

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554 February 21, 2023

Matt Dubeil, Manager Dupage Radio, LLC PO Box 3162 Oak Brook, IL 60522

> Re: Dupage Radio, LLC (DR) WCKG(AM), Elmhurst, IL Facility Identification Number: 32227 Special Temporary Authorization (STA) BESTA-20230207AAC

Dear Mr. Dubeil:

This is in reference to the request filed on February 7, 2023. DR requests a further extension of the STA originally granted on March 21, 2021, as last modified on February 3, 2022, to continue operation from an alternate site to allow time to file the required FCC Form 301 application.¹ In support of the request, DR stated that additional time will be needed to file the application to propose a new permanent facility at another site (due to loss of the licensed site).

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.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and DR may continue to operate with the following facilities:

Geographic coordinates

41° 51′ 46″ N, 87° 55′ 26″ W (NAD 1927)

¹ WCKG(AM) is licensed for DA daytime only operation on 1530 kHz with 0.76 kW.

Frequency Hours of operation Operating power Antenna type Antenna efficiency 1530 kHz Daytime only 0.190 kW (daytime) Existing tower 283.6 mV/m/kW at 1 km

DR must reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received, and 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 August 20, 2023.

Sincerely,

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer Audio Division Media Bureau

cc: John C. Trent, Esq., PHT PC (via e-mail only)