

Request to Extend STA
Radio License Holding CBC, LLC
Station WSKO(AM), Syracuse, New York

WSKO(AM) Narrative

RADIO LICENSE HOLDING CBC, LLC, LICENSEE OF STATION WSKO(AM), SYRACUSE, NEW YORK, RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS AN EXTENSION OF THE SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORIZATION ("STA") TO ALLOW CONTINUED OPERATION WITH TWENTY-FIVE PERCENT (25%) OF ITS AUTHORIZED NIGHTTIME POWER (1.25 KW) IN A NON-DIRECTIONAL MODE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 73.1615 OF THE COMMISSION'S RULES.

WSKO IS LICENSED TO OPERATE WITH 5 KILOWATTS OF POWER DURING DAYTIME AND NIGHTTIME HOURS UTILIZING A FOUR TOWER DIRECTIONAL ARRAY. AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED, THE STATION'S LOCAL ENGINEER DETERMINED THAT THE SAMPLE LINES, WHICH ARE QUITE OLD, AND THE ANTENNA MONITOR NEEDED TO BE REPLACED, AND THE GROUND SYSTEM NEEDED REPAIR. RLH OBTAINED THE ANTENNA MONITOR AND REPLACED THE SAMPLE LINES. MEASUREMENTS HAVE BEEN TAKEN AND SENT TO RLH'S CONSULTING ENGINEER FOR EVALUATION TO DETERMINE WHETHER A LICENSE MODIFICATION IS NEEDED. RLH EXPECTS TO HEAR BACK VERY SOON.

IN THE MEANTIME, RLH RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS AN EXTENSION OF ITS STA SO WSKO MAY CONTINUE TO PROVIDE NIGHTTIME SERVICE, ALBEIT AT REDUCED POWER, TO ITS LISTENERS UNTIL IT DETERMINES WHETHER THE STATION IS OPERATING AS AUTHORIZED WITH ITS LICENSED FACILITIES.