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Jo Ann Haller, Esq., Senior VP CBS Radio WLIF-AM, Inc. 1800 K Street NW, Suite 920 Washington, DC 20006

Re: CBS Radio WLIF-AM, Inc. (CBS)

WJZ (AM), Baltimore, Maryland Facility Identification Number: 28636 Special Temporary Authority (STA)

BESTA-20150424AAH

Dear Ms. Haller:

This is in reference to the request filed on April 24, 2015. CBS requests a further extension of the STA originally granted on May 18, 2012, to operate Station WJZ(AM) with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits (due to sampling system problems). In support of the request, CBS states that it needs additional time to install replacement parts and adjust the array before filing an FCC Form 302 application containing a MOM proof in the upcoming months.

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 WJZ(AM) may

¹ WJZ(AM) is licensed for DA operation on 1300 kHz with 5 kW, unlimited hours.

operate with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits in order to make necessary repairs and adjustments. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. CBS must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored (after an FCC Form 302 application has been filed and granted to update all operating parameters).² CBS 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 November 19, 2015.

Sincerely,

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer Audio Division, Media Bureau

cc: Raymond C. Benedict, CBS

² See 47 CFR §§ 73.45(c), 73.51, 73.61(b).