

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20554
February 2, 2011

IN REPLY REFER TO:
1800B3-DW

Lyle Dodge
13619 Mukilyeo Speedway
#D5-134
Lynnwood, WA 98037

In re: K229BN, Union, OR
Facility ID No. 156779
Silent Since December 20, 2010
Request For Special Temporary
Authority To Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Dodge:

This letter concerns your request, filed on December 21, 2010, for Special Temporary Authority to permit FM Translator Station K299BN to remain silent.

Your request states that K299BN went silent on December 20, 2010, due to equipment failure. 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 K299BN 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 K299BN will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not commence by 12:01 a.m., December 21, 2011.**² See Section 312(g) of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. Section 312(g).

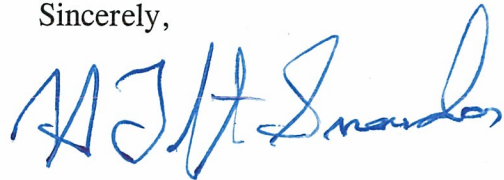
¹ In the event extension of special temporary authority is sought, please renew the certification in this matter .

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

Federal Communications Commission
Attn: 1800B3-DW, Room 2-B450
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

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 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,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "H. Taft Snowden". The signature is stylized with large, flowing letters.

H. Taft Snowden
Supervisory Attorney
Audio Division
Media Bureau