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Ms. Linda Barton  
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Re: Linda Barton  
WAJL(AM), South Boston, Virginia  
Facility Identification Number: 160359  
Construction Permit: BNP-20050118ABW  
License Application: BL-20100310ACX  
Program Test Authority

Dear Ms. Barton:

This is in reference to the above-captioned license application and to the request for program test authority for radio station WAJL(AM), South Boston, Virginia.

Authority is granted WAJL(AM) to conduct daytime and nighttime program test in accordance with construction permit BNP-20050118ABW and Section 73.1620 of the Commission's rules to operate on 1400 kHz with a daytime and nighttime nominal power of 1.0 kilowatt. Program tests are authorized with a daytime and nighttime power of 1,000 watts (antenna current of 5.13 amperes).

A preliminary engineering study of the application reveals that condition # 3 on the permit was not fulfilled because: (1) the emission for WAJL(AM) on 1880 kHz was not attenuated by at least -73 dB;<sup>1</sup> (2) the measured referenced field on 1560 kHz for co-located station WSBV(AM) was not provided; and (3) the spurious emission measurements on 4360 kHz, 4520 kHz, and 2960 kHz were not provided. Consequently the exhibit entitled "Spurious Radiations and Harmonic Measurements" Part 1 must be amended to include this information and a showing that the spurious signals are attenuated by at least -73 dB from the reference field of WAJL(AM) and -76.98 mV/m from the reference field of WSBV(AM).

Further action on the subject application will be withheld for sixty (60) days from the date of this letter in order to provide you an opportunity to file a curative amendment. Failure to respond or file an amendment within this time period will result in the dismissal of the application pursuant to 47 C.F.R 73.3568 of the rules.

Sincerely,



Son Nguyen  
Supervisory Engineer  
Audio Division  
Media Bureau

cc: Timothy L. Walker

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<sup>1</sup> The emission on 1880 kHz was incorrectly shown to be attenuated by 90.7 dB in the exhibit entitled "Spurious Radiations and Harmonic Measurements" Part 1. The correct attenuation is -70.67 dB. Section 73.44 of the Commission's rules require the emission (0.12 mV/m) to be attenuated by at least -73 dB from the WAJL(AM) reference signal (410 mV/m).