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Leonard J. Oswald, President La Promesa Foundation 1406 E. Garden Lane Midland, TX 79701

Re:

La Promesa Foundation (LPF) WDWR(AM), Pensacola, FL

Facility Identification Number: 21773

Special Temporary Authority (STA)

BESTA-20170630AAY

Dear Mr. Oswald:

This is in reference to the request filed on June 30, 2017. LPF requests a further extension of the November 18, 2016, STA to continue operating with a long wire antenna to allow a short amount of additional time to file the required FCC Form 302 application.¹ In support of the request, LPF stated that it plans to file the application for a new license shortly.

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 LPF may continue to operate with the following facilities:

¹ WDWR(AM) is currently licensed for ND operation on 1230 kHz with 1kW (day and night), and BP-20170213AAN authorized the correction in site coordinates, tower height, efficiency, and a reduction in power to 0.79 kW.

Geographic coordinates

Frequency

Hours of operation

Operating power

Antenna type

Electrical length

30° 25' 57" N, 87° 13' 07" W (NAD 1927)

1230 kHz

day and night

0.25 kW

horizontal long wire antenna (145 feet)

65.3°

LPF 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 \S 1.1310.

This authority expires on December 1, 2017.

Sincerely,

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer

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