



Memorandum

To: Grace Aaron, IED Pacifica
Fr: Anthony Riddle, GM WBAI
Re: Order To Change Locks on WBAI Transmitter
Da: April 1, 2009

It has been brought to my attention that you have issued an order today to change the locks on the WBAI transmitter room in the Empire State Building tomorrow. I have several questions that deserve honest answers:

- 1) What is the purpose of this action?**
- 2) Why was I, the General Manager, not told?**
- 3) Why was our engineer, who is responsible for keeping us on the air, not involved or given access?**
- 4) What is the purpose of making such a change without any notification?**
- 5) Is there an intention to change control of WBAI's air in any way?**

Our listeners, supporters and staff deserve to know exactly the truth as to what is going on. Furthermore, any changes in operating of this unit should be following a transparent and obvious process. If this action has followed such a process, then I ask that you lay it out plain for us all, now.

Thank you for your response.