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In re: K239AZ, Lake Isabella, CA
Facility ID No. 146385
Silent since July 12, 2012

Request for Extension of Special Temporary
Authority to Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Martin:

This letter concerns the request you filed on February 7, 2013, on behalf of Living Proof, Inc. ("LPI"), for extension of Special Temporary Authority to permit FM Translator Station K239AZ to remain silent.

Commission records reflect that LPI stated that Station K239AZ went silent on July 12, 2012, for technical reasons. The previous STA was granted on August 23, 2012, and expired on February 19, 2013. LPI requests extension of its STA for technical reasons. The request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.

LPI's request is granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station K239AZ to remain silent until July 12, 2013. **Notwithstanding the grant of this Special Temporary Authority, the broadcast license for Station K239AZ will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not commence by 12:01 a.m., July 13, 2013.**¹ See Section 312(g) of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. § 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. 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. §§ 17.6 and 73.1740(a)(4).

Sincerely,



Lisa Scanlan
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¹ 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.