Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20554

October 2, 2018

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WPTA LICENSE, LLC.
P.O. BOX 909
Quincy, IL 62306

Re: WPTA
0000060033
Fort Wayne, IN
Fac Id: 73905

Dear Licensee:

This is in response to your request dated October 1, 2018, for special temporary authority (STA). You indicate that the Station requests special temporary authorization for WPTA to operate using a different antenna with parameters at variance from those specified in the station's license. You mentioned that an STA grant for WPTA will facilitate the post-auction construction of co-owned station WISE-TV, Facility, which is a reassigned station that is co-located with WPTA and utilizes the same antenna. Due to this being a shared antenna which is being relocated to a replacement tower, both stations need to operate in the interim from a different antenna.

After a thorough review of your technical specifications, we are persuaded that no interference is likely to occur from the proposed operation. If problems do arise, we expect them to be solved expeditiously and the Bureau reserves the right to require termination of the operation. We therefore conclude that the public interest would be served by the grant of this request.

With respect to radio frequency radiation (RFR), we expect compliance with Section 1.1307(b) of the Commission's Rules to be achieved.

Accordingly, the request for special temporary authority IS GRANTED subject to the technical parameters and conditions specified below.

Technical Parameters:

Channel: 24

Antenna Coordinates: N. Latitude: 41° 06' 07.6"
W. Longitude: 085° 11' 03.6"

Antenna Type: Dielectric, Directional Custom
Model No. TFU-16WB-1-R S230

Maximum Effective Radiated Power: 477 kW

Radiation Center Above Mean Sea Level: 401.1 meters

Radiation Center Above Ground Level: 152.4 meters

HAAT: 153.1meters

Tower Registration Number: 1306723

Special Conditions:

1. The grant of this construction permit is subject to the condition that, with ample time before commencing operation, you make a good faith effort to identify and notify health care facilities (e.g., hospitals, nursing homes, see 47 CFR 15.242(a)(1)) within your service area potentially affected by your DTV operations. Contact with state and/or local hospital associations and local governmental health care licensing authorities may prove helpful in this process. During this pre-broadcast period, you must provide all notified entities with relevant technical details of your operation, such as DTV channel, targeted on-air date, effective radiated power, antenna location, and antenna height. You are required to place in the station's public inspection file documentation of the notifications and contacts made and you may not commence operations until good faith efforts have been made to notify affected health care facilities. During this pre-broadcast period and for up to twenty (20) days after commencing operations, should you become aware of any instances of medical devices malfunctioning or that such devices are likely to malfunction due to your DTV operations, you must cooperate with the health care facility so that it is afforded a reasonable opportunity to resolve the interference problem. At such time as all provisions of this condition have been fulfilled, and either upon the expiration of twenty (20) days following commencement of operations or when all known interference problems have been resolved, whichever is later, this condition lapses.

2. This authority expires on **April 2, 2019**. If appropriate, a timely renewal request must be filed before the end of this period.

3. Hours of operation of this facility will be in accordance with Section 73.624(b) of the Commission's Rules

Sincerely,

Kevin R. Harding

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Associate Chief
Video Division
Media Bureau

cc: Stephen Hartzell