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Clark Parrish Radio Assist Ministry, Inc. P.O. Box 5459 Twin Falls, ID 83303

In re: K254BI, Eureka, KS
Facility ID No. 152851
Silent Since September 14, 2010

Request For Special Temporary Authority To Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Parrish:

This letter concerns the request, filed on September 24, 2010, on behalf of Radio Assist Ministry, Inc. ("Radio"), for Special Temporary Authority to permit FM Translator Station K254BI to remain silent.

Radio's request states that K254BI went silent on September 14, 2010, for financial reasons. Radio's request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.¹

Radio's request will be granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station K254BI 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 K254BI will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not commence by 12:01 a.m., September 15, 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.

Notification of resumption of broadcast operations must be mailed to: Federal Communications Commission Attn: 1800B3-DW, Room 2-B450 445 12th Street, S.W.

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