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Richard S. Denning, VP & GC Radio License Holding CBC LLC 3280 Peachtree Road, NW, Suite 2300 Atlanta, GA 30305

> Re: Radio License Holding CBC, LLC (RLH) KARN(AM), Little Rock, Arkansas Facility Identification Number: 60703 Special Temporary Authority (STA) BESTA-20161028ACB

Dear Mr. Denning:

This is in reference to the request filed on October 28, 2016. RLH requests a final extension of the STA granted on January 3, 2011, with emergency antenna facilities due to vandalism and required repairs.¹ In support of the request, RLH states that it plans to file the required FCC Form 302 application to update all operating parameters within the next few weeks.

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 RLH may continue to operate ND at night using a maximum of 1.25 kW, or with parameters at variance and/or reduced power while maintaining monitor points within licensed limits (with no change to

¹ KARN is licensed for operation on 920 kHz with 5 kW day (ND), and 5 kW night (DA).

the licensed daytime ND facility). RLH 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 that the 302 application will be granted before the expiration date shown below, eliminating the need for further STA operation.

This authority expires on May 25, 2017.

Sincerely, Joseph Szczesny, Engineer Audio Division Media Bureau

cc: Andrew Kersting, RLH (via e-mail)