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May 22, 2009

Raymond C. Benedict  
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Re: CBS Radio Stations, Inc.  
WTIC (AM), Hartford, Connecticut  
Facility Identification Number: 66464  
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Mr. Benedict:

This is in reference to the request filed May 21, 2009, on behalf of CBS Radio Stations, Inc. ("CBS"). CBS requests special temporary authority ("STA") to operate Station WTIC with parameters at variance from the station license.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, CBS states that it is preparing to perform a method of moments ("MOM") proof of performance for the station's nighttime directional antenna.

Accordingly, the request for STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WTIC may operate with its substantially adjusted nighttime directional antenna system pending the filing and processing of an application for modification of license supported by a MOM proof of performance pursuant to 47 C.F.R. Section 73.151(c). Operating parameters shall be maintained as specified in the request<sup>2</sup>. It will be necessary to reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. MCC 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 **November 22, 2009**.

Sincerely,



Charles N. Miller, Engineer  
Audio Division  
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cc: CBS Radio Stations, Inc.

<sup>1</sup> WTIC is licensed for operation on 1080 kHz with 50 kilowatts daytime and 50 kilowatts nighttime, employing a directional antenna during nighttime hours only (DA-N-U).

<sup>2</sup> Operating parameters shall be maintained within  $\pm 5\%$  current ratios and  $\pm 3^\circ$  phase of the model-derived operating parameters, which must be posted with the station's license along with a copy of this STA letter.