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IN REPLY REFER TO: 1800B3-KLJ

July 13, 2010

Kevin M. Fitzgerald P. O. Box 20155 Scranton, PA 18502

In re: W225BC, Endicott, NY
Facility ID No. 156937
Silent Since May 1, 2010

Request For Special Temporary Authority To Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Fitzgerald:

This letter concerns the request, filed on May 3, 2010, for Special Temporary Authority to permit FM Translator Station W225BC to remain silent.

Your request states that W225BC went silent on May 1, 2010, due to technical problems. Your request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.¹

Your request will be granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station W225BC 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 W225BC will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not commence by 12:01 a.m., May 2, 2011. See Section 312(g) of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. Section 312(g).

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. Finally, we note that it is imperative to the safety of air navigation that any

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¹ In the event extension of Special Temporary Authority is sought, please renew the certification in this manner.

² Notification of resumption of broadcast operations must be mailed to:

prescribed painting and illumination of the station's tower shall be maintained until removed. *See* 47 C.F.R. Sections 17.6 and 73.1740(a)(4).

Sincerely,

H. Taft Snowdon Supervisory Attorney Audio Division Media Bureau