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July 10, 2017

Lorann Mann, President  
Pentecostal Temple Development Corporation  
6300 East Liberty Blvd.  
Pittsburgh, PA 15206

Re: Pentecostal Temple Development Corporation  
(PTDC)  
WGBN(AM), McKeesport, PA  
Facility Identification Number: 59695  
Special Temporary Authority (STA)  
BESTA-20170605ACN

Dear Ms. Mann:

This is in reference to the request filed on June 5, 2017. PTDC requests an extension of the STA granted on December 7, 2016, to continue to operate ND with reduced power daytime from the licensed nighttime site pending the filing of the required FCC Form 301 application to propose a new permanent facility at the nighttime site.<sup>1</sup> In support, PTDC stated that the application will be filed within 60 days (due to loss of the daytime site).

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 the STA is GRANTED, and PTDC may continue to operate with one of the licensed nighttime site towers using a maximum of 1 kW daytime (with no change to the licensed nighttime DA operation). It will be necessary to further reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received. PTDC must use whatever means are necessary


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<sup>1</sup> WGBN(AM) is licensed for operation on 1360 kHz with 5 kW day (ND) and 1 kW night (DA) from two different sites.

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.

This authority expires on **January 10, 2018**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of a large loop followed by a series of smaller, connected loops and a final horizontal stroke.

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer  
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cc: Dan J. Alpert, Esq. (via email only)