

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554 August 2, 2022

Martin Stabbert, SVP ENG Townsquare License, LLC 1 Manhattanville Road, Suite 202 Purchase, NY 10577

Re: Townsquare License, LLC (Townsquare)

WADB(AM), Asbury Park, NJ

Facility Identification Number: 14895 Special Temporary Authorization (STA)

BESTA-20220722AAC

Dear Mr. Stabbert:

This is in reference to the request filed on July 22, 2022. Townsquare requests a further extension of the STA originally granted on November 12, 2013, as modified to continue operation with an ND antenna to allow time to rebuild the DA antenna systems and file the required FCC Form 302 application.¹ In support of the request, Townsquare states that additional time will be needed for a third party to complete all remaining cellular equipment related work on a nearby detuned tower and to address reradiation problems from new nearby sources such as light poles (since construction of the buildings adjacent to the site have been completed along with needed ground system repairs).

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.

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¹ WADB(AM) is licensed for DA operation on 1310 kHz with 2.5 kW day and 1 kW night using different patterns.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and Townsquare may continue to operate ND using tower #1 (ARSN 1224828) with a maximum of 0.625 kW daytime, and 0.25 kW nighttime. Townsquare must 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 February 1, 2023.

Sincerely,

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer

Audio Division Media Bureau

cc: Howard M. Liberman, Esq., WBK (via e-mail only)