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Barry Wagenvoord, President Radio Hawaii, Inc. 100 N. Beretania Street, Suite 401 Honolulu, HI 96817-4712

> Re: Radio Hawaii, Inc. (RHI) KWAI(AM), Honolulu, Hawaii Facility Identification Number: 54613 Special Temporary Authority (STA) BESTA- 20150410ACK

Dear Mr. Wagenvoord:

This is in reference to the request filed on April 10, 2015. RHI requests a sixth extension of the STA granted on February 27, 2012, to operate Station KWAI with temporary facilities due to known site coordinate, tower height, and efficiency errors, as corrected by permit BP-20120306ABL.¹ In support of the request, RHI states that in the past six months it prepared and filed an FCC Form 301 application (BP-20150413ABI) to correct the errors on the last license because BL-20111229ACE was dismissed in 2012 due to failure to meet all conditions.

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 extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station KWAI may continue to operate with the following facilities, with reduced power:

¹ KWAI is licensed for ND operation on 1080 kHz with 5 kW day and night, and BP-20150413ABI proposes a change in coordinates, radiator height, and efficiency (in order to correct BZ-19800228AD).

Geographic coordinates:	21° 19' 27"NL, 157° 52' 47"WL (NAD 1927)
Frequency:	1080 kHz
Hours of operation:	Unlimited
Operating power:	Not to exceed 5 kW
Antenna type:	ND, Existing tower
Radiator height:	77.5° (59.8 meters)
Antenna efficiency:	298 mV/m/km/kW
Overall height:	61 meters
ASRN:	1213943

It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. RHI must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commissions exposure guidelines. See 47 CFR § 1.1310. We anticipate that BP-20150413ABI will be granted before the expiration date shown below, which will then allow RHI to file an acceptable FCC Form 302 application (with all conditions met).

This authority expires on November 5, 2015.

Sincerely, Joe Szczesny, Engineer Audio Division Media Bureau

cc: Lee J. Peltzman, Esq., Shainis & Peltzman (via e-mail)