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**IN REPLY REFER TO:
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Mr. Robert Walker
P. O. Box 28961
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In re: WBZQ(AM), Huntington, IN
Facility ID No. 72788
Silent since September 25, 2015

Request for Special Temporary
Authority to Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Walker:

This letter concerns the request you filed on September 28, 2015, on behalf of Fifty Seven Media, LLC ("Fifty Seven"), for Special Temporary Authority to permit AM Radio Station WBZQ to remain silent.

Fifty Seven's request states that Station WBZQ(AM) went silent on September 25, 2015, because of technical reasons. The request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.¹

Fifty Seven's request is granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station WBZQ(AM) to remain silent not to exceed 180 days from the date of this letter. **Notwithstanding the grant of this Special Temporary Authority, the broadcast license for Station WBZQ(AM) will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not commence by 12:01 a.m., September 26, 2016.**²

Fifty Seven is required to notify the Commission when broadcast operations resume. If Fifty Seven does not file the notification of resumption of operations in a timely manner, the license may be subject to cancellation pursuant to Section 312(g) of the Communications Act, as amended.³

The station's silent status does not suspend the licensee's obligation to comply with all other relevant Commission rules, including the filing, when appropriate, of applications for renewal of broadcast license. Finally, we note that it is imperative to the safety of air navigation that any prescribed

¹ In the event extension of special temporary authority is sought, please renew the certification in this matter.

² See 47 U.S.C. § 312(g).

³ In addition to filing a notification of resumption of operations electronically on the date operations resume, notification of resumption must also be emailed to Denise.Williams@FCC.gov.

painting and illumination of the station's tower shall be maintained until removed. *See* 47 C.F.R. §§ 17.6 and 73.1740(a)(4).

Sincerely,



Lisa Scanlan
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Media Bureau