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By Email to: Audiofilings@fcc.gov

Audio Division, Media Bureau
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Request for Engineering STA
Live Communications, Inc.
WTAL, Tallahassee, FL (Fac. ID 55330)

Dear Audio Division Staff:


Live Communications, Inc. ("Live"), licensee of AM Station WTAL, Tallahassee, Florida (Fac. ID 55330), hereby respectfully requests special temporary authority ("Engineering STA") to operate WTAL as described in the attached engineering statement prepared for Live by Charles A. Hecht & Associates (the "Hecht Statement"). In support of this request, the following is shown:

WTAL currently operates with transmitting facilities that are located on a leased site that is to be redeveloped for non-broadcast use. Live has received notice from the site owner that WTAL must vacate the site **by July 29, 2022**. In anticipation of losing the WTAL licensed site, Live filed a minor modification application (File No. BP-20220407AAH) which was granted today, July 6, 2022.

Although Live will be doing what it can to expeditiously construct the facilities authorized under its newly granted construction permit, it will not be ready to operate WTAL from the new transmitter site on or before July 29, 2022. Accordingly, to ensure that WTAL may continue to serve its listeners while its new transmitting facilities are being constructed, Live respectfully requests that STA be granted for WTAL to operate with the facilities described in the Hecht Statement for a period of 180 days.

Included herewith is Live's Anti-Drug Abuse Act Certification. The required FCC processing fee will be paid through CORES and confirmation of payment will be separately emailed to audiofilings@fcc.gov. Should there be any questions concerning this matter, please contact undersigned counsel for Live.

Respectfully submitted,

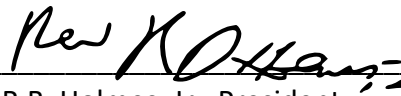


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Cc by email: Jerome Manarchuck, Audio Division

Anti-Drug Abuse Act Certification

Live Communications, Inc. ("Applicant"), hereby certifies that neither Applicant nor any party to the application is subject to denial of federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. Section 862.

Live Communications, Inc.

By: 
R.B. Holmes, Jr., President

Dated: 07.06.2022

ENGINEERING STATEMENT COVERING
REQUEST FOR STA ON BEHALF OF
LIVE COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
FOR WTAL 1450 KILOHERTZ
TALLAHASSEE, FLORIDA

SUMMARY

This engineering statement was prepared on behalf of Live Communications, Inc., hereinafter referred to as "Live", in support of an application for Special Temporary Operating Authority (STA) for AM station WTAL Tallahassee, Florida. Live is the licensee of WTAL. Live has lost its transmitter site and has filed construction permit application BP-20220407AAH to diplex from the WTLY site. Since the application is still pending and Live must vacate its licensed site by the end of July, an STA is necessary to keep WTAL on the air. Live proposes to construct a longwire antenna for the STA operation.

STA SPECIFICATIONS

Specifications for the proposed STA are as follows:

Coordinates: 30° 26' 53" N Latitude 84° 15' 37" W Longitude (NAD 27)

Antenna Length: 100 feet

Antenna Height AGL: 30 feet

Frequency: 1450 kilohertz

Power: 250 watts

Distance from Licensed Site: 8.01 kilometers

Antenna Location: WTAL Main Studio Tennessee Ave, Tallahassee, FL

A sketch of the STA longwire antenna system follows this statement as well as an aerial photograph of the proposed site.

DECLARATION

The foregoing was prepared by or under the immediate supervision of Charles A. Hecht of Charles A. Hecht & Associates, Inc., Freehold, New Jersey, whose qualifications are a matter of record with the Federal Communications Commission. All statements herein are true and correct of his knowledge except such statements made on information and belief, and as to those statements, he believes them to be true and correct under the penalty of perjury.

Respectfully submitted,

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