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November 22, 2019

Jim Jones, President
Shenandoah Valley Group, Inc.
P.O. Box 275
Mt. Jackson, VA 2284

Re: Shenandoah Valley Group, Inc. (SVG)
WAMM(AM), Mount Jackson, VA
Facility Identification Number: 60106
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
BESTA-20191022AAI

Dear Mr. Jones:

This is in reference to the request filed on October 22, 2019. SVG requests an extension of the STA granted on August 12, 2019, to continue operating with reduced daytime power to allow time to replace the daytime 1 kW transmitter (if unable to repair).¹ In support of the request, SVG states that it not yet able to repair the transmitter.

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.

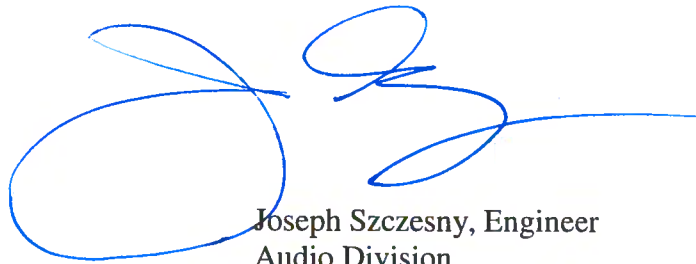
Accordingly, the request for extension of the STA is hereby GRANTED, and SVG may continue to operate daytime with reduced power, with no change to the licensed nighttime

¹ WAMM(AM) is a Class D station licensed for ND operation on 790 kHz 1 kW (day) and 0.04 kW (night).

operation. SVG 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. SVG must submit an e-mail to my attention to note the date the station resumed licensed operations per BZ-19890213AE with negligible changes.

This authority expires on **May 21, 2020**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of a large, stylized 'J' followed by a series of loops and a long horizontal tail.

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
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Media Bureau

cc: John C. Trent, Esq., PHT PC (via email only)