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IN REPLY REFER TO: 1800B3-DW

S. Huw Anwyl Shepherd of the Hills Church of Laguna Niguel 30121 Niguel Road Laguna Niguel, CA 93677

In re: KXRN-LP, Laguna Niguel, CA
Facility ID No. 124565
Silent Since December 1, 2010
Request For Special Temporary
Authority To Remain Silent

Dear Licensee:

This letter concerns the request, filed on December 30, 2010, on behalf of Shepherd of the Hills Church of Laguna Niguel ("Shepherd") for Special Temporary Authority to permit Station KXRN-LP to remain silent.

Shepherd's request states that KXRN-LP went silent on December 1, 2010, due to the loss of its tower lease. Shepheard's request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.

Shepherd's request will be granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station KXRN-LP to remain silent for a period not to exceed December 1, 2011. Notwithstanding the grant of this special temporary authority, the broadcast license for KXRN-LP will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not commence by 12:01 a.m. December 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

¹ In addition to filing electronically with the Commission on the date operations resume, notification of resumption of broadcast operations must be emailed to <u>Denise.Williams@FCC.gov</u>.

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,

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