

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
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August 19, 2011

IN REPLY REFER TO:
1800B3-DW

Mike Vanhooser
Southwest Radio Broadcasting, LTD
1702 Cypress Drive
Irving, TX 75061

In re: KKLB(FM), Kurten, TX
Facility ID No. 166036
Silent Since February 16, 2011
Request For Special Temporary
Authority To Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Vanhooser:

This letter concerns the request, filed on February 18, 2011, on behalf Southwest Radio Broadcasting, LTD ("Southwest"), for Special Temporary Authority to permit FM Station KKLB to remain silent.

Southwest's request states that KKLB(FM) went silent on February 16, 2011, due to antenna problems. Southwest's request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.¹

Southwest's request will be granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit FM Station KKLB to remain silent for a period not to exceed February 16, 2012. **Notwithstanding the grant of this special temporary authority, the broadcast license for KKLB(FM) will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not commence by 12:01 a.m. on February 17, 2012.**² See Section 312(g) of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. Section 312(g).

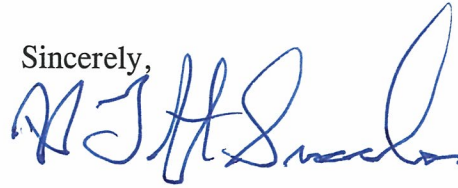
The station's silent status does not suspend the licensee's obligation to comply with all other relevant Commission rules, including the filing, when appropriate, of applications for renewal of broadcast license. Finally, we note that it is imperative to the safety of air navigation that any prescribed painting and illumination of the station's

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

² In addition to filing electronically with the Commission on the date operations resume, notification of resumption of broadcast operations must be emailed to Denise.Williams@FCC.gov.

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 Snowdon". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "H." being particularly prominent.

H. Taft Snowdon
Supervisory Attorney
Audio Division
Media Bureau

cc: Robert Clint Crawford