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Christopher D. Imlay
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14356 Cape May Road
Silver Spring, MD 20904

Re: WHBO(AM), Pinellas Park, FL
Facility Identification Number:41383
Genesis Communications of Tampa Bay, Inc.
(GCTB)
Special Temporary Authorization (STA)
BESTA-20150108AAX

Dear Mr. Imlay:

This is in reference to the request filed on January 8, 2015. GCTB requests an extension of the STA granted on January 24, 2014, to operate station WHBO(AM) with temporary facilities as originally granted in August of 2006 due to the collapse of one tower.¹ In support of the request, GCTB stated that it was unable to file an FCC Form 301 application in the past five months due to legal and engineering issues, but it plans to do so by mid-February in order to move forward towards resumption of licensed operations.

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 IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WHBO(AM) may operate with the following facilities:

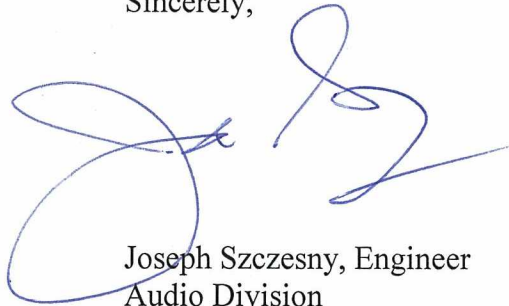
¹ WHBO(AM) is licensed for operation on 1040 kHz with 3.6 kW ND day and 0.42 kW DA night.

Geographic coordinates	27° 54' 30" N, 82° 46' 51" W (NAD 1927)
Frequency	1040 KHz
Hours of operation	Unlimited
Operating power	3.5 kW day, 0.015 kW night
Antenna type	WWBA(AM)'s existing tower
Radiator height	95.1° (76.2 meters)
Overall height	77 meters
ASRN	1040054
Antenna efficiency	309.17 mV/m/km/kW

It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. WHBO(AM) 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 **August 4, 2015**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Joseph Szczesny', is written over the typed name.

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
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cc: Bruce C. Maduri, CEO, GCTB