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Troy G. Langham, FCC Engineering Supervisor
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2625 South Memorial Drive, Suite A
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Re: Clear Channel Broadcasting Licenses, Inc.
WAIL(FM), Key West, Florida
Facility Identification Number: 31637
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Mr. Langham:

This is in reference to the request filed May 28, 2009, on behalf of Clear Channel Broadcasting Licenses, Inc. ("CCBL"). CCBL requests extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on September 3, 2008, and modified on December 9, 2008, to operate Station WAIL with emergency antenna facilities pursuant to Section 73.1680.¹

In support of the request, CCBL states that it continues the process of obtaining necessary local approvals for reconstruction of the licensed tower, and that it is experiencing significant delays in the permit process due to the environmentally sensitive nature of the 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.

Our review indicates that the licensee has been prevented from restoring licensed operation due

¹ WAIL is licensed for operation on Channel 258C1 (99.5 MHz) with effective radiated power of 100 kilowatts (H&V) and antenna height above average terrain of 73 meters.

to causes beyond its control and has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WAIL may continue to operate with the following facilities:

Geographic coordinates:	24° 40' 35" N, 81° 30' 41" W (NAD 1927)
Channel	258 (99.5 MHz)
Effective radiated power:	50 kilowatts (H&V)
Antenna manufacturer and type:	ERI, MPX-6E-SP, omnidirectional
Antenna height:	
above ground:	78 meters
above mean sea level:	79 meters
Above average terrain:	79 meters

CCBL must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored. 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 **February 5, 2010**.

Sincerely,



Charles N. Miller, Engineer
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cc: Clear Channel Broadcasting Licenses, Inc.