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Re: WGLD(AM), Red Lion, Pennsylvania
Facility Identification Number: 55352
Susquehanna License Co., LLC
Special Temporary Authorization

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed December 24, 2009, on behalf of Susquehanna License Co., LLC ("Susquehanna"). Susquehanna requests further extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on April 28, 2008, for continued operation of Station WGLD pursuant to Section 73.1615.¹ In support of the request, Susquehanna states that it has completed construction of new WGLD facilities authorized by Construction Permit BP-20070119AEA and that it is waiting for delivery of equipment necessary to conduct a Method of Moments proof on co-located Station WSBA. Susquehanna requests STA for continued operation with the facilities authorized by the permit.

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 restoration of

¹ WGLD is licensed to Red Lion, PA, for operation on 1440 kHz with 1 kW daytime and 0.056 kW nighttime, employing a nondirectional antenna (ND-1-U). Construction permit BP-20070119AEA authorizes relocation of the station to Manchester Township, relocation of the transmitter to the site of Station WSBA, an increase in antenna height and a reduction in operating power to 0.73 kW daytime and 0.053 kW nighttime.

licensed operation, but additional time is required for completing the work. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WGLD may continue to operate with the facilities authorized by Construction Permit BP-20070119AEA. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. Susquehanna 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 **June 30, 2010**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Charles N. Miller", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Charles N. Miller, Engineer
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cc: Susquehanna License Co., LLC