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Edwin L. Nass Director of Spectrum Management 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-20151102AKA

Dear Mr. Nass:

This is in reference to the request filed on November 2, 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 equipment problems.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, CBS states that all repairs have been completed, and additional time is needed to file an FCC Form 302 application containing a method of moments proof to update all operating parameters.

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

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA is HEREBY GRANTED, and station WJZ(AM) may continue to operate with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits in order to complete all repairs/adjustments. It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. 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. We anticipate a new license should be granted before the expiration date shown below if filed in the near future, as estimated in the request.

This authority expires on June 3, 2016.

Sincerely, Joseph Szczesny, Engineer

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