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Re: WBSN-FM, New Orleans, Louisiana
Facility Identification Number: 53677
Providence Educational Foundation, Inc.
Special Temporary Authorization

Dear Counsel:

This is in reference to the request filed April 25, 2006, on behalf of Providence Educational Foundation, Inc. (PEF). PEF requests extension of the special temporary authority (STA) granted on October 27, 2005, to operate Station WBSN-FM from a site other than the licensed site.[1]

In support of the request, PEF states that the licensed facility remains inoperable due to damage from Hurricane Katrina.

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.

Our review indicates that the licensee has been prevented from restoring licensed operation due

[1] Station WBSN-FM is licensed for operation on Channel 206C2 (89.1 MHz) with effective radiated power of 8.5 kilowatts (H&V), and antenna height of 190 meters above average terrain.

to causes beyond its control and has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem. Thus, extension of STA is warranted.

Accordingly, the request for extension of STA IS HEREBY GRANTED. Station WBSN-FM may continue to operate with the following facilities:

Geographic coordinates:	29° 55' 11" N, 90° 01' 29" W (NAD 1927)
Channel	206 (89.1 MHz)
Effective radiated power:	5 kilowatts (V only)
Antenna type:	SWR, FM-3V/4-CF, nondirectional
Antenna height:	
above ground:	134 meters
above mean sea level:	134 meters
above average terrain:	134 meters

PEF 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.

This authority expires on **September 28, 2007**.

Sincerely,

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cc: Providence Educational Foundation, Inc.