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Burt W. Kaufman, Manager BDJ Radio Enterprises, LLC 12 Rolling Rock Lane St. Louis, MO 63124-1443

> Re: BDJ Radio Enterprises, LLC (BRE) KXEN(AM), St. Louis, MO Facility Identification Number: 54739 Special Temporary Authorization (STA) BESTA-20180308AAT

Dear Mr. Kaufman:

This is in reference to the request filed on March 8, 2018. BRE requests a further extension of the STA granted on July 23, 2012, to continue operating with temporary nighttime facilities to allow time to file the required FCC Form 301 application to propose a new permanent facility due to the sale of part of the transmitter site land (and the proposed sale of the rest of the site).¹ In support of the request, BRE states that additional time is needed to file the application based upon three potential sites under review at this time.

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.

We note that the previous STA expired on February 21, 2018, and this request was not filed until March 8. 2018, therefore the authority granted will not cover the period in between those dates, and is without prejudice as to whatever action the Commission may take with respect to operation during that period.

¹¹ KXEN(AM) is licensed for DA operation on 1010 kHz with 50 kW day and 0.5 kW night.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and station KXEN(AM) may continue to operate using the licensed DA daytime site 50 kW facility, and at night with the following temporary site facilities:

Geographic coordinates:	38° 38' 09" N, 90° 11' 45" W (NAD 1927)
Frequency:	1010 kHz
Operating hours:	Nighttime
Operating power:	0.125 kW nighttime
Antenna:	74.2 m vertical wire supported on face of a self-
	supporting tower located at the KDNL(TV) studios
Radiator height:	90°
ASRN:	1003524

BRE must reduce the nighttime power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received, and 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. BRE must file the application before or after final action has been taken on the proposed rules mentioned in MB Docket 13-249.²

This authority expires on September 23, 2018.

Sincerely,

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer Audio Division Media Bureau

cc: Shelley Sadowsky, Esq., SS PLLC (via e-mail only)

² See *Revitalization of the AM Radio Service*, First Report and Order, Further Notice of Proposed Rule Making, and Notice of Inquiry, FCC 15-142 (rel. Oct. 23, 2015).