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Re: WASG(AM), Daphne, Alabama
Facility Identification Number: 51141
Alabama Radio Corporation (ARC)
Special Temporary Authorization (STA)
BESTA- 20140619ABA

Dear Mr. Gutmann:

This is in reference to the request filed on June 19, 2014. ARC requests a third extension of the STA granted on November 6, 2012, for the operation of Station WASG with temporary facilities.¹ In support of the request, ARC plans states that it now plans to construct a duplicate tower before the end of July (which eliminates the need to file an FCC Form 301 application).

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.

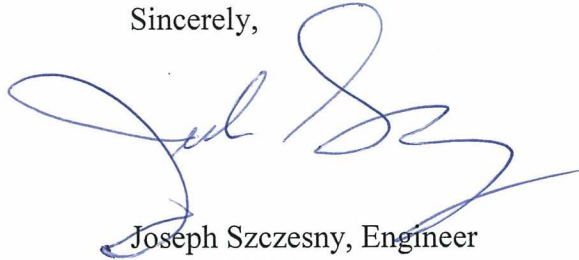
Accordingly, the request for STA extension IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WASG may operate from its licensed site with a temporary tower and reduced power. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. ARC must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to

¹ WASG is licensed for ND operation on 550 kHz with 2.5 kW day and 0.19 kW night.

radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310. We anticipate that ARC will file an FCC Form 302 application before the expiration date shown below to make any necessary changes (such as the current and resistance values).

This authority expires on **September 15, 2014**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Joseph Szczesny', written in a cursive style.

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
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cc: Robert L. Wilkins, President (ARC)