office. However, the Media Bureau has allowed facility

changes for this via an STA until the matters are resolved. Further, as set forth in BSTA-20191220ACG, the initial STA was granted on a conditional basis by Letter of Albert Shuldiner of March 2, 2020, which Letter also provided in footnote 9 that any extensions granted will be subject to the same conditional basis. Accordingly, consistent with the above referenced Letter and including footnote 9, it is respectfully requested that this request for extension of the STA mirroring the prior STAs be approved on the same conditional basis to permit continuation of the Station's service to the public.

For the foregoing reasons, Auburn Network, Inc. respectfully requests an extension of the BESTA-20211006AAI to continue to operate the Station as set forth above.

Auburn Network, Inc., hereby certifies that neither it, nor any party thereto, is subject to a denial of federal benefits that includes FCC benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the *Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988*, 21 U.S.C. § 862.

Confirmation of payment of the FCC filing fee for this request for extension of the STA is set forth below.

Please direct any questions regarding this matter to the undersigned.

Sincerely,



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Counsel to Auburn Network, Inc..

cc: Dale Bickel
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