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In re: WDAE(AM), St. Petersburg, FL  
Facility Identification Number: 74198  
Clear Channel Broadcasting Licenses, Inc.  
Special Temporary Authority

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed October 4, 2006, on behalf of Clear Channel Broadcasting Licenses, Inc. ("CCBL"). CCBL requests further extension of the special temporary authority ("STA") originally granted June 3, 1983 and December 10, 1984, for operation of Station WDAE (formerly WSUN) at variance from its license to counteract the effects of Cuban interference. In support of the request for extension, CCBL states that the destructive Cuban interference is continuing to disrupt WDAE(AM)'s operations.

Accordingly, the request for STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, Station WDAE may continue to operate under the terms and conditions of STAs originally granted June 3, 1983, and December 10, 1984, as subsequently modified and extended, to mitigate the effects of Cuban interference.<sup>1</sup> Nominal operating power shall not exceed 11 kilowatts daytime and 10 kilowatts nighttime; antenna input power shall not exceed 11 kilowatts daytime and 10.53 kilowatts nighttime. This authority is subject to termination upon reduction of power or cessation of operation by the Cuban operation or upon Commission instruction to WDAE, at which time WDAE must return to licensed operating parameters. The field strength at each monitor point must be measured at least **monthly** to assure proper array operation. It will be necessary to reduce power if interference complaints are received.

This authority expires on **February 17, 2008**.

Sincerely,



Charles N. Miller, Engineer  
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cc: Clear Channel Broadcasting Licenses, Inc.

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<sup>1</sup> We note that the Commission recently authorized modification of the licensed WDAE facilities by grant of Construction Permit BP-20050110ABG. The STA nighttime directional antenna specifications incorporated by reference into the original December 10, 1984, STA **are hereby modified** to take into account the shorter towers authorized by the permit. Following grant of a license for the modified facilities, new STA directional antenna specifications will be issued, if necessary.