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May 1, 2020

Richard S. Denning, EVP/GC  
Cumulus Licensing LLC  
3280 Peachtree Road, NW, Suite 2200  
Atlanta, GA 30305

Re: Cumulus Licensing LLC (CLL)  
WVNN(AM), Athens, AL  
Facility Identification Number: 3084  
Special Temporary Authority (STA)  
BESTA-20200410AAK

Dear Mr. Denning

This is in reference to the request filed on April 10, 2020. CLL requests an extension of the STA granted on October 15, 2019, to continue operating daytime only due to failure of the nighttime site transmitter.<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, CLL stated that additional time will be needed before it can resume licensed operations.

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.

Accordingly, the request for extension of the STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and CLL may continue to operate daytime only using the licensed daytime site 7 kW facility, with no nighttime operation from the nighttime site. CLL must use whatever means are necessary to

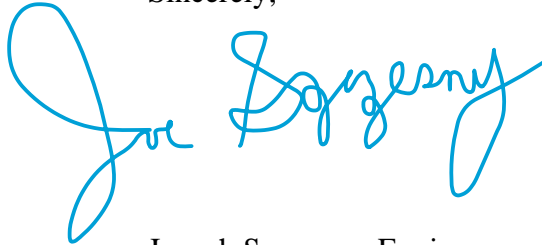
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<sup>1</sup> WVNN(AM) is licensed for operation on 770 kHz with 7 kW day (ND) and 0.25 kW night (DA), at different transmitter sites.

protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. See 47 CFR § 1.1310. CLL must submit an e-mail to my attention to note the date the station resumed licensed operations per the last license (BZ-20040526ATJ) with negligible changes, or to note if an FCC Form 301 application was filed to make changes to the licensed facility.

This authority expires on **October 31, 2020.**

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Joe Szczesny". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Joe" written in a large, looped script and the last name "Szczesny" following in a similar style.

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cc: Mark N. Lipp, Esq., FHH PLC (via e-mail only)