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January 27, 2021

Carline Clerge, President Caribbean Media Group, Inc. 1920 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd, Suite 217 West Palm Beach, FL 33409

Re: Caribbean Media Group, Inc. (CMG)

WPOM(AM), Riviera Beach, FL Facility Identification Number: 73892 Special Temporary Authority (STA)

BESTA-20210126AAF

Dear Ms. Clerge:

This is in reference to the request filed on January 26, 2021. CMG requests a further extension of the STA granted on July 2, 2020, to continue operating with parameters at variance to allow time to file the required FCC Form 302 application with a new proof. In support of the request, CMG stated that additional time is needed to file the application to update all operating parameters, based upon a new method of moment proof.

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 extensoin of the STA IS HEREBY GRANTED, and CMG may continue to operate with parameters at variance (and reduced power if needed) while

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> WPOM(AM) is licensed for DA operation on 1600 kHz with 5 kw (day) and 4.7 kW (night) using different patterns.

maintaining all monitor points within licensed limits. CMG must reduce power or cease operation if complaints of interference are received, and 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. CMG must submit an e-mail to my attention to note the date the application was filed to determine how much additional time will be needed to operate using temporary parameters.

This authority expires on July 26, 2021.

Sincerely,

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer

Audio Division Media Bureau

cc: Allan G. Moskowitz, Esq. (via email only)