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WWMC (FM) Liberty University, Inc. 1971 University Boulevard Lynchburg, VA 24502-2269

> Re: WWMC (FM), Lynchburg, Virginia

> > Liberty University, Inc.

Facility Identification Number: 37248

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Special Temporary Authority BSTA-20141113AAO

## Dear Licensee:

This is in reference to the request filed November 13, 2014, on behalf of Liberty University, Inc. ("LU"). LU requests reinstatement and extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") granted on September 16, 2011, and modified on October 26, 2011 and March 5, 2012, to operate Station WWMC with temporary facilities.<sup>2</sup> In support of the request, LU states that additional time is required to locate a new, permanent site for the station.

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.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The previous STA for these same facilities expired on September 10, 2013. Today's STA grant does not cover any unauthorized operations between September 11, 2013 and November 13, 2014. We caution LU to be more aware of its STA expiration dates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> WWMC is licensed for operation on Channel 215A (90.9 MHz) with effective radiated power of 0.1 kilowatt (H&V) and antenna height above average terrain of 184 meters.

The request for reinstatement and extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED.<sup>3</sup> Station WWMC may operate with the following facilities:

Geographic coordinates: 37° 21′ 32″ N, 79° 09′ 32″ W (NAD 1927)

Channel 215 (90.9 MHz) Effective radiated power: 0.06 kilowatt (H&V)

Antenna height:

above ground: 15 meters above mean sea level: 420 meters above average terrain: 185 meters

LU must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from radiofrequency exposure in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310. It is anticipated that an application for construction permit for permanent relocation of the station will be filed prior to the expiration date below.

This authority expires on May 23, 2015.

Sincerely,

Dale Bickel Senior Engineer Audio Division Media Bureau

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cc: Harry C. Martin (via e-mail only)

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The grant of this STA does not imply approval of any future construction permit application that might be filed seeking use of this site or facilities.