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VIA E-MAIL ONLY

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
45 L. Street NE
Washington DC 20554

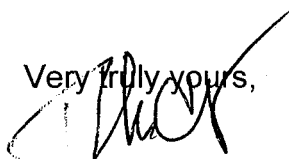
Re: WMOB (AM), Mobile, Alabama (FAC# 7740); Request for Special
Temporary Authority.

Dear Madam Secretary:

On the behalf of **Buddy Tucker Association, Inc.**, ("Tucker"), the Licensee of WMOB (AM), Mobile, Alabama (FAC# 7740) (the "Station"), this is to respectfully request Special Temporary Authority ("STA") to operate via a long wire system. This long-wire is necessary as Tucker has lost the use of its licensed site. Attached hereto is the engineering exhibit for this new temporary system. Considering the forgoing, Tucker respectfully requests 180 days in which to operate via long-wire.

Attached hereto please find the requisite Anti-Drug Abuse Certificate signed by Counsel. Pursuant to FCC *Public Notice*, DA 22-29, (released January 11, 2022) (the "Public Notice") this instant STA Request is being submitted by e-mail to audiofillings@fcc.gov. Should there be any questions regarding this STA Request, please feel free to contact this Office.

Very truly yours,



John C. Trent

Attachments

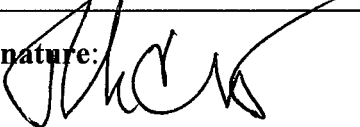
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ANTI-DRUG ABUSE ACT CERTIFICATION

The Applicant certifies that, in the case of an individual applicant, he or she is not subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. §853a, or, in the case of a nonindividual applicant (*e.g.*, corporation, partnership or other unincorporated association), no party to the application is subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to that section. For the definition of a “party” for these purposes, *see* 47 C.F.R. §1.2002(b).

Yes ☒

No ☐

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| Name of Applicant Buddy Tucker Association, Inc. | Signature:  |
| Date: 07/29/2022 | Title: Counsel |

ENGINEERING STATEMENT COVERING
REQUEST FOR STA ON BEHALF OF
BUDDY TUCKER ASSOCIATION, INC.
FOR WMOB 1360 KILOHERTZ
MOBILE, ALABAMA

SUMMARY

This engineering statement was prepared on behalf of Buddy Tucker Association, Inc., hereinafter referred to as "Tucker", in support of an application for Special Temporary Operating Authority (STA) for AM station WMOB Mobile, Alabama. Tucker is the licensee of WMOB. Tucker has lost its transmitter site and will file a construction permit application as soon as a new site can be located. WMOB is currently silent as authorized in file BSTA-20211208AAE. The silent STA expires in several days and Tucker will promptly construct the facilities requested in this application and return the station to the air before the silent STA expiration date. Therefore, the STA is necessary for WMOB to return to the air. Tucker proposes to construct a longwire antenna for the STA operation. Antenna specifications are provided on the following page.

STA SPECIFICATIONS

Specifications for the proposed STA are as follows:

Coordinates: 30° 41' 16" N Latitude 87° 47' 54" W Longitude (NAD 27)

Antenna Length: 172 feet

Radiator Type: Single pole 1/4 wavelength non-shunted wire radiator

Frequency: 1360 kilohertz

Power: 250 watts Daytime, 50 watts Nighttime

Distance from Licensed Site: 19.4 kilometers

Antenna Location: WALA-TV Tower Stapelton, Alabama

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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