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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-20151105AMN

Dear Mr. Wagenvoord:

This is in reference to the request filed on April 10, 2015. RHI requests a further extension of the STA granted on February 27, 2012, to operate Station KWAI with temporary facilities to allow time to file an FCC Form 302 application to cover BP-20120306ABL.¹ In support of the request, RHI states that it is preparing to file an FCC Form 302 application to cover the permit.

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, and station KWAI may continue to operate with the following facilities using reduced power:

¹ KWAI is licensed for ND operation on 1080 kHz with 5 kW day and night, and BP-20150413ABI authorizes a correction in coordinates, radiator height, and efficiency to correct the last license.

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 RHI will file an acceptable FCC Form 302 application in the near future so that it may be granted before the expiration date shown below.

This authority expires on April 4, 2016.

Sincerely, Joe Szczesny, Engineer Audio Division Media Bureau

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