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In reply refer to: 1800B3-KC

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> In re: **KWTM(FM), June Lake, CA** Facility ID No. 90855 Silent since March 18, 2017

> > Request for Extension of Special Temporary Authority to Remain Silent

Dear Mr. McCormick:

This letter concerns the request you filed on October 13, 2017, on behalf of Living Proof, Inc. (LP), for extension of Special Temporary Authority (STA) to permit FM Radio Station KWTM to remain silent.

Commission records reflect that LP stated that Station KWTM(FM) went silent on March 18, 2017, for technical reasons. The previous STA was granted on April 18, 2017, and expired on October 15, 2017. LP requests extension of its STA for continuing technical reasons. The request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.

LP's request is granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station KWTM(FM) to remain silent until March 18, 2018. Notwithstanding the grant of this Special Temporary Authority, the broadcast license for Station KWTM(FM) will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not resume by 12:01 a.m., March 19, 2018.¹

LP is required to notify the Commission when broadcast operations resume. If LP does not file the notification of resumption of operations in a timely manner, the license may be subject to cancellation pursuant to Section 312(g) of the Communications Act, as amended.²

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.³

Sincerely,

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Lisa Scanlan Deputy Chief, Audio Division Media Bureau

¹ See 47 U.S.C. § 312(g).

 $^{^{2}}$ Id. In addition to filing a notification of resumption of operations electronically on the date operations resume, notification of resumption must also be emailed to Denise.Williams@FCC.gov.

³ See 47 C.F.R. §§ 17.6 and 73.1740(a)(4).