FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION 445 TWELFTH STREET SW WASHINGTON DC 20554

MEDIA BUREAU AUDIO DIVISION

APPLICATION STATUS: (202) 418-2730

HOME PAGE: www.fcc.gov/media/radio/audio-division

ENGINEER: Joseph Szczesny TELEPHONE: (202) 418-2700 FACSIMILE: (202) 418-1410 E-MAIL: Joseph.Szczesny@fcc.gov

October 29, 2019

Doanld H. Pugh, CEO Eternity Media Group PO BOX 6424 Laurel, MS 39441

Re: Eternity Media Group (EMG)

WERM(AM), Fairhope, AL

Facility Identification Number: 32848 Special Temporary Authority (STA)

BESTA-20191025AAF

Dear Mr. Pugh:

This is in reference to the request filed on October 25, 2019. EMG requests an extension of the STA granted on April 14, 2016, to continue operating using one of the existing WABF(AM) towers pending further action on BP-20180723AAR (due to loss of the licensed site). In support of the request, we note that the application was placed on hold on April 26, 2019, by our staff to allow time to amend.

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 HEREBY GRANTED, and EMG may continue to operate daytime-only with a maximum of 0.25 kW using one of the existing WABF towers as proposed in BP-20180723AAR. EMG must reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received, and use whatever means are necessary to protect workers

¹ WABF(AM) is licensed for ND operation on 1220 kHz with 1 kW day and 0.03 kW night, and BP-20180723AAR proposes to co-locate with station WABF (ID#70656) using one tower and the same power levels.

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 April 28, 2020.

Sincerely,

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer Audio Division

Media Bureau

Cc: Bryan Covey (via e-mail only)