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In Reply Refer to:
1800B3-VM

CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Wolfgang Kurtz
Seward Media Partners, LLC
PO Box 2414
Seward, AK 99664

In re: KSEW(AM), Seward, AK
Facility ID No. 72209

NOTICE OF LICENSE EXPIRATION

Dear Mr. Kurtz:

The license for the above-referenced station expired on February 1, 2013.¹ An application for renewal of this station's license should have been filed by October 22, 2013,² and had not been filed as of the date of this letter. Accordingly, on February 1, 2014, the station's license expired by its own terms. All authority to operate Station KSEW(AM) has been terminated and the call letters have been deleted from the Commission's database.

Accordingly, all authority to operate station KSEW(AM), Seward, AK, IS TERMINATED and the call letters ARE DELETED as of February 1, 2014. Any operation of this facility after that date is unauthorized.

We note that it is imperative to the safety of air navigation that any prescribed painting and illumination of the station's tower be maintained until the tower is dismantled. Therefore, the owner of the tower where the referenced station's transmitting antenna is located must maintain the tower in the manner prescribed by the Commission's rules and the terms of the expired license.³

Sincerely,

Peter H. Doyle
Chief, Audio Division
Media Bureau

¹ See 47 CFR § 73.1020(a)(15)(i).

² See 47 CFR § 73.3539(a) ("an application for renewal of license shall be filed not later than the first day of the fourth full calendar month prior to the expiration date of the license sought to be renewed..."). The Commission modified the filing deadline to October 22, 2013, to accommodate parties affected by the government shutdown. See *Revised Filing Deadlines Following Resumption of Normal Commission Operations*, Public Notice, DA 13-2025 (October 17, 2013).

³ See 47 U.S.C. Section 303(q) and 47 C.F.R. § 17.6.



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CERTIFIED MAIL – RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Wolfgang Kurtz
Alaska Educational Radio System, Inc.
33282 Brown's Lake Road
Soldotna, AK 99669

In re: KRAW(FM), Kasilof, AK
Facility ID No. 93248
KWMD(FM), Sterling, AK
Facility ID No. 93589

Silent since May 17, 2012

**Notification of License Expiration and
Deletion of Call Letters**

Dear Mr. Kurtz:

Our records indicate that Stations KRAW(FM), Kasilof, AK, and KWMD(FM), Sterling, AK ("Stations"), have been silent since May 17, 2012.² Section 312(g) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act"), provides that "[i]f a broadcasting station fails to transmit broadcast signals for any consecutive 12-month period, then the station license granted for the operation of that broadcast station expires at the end of that period, notwithstanding any provision, term, or condition of the license to the contrary, except that the Commission may extend or reinstate the such station license if the holder of the station license prevails in an administrative or judicial appeal, the applicable law changes, or for any other reason to promote equity and fairness."³ We find that the Stations' licenses have expired pursuant to this provision of the Act.⁴

Accordingly, the Commission's public and internal databases will be modified to indicate that the broadcast licenses for the Stations⁵ EXPIRED as a matter of law, at 12:01 a.m. on May 18, 2013, and we HEREBY DELETE the Stations' call signs KRAW(FM) and KWMD(FM).

We note that it is imperative to the safety of air navigation that any prescribed painting and illumination of each station's tower be maintained until the tower is dismantled. Therefore, the owner of

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² See File Nos. BLSTA- 20120529AAP, BLSTA - 20120529AAO, Notification of Suspension of Operations / Request for Silent STA, granted on June 25, 2012.


³ 47 U.S.C. § 312(g).

⁴ We also note that the Station's license would have expired by its own terms on February 1, 2014, for failure to file an application for renewal of license. See 47 CFR § 73.1020(a)(15)(i).

⁵ File Nos. BLED- 20030722ADR, BLED- 20110516ABX.

each tower where each referenced station's transmitting antenna is located must maintain the tower in the manner prescribed by the Commission's rules and the terms of the expired license⁶

Sincerely,


Peter H. Doyle, Chief
Audio Division
Media Bureau

⁶ See 47 U.S.C. §303(q). See also 47 C.F.R. §§ 17.1 *et seq.* and 73.1213; *Streamlining the Commission's Antenna Structure Clearance Procedure*, WT Docket No. 95-5, 11 FCC Rcd 4272 (1995).



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Mr. Wolfgang Kurtz
Alaska Educational Radio System, Inc.
33282 Brown's Lake Road
Soldotna, AK 99669

In re: K283BA, Willow, AK
Facility ID No. 154372

NOTICE OF LICENSE EXPIRATION

Dear Mr. Kurtz:

The license for the above-referenced station expired on February 1, 2013.¹ An application for renewal of this station's license should have been filed by October 22, 2013,² and had not been filed as of the date of this letter. Accordingly, on February 1, 2014, the station's license expired by its own terms. All authority to operate Station K283BA has been terminated and the call letters have been deleted from the Commission's database.

Accordingly, all authority to operate station K283BA, Willow, AK, IS TERMINATED and the call letters ARE DELETED as of February 1, 2014. Any operation of this facility after that date is unauthorized.

We note that it is imperative to the safety of air navigation that any prescribed painting and illumination of the station's tower be maintained until the tower is dismantled. Therefore, the owner of the tower where the referenced station's transmitting antenna is located must maintain the tower in the manner prescribed by the Commission's rules and the terms of the expired license.³

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