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Ms. Magalie Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Post Office Box 358190
Pittsburgh, PA 15251-5190

**Re: Buchanan Broadcasting Company, Inc.
WJNT-FM1 (FM), Pearl, MS
Request for Extension of Special Temporary Authority**

Dear Ms. Salas:

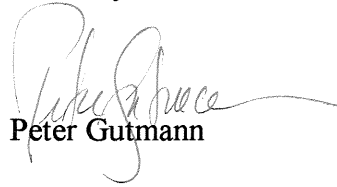
This letter is written on behalf of Buchanan Broadcasting Company, Inc. pursuant to Section 73.1635 of the Commission's rules in order to request an extension of Special Temporary Authority issued by letter of the Assistant Chief, Audio Services Division dated December 20, 1999 authorizing duplication of the programming of AM station WJNT, Pearl, Mississippi on FM Channel 280.

The purpose of the previous Special Temporary Authority was to alleviate serious nighttime interference caused by a co-channel Cuban broadcast station operating in excess of authorized parameters. Following issuance of the STA, site, equipment and installation delays were finally overcome and WJNT-FM1 began broadcasting on May 30. So far, Buchanan Broadcasting Company believes that the FM facility is achieving its intended purpose. However, there has been no change in the underlying circumstances, and therefore the need for service being rendered by WJNT-FM1 remains unabated. Accordingly, we respectfully request an extension of Special Temporary Authority along the same lines granted in the Assistant Chief's letter of December 20, 1999.

Submitted herewith is the applicant's Anti-Drug Abuse Act Certification and check (#1492) in the amount of \$130 in payment of the Commission's application fee for Special Temporary Authority for one commercial AM radio station (Fee Code MGR), and Remittance Advice (FCC Form 159) reflecting this payment.

Should any question arise concerning this request, please communicate directly with this office.

Sincerely,

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Peter Gutmann

Enclosures

Cc: Stan Carter (LPF)

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Anti – Drug Abuse Act Certification

Buchanan Broadcasting Co., Inc. certifies that neither it nor any of its officers, directors or owners is subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. 862a.

Respectfully submitted,

BUCHANAN BROADCASTING CO., INC.

By: Robert M. Buchanan Jr.

Date: June 19, 2000