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Re: Davidson Media Station WSGH Licensee, LLC
WSGH (AM), Lewisville, North Carolina
Facility Identification Number: 72967
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed June 27, 2011, on behalf of Davidson Media Station WSGH Licensee, LLC ("DMS"). DMS requests extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on December 21, 2010, to operate Station WSGH with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits.¹ In support of the request, DMS states that it continues its efforts toward restoring licensed operation, but that last minute complications have delayed completion of the work.

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 progress toward restoration of 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 WSGH may

¹ WSGH is licensed for operation on 1040 kHz with 9.1 kilowatts daytime and 0.182 kilowatt nighttime, employing different directional antenna patterns daytime and nighttime (DA-2-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. DMS must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored.² DMS 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 9, 2012**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Charles N. Miller", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Charles N. Miller, Engineer
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cc: Davidson Media Station WSGH Licensee, LLC

² *See* 47 CFR §§ 73.45(c), 73.51, 73.61(b).