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September 16, 2015

Christopher J. Henderson, Sr. VP and Secretary
Salem Media Group, LLC
4880 Santa Rosa Road
Camarillo, CA 93012

Re: Salem Media Group, LLC (Salem)
WYLL(AM), Chicago, IL
Facility Identification Number: 28630
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
BESTA-20150811AFX

Dear Mr. Henderson:

This is in reference to the STA request filed on August 11, 2015. Salem requests an extension of the STA granted on February 13, 2015, to operate with parameters at variance in order to conduct a new method of moment proof to update the nighttime site operating parameters.¹ In support of the request, Salem states that it will resume licensed operations per BMML-20141202ACO after it has been granted.

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 and station WYLL(AM) may continue to operate during nighttime hours with the substantially adjusted parameters specified in BMML-20141202ACO (with no change to the licensed daytime site parameters). It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. Salem 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 WYLL(AM) is licensed for two-site DA operation on 1160 kHz with 50 kW (day and night).

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This authority expires on **March 16, 2016**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of several loops and a long tail stroke, positioned above the printed name.

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
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cc: Frank R. Jazzo, Esq., FHH PLC (via e-mail)