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Western New Life, Inc.  
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Re: WNVE (FM), Ceiba, PR  
Western New Life, Inc.  
Facility Identification Number: 3250  
Special Temporary Authority (STA)  
BESTA-20160226ABB

Dear Licensee:

This is in reference to the request filed February 26, 2016, on behalf of Western New Life, Inc. ("WNL"). WNL explains anew that WNVE has been causing serious interference to AT&T cellular operations, and that engineers from the station and AT&T have been unable to resolve the issue to date. WNL seeks a third extension of the September 11, 2014 Special Temporary Authority (STA) to continue temporary operations from a nearby tower while the complex interference issues are worked on. Should the interference matter be resolved, WNVE will resume operation with its licensed parameters. WNL's directional STA operation keeps the 60 dBu STA service contour entirely within WNVE's 60 dBu licensed service contour.

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.

The request for STA extension IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WNVE may continue operation with the following temporary facilities:

Channel 269A (101.7 MHz)  
Effective radiated power: 0.623 kilowatts (H&V) Directional <sup>1</sup>  
Antenna height:  
    above ground: 16 meters  
    above mean sea level: 299 meters  
    Above average terrain: 195 meters  
Antenna Structure Registration No.: 1233151

WNL must notify the Commission when licensed operation is restored. WNL must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from radiofrequency exposure in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See* 47 CFR § 1.1310.

This authority expires on **November 11, 2016**.

Sincerely,



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Senior Engineer  
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Media Bureau

cc: Lee Peltzman (via e-mail only)

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<sup>1</sup> If this temporary directional antenna will later be used for a licensed main or auxiliary facility, WNL will then be required to provide the usual directional pattern measurement results, a surveyor's statement, and a statement from the engineer overseeing the installation of the antenna.