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RE: **W292DV, New York, NY**
Facility ID No. 155888
Silent since May 1, 2021
Request for Extension of Special
Temporary Authority to Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Trent:

This letter concerns the request you filed on December 14, 2021, on behalf of Apple 107.1, Inc. (Apple), for extension of Special Temporary Authority (STA) to permit FM Translator Station W292DV to remain silent.

Commission records reflect that Apple stated that Station W292DV went silent on May 1, 2021, for technical reasons. The previous STA was granted on June 28, 2021, and expired on December 25, 2021.¹ Apple requests extension of its STA for continuing technical reasons.

Apple's request is granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station W292DV to remain silent until May 1, 2022. **Notwithstanding the grant of this Special Temporary Authority, the broadcast license for Station W292DV will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not resume by 12:01 a.m., May 2, 2022.**²

Apple is required to notify the Commission when broadcast operations resume. If Apple does 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.³

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.⁴

Sincerely,

Victoria McCauley
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¹ We note that Apple failed to submit a timely request for an extension of STA to permit Station W292DV to remain silent beyond December 25, 2021. The action taken herein shall not be construed as authorizing the station to remain silent between December 25, 2021, and December 14, 2021.

² See 47 U.S.C. § 312(g).

³ *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.

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



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