

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

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In reply refer to: 1800B3-KC

Sent via electronic mail

Mr. Stephen C. Sloan Media Services Group, Receiver 90 Bow Street East Greenwich, RI 02818 stephensloan@msn.com

> RE: KXEG(AM), Phoenix, AZ Facility ID No. 10975 Silent since October 2, 2021 Request for Special Temporary Authority to Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Sloan:

This letter concerns the request you filed on October 13, 2021, for Special Temporary Authority (STA) to permit AM Radio Station KXEG to remain silent.

Your request states that Station KXEG(AM) went silent on October 2, 2021, for technical reasons.

Your request is granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station KXEG(AM) to remain silent not to exceed 180 days from the date of this letter. Notwithstanding the grant of this Special Temporary Authority, the broadcast license for Station KXEG(AM) will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not resume by 12:01 a.m., October 3, 2022.¹

You are required to notify the Commission when broadcast operations resume. If you do not file the notification of resumption of operations in a timely manner, the license may be subject to cancellation pursuant to section 312(g) of the Communications Act, as amended.²

The station's silent status does not suspend the licensee's obligation to comply with all other relevant Commission rules, including the filing, when appropriate, of applications for renewal of broadcast license. It is imperative to the safety of air navigation that any prescribed painting and illumination of the station's tower shall be maintained until removed.³

Sincerely,

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Victoria McCauley Attorney, Audio Division Media Bureau

¹ See 47 U.S.C. § 312(g).

 $^{^{2}}$ *Id.* In addition to filing a notification of resumption of operations electronically on the date operations resume, notification of resumption must also be emailed to Denise.Williams@FCC.gov.

³ See 47 C.F.R. §§ 17.6 and 73.1740(a)(4).