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Clamor Broadcasting Network, Inc.
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Re: WJVP (FM), Culebra, PR
Clamor Broadcasting Network, Inc.
Facility Identification Number: 11619
Special Temporary Authority ("STA")
BSTA-20170815AAV

Dear Licensee:

This is in reference to the request filed August 15, 2017, on behalf of Clamor Broadcasting Network, Inc. ("CBN"). CBN requests special temporary authority ("STA") to operate station WJVP with temporary facilities on the island of Puerto Rico, until a court proceeding involving the licensed transmitter site on the island of Culebra is resolved.¹

The STA IS GRANTED.² We expect that WJVP shall continue the temporary operation authorized herein, through the term of this STA period or until the licensee resumes permanent operations at a licensable site. Extension requests for this STA may be granted by the staff if circumstances warrant.

Accordingly, CBN may continue to operate this station from the WJVP studio site (163 Santiago Iglesias Pantin, Fajardo, PR) with the following facilities:

Geographic coordinates:	18° 19' 33.1" N, 65° 39' 22" W (NAD 27)
Channel	207 (89.3 MHz)
Effective radiated power:	0.2 kW (vertically polarized)
Antenna height:	
above ground:	14 meters
above mean sea level:	24 meters
above average terrain:	-33 meters
Tower height:	15 meters

¹ This STA requests facilities identical to those previously authorized in BSTA-20160229AAB. Separately, CBN has filed a Resumption of Operation notice indicating that these facilities resumed operation August 21, 2017.

² This STA proposal, while it remains within the licensed service contour of WJVP, provides no 54 dBu coverage to any part of the island of Culebra. Therefore, while we grant the requested STA, we do not see this as a permanent or long term solution toward restoring service to Culebra.

CBN 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 February 20, 2018.

STA Advisory: Section 309(f) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, authorizes the Commission to grant STA in cases of "extraordinary circumstances requiring temporary authorizations in the public interest and when delay in the institution of the temporary operations would seriously prejudice the public interest." However, Section 309(f) is not a means by which a licensee/permittee may circumvent established processing procedures which require the filing of an application, nor is it a means by which a broadcaster may enhance his facility or make operation more convenient for the broadcaster. Stations operating with less than licensed facilities under temporary authorities can be viewed as receiving the benefit of a larger protection area than that in which they are currently providing service.

Accordingly, Special Temporary Authorities by nature are to be temporary and are not intended for extended use. Licensees of stations operating under temporary authorities are reminded that timely restoration of permanent facilities is the responsibility of the licensee and should be undertaken expeditiously. Any request for extension of special temporary authorities carries an increased burden with each subsequent request.

Therefore, 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.

Sincerely,



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