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Troy G. Langham, FCC Engineering Supervisor  
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Re: WODT (AM), New Orleans, Louisiana  
Facility Identification Number: 11947  
Clear Channel Broadcasting Licenses, Inc.  
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Mr. Langham:

This is in reference to the request filed October 10, 2008, on behalf of Clear Channel Broadcasting Licenses, Inc. ("CCBL"). CCBL requests extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on April 16, 2008, to operate Station WODT with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, CCBL states that repairs are complete and proof of performance measurements are underway.

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.

Our review indicates that the licensee has made substantial progress toward restoring licensed operation. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WODT may

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<sup>1</sup> WODT is licensed for operation on 1280 kHz with 5 kilowatts, unlimited hours, employing a directional antenna (DA-1-U).

continue to operate with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. CCBL must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored.<sup>2</sup> CCBL 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 **December 24, 2009**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Charles N. Miller".

Charles N. Miller, Engineer  
Audio Division  
Media Bureau

cc: Clear Channel Broadcasting Licenses, Inc.

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<sup>2</sup> *See* 47 CFR §§ 73.45(c), 73.51, 73.54, 73.61(b).