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Nimisha Shukla, Managing Member  
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Re: NJ Broadcasting, LLC. (NJB)  
WWRL(AM), New York, NY  
Facility Identification Number: 68906  
Special Temporary Authority (STA)  
BESTA-20210511AAC

Dear Mr. Shukla:

This is in reference to the request filed on May 11, 2021. NJB requests an extension of the STA granted on November 19, 2020, to continue operating ND with reduced power due to the replacement of the severely damaged south tower #2, to allow time to file the required FCC Form 302 application (to update all operating parameters).<sup>1</sup> In support of the request, NJB stated that the replacement tower is in the final stages of construction.

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 NJB may continue to operate ND using tower #4 with a maximum of 6.25 kW day and 1.25 kW night. NJB 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

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<sup>1</sup> WWRL (AM) is licensed for DA operation on 1600 kHz with 25 kW (day) and 5 kW (night), using different patterns.

frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. *See 47 CFR §1.1310.*  
NJB must submit an e-mail to my attention to note the application was filed to allow our staff to determine how much additional STA operation will be needed.

This authority expires on **December 1, 2021.**

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Joe Szczesny", with a large loop on the left side and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer  
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cc: John Wells King, Esq.(via email only)