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George M. Arroyo, President
Q-Broadcasting Corporation, Inc.
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Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

Re: Q-Broadcasting Corporation, Inc. (QBC)
WLBE(AM), Leesburg-Eustis, FL
Facility Identification Number: 73202
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
BESTA-20210405AAD

Dear Mr. Arroyo:

This is in reference to the request filed on April 5, 2021. QBC requests a further extension of the STA granted on December 10, 2018, to continue operating ND at night with reduced power to allow time to file an FCC Form 302 application to update all operating parameters.¹ In support of the request, QBC stated that additional time will be needed to complete all remaining repairs to resolve lightning damage.

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 QBC may continue ND operation at night with 0.25 kW, with no change to the licensed daytime 5 kW ND operation. QBC must reduce the nighttime power further or cease operation if complaints of interference are received, and use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the

¹ WLBE(AM) is licensed for operation on 790 kHz with 5 kW day (ND) and 1 kW night (DA).

public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. See 47 CFR §1.1310. QBC must submit an e-mail to my attention to note the date the application was filed, or the date the station resumed licensed operations per BL-19970821KC with negligible changes.

This authority expires on **December 29, 2021**.

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, stylized loop.

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
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