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Great Southern Broadcasting Company, Inc. 1617 Lebanon Road Nashville, TN 37210

In re: WAMB-FM1, Donelson, TN
Great Southern Broadcasting
Company, Inc. ("Great Southern")

Special Temporary Authority

Dear Licensee:

This refers to: (1) the letter dated October 26, 2000 requesting an extension of the Special Temporary Authority (STA) that was granted on February 12, 1998¹.

Great Southern states that grant of this STA extension request will allow it to continue to operate the WAMB-FM1, during nighttime hours ONLY, on FM channel 254, duplicating the programming of AM station WAMB, Donelson, Tennessee, in order to alleviate the co-channel interference problem from a Cuban AM broadcasting station. This authority will permit WAMB to maintain service to the community of Donelson as specified in its license authority.

In light of the above, the Special Temporary Authority IS HEREBY GRANTED for Great Southern Broadcasting Company, Inc. This authority expires on April 30, 2001. This action is taken pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 0.283.

Sincerely,

James D. Bradshaw

Assistant Chief

Audio Services Division Mass Media Bureau

¹ The February 12, 1998 letter modified and extended the Commission's letter dated August 14, 1990 which granted Great Southern authority to duplicate the programming of AM station WAMB, Donelson, Tennessee on FM channel 254.

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October 26, 2000

Ms. Magalie Roman Salas Secretary Federal Communications Commission Washington, D. C. 20554 2503/

Re:

FM Booster Station WAMB-FMl Donelson, Tennessee Special Temporary Authority

Dear Ms: Salas:

This letter is a request by Great Southern Broadcasting Company, Inc. to extend the Special Temporary Authority for FM Booster Station WAMB-FM1, Donelson, Tennessee.

This request extends an STA first granted by the Commission on August 14, 1990, and modified and extended on February 12, 1998, to permit Great Southern Broadcasting Company, Inc. to duplicate the programming of Standard Station WAMB, Donelson, Tennessee, on an FM channel to alleviate serious nighttime interference to WAMB's signal caused by a co-channel Cuban broadcasting station.

Because this situation remains unchanged, Great Southern Broadcasting Company, Inc. seeks authority to maintain its present operation of WAMB-FMl on Channel 254 so that it may continue to serve its nighttime audience without interference.

Sincerely yours,

GREAT SOUTHERN BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.

William O. Barry

President

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ANTI-DRUG ABUSE ACT CERTIFICATION

The applicant certifies that, in the case of an individual applicant, he or she is not subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. § 862a, or, in the case of a non-individual applicant (e.g. corporation, partnership or other unincorporated association), no party to the application is subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to that section. For the definition of a "party" for these purposes, see 47 C.F.R. § 1.2002(b).

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