

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

March 20, 2018

Joseph Ratti VALCOM Broadcasting, LLC 16 Madison Street Newton, NJ 07860

Re:

KVPS-LP, Indio, CA Facility ID No. 10533 File Nos. BLTVL-20020122AAB and 000004165

Dear Licensee:

This is with respect to station DKVPS-LP, Indio, California, formerly licensed to VALCOM Broadcasting, LLC (VALCOM). On March 10, 2017, VALCOM timely filed a petition for reconsideration (Petition), seeking reconsideration of the Video Division's February 16, 2017 decision cancelling the station's license, deleting its call sign, and cancelling its digital construction permit. Based on the facts and circumstances presented in the Petition, we find that VALCOM has demonstrated compelling circumstances beyond the control of the licensee as to why it was unable to resume operation prior to expiration of its license. Specifically, we find that while VALCOM was undertaking all reasonable efforts to resume operation, a stroke suffered by Mr. Joseph Ratti, the 100% owner of VALCOM, prevented the Licensee from being able to take the necessary steps to resume operation prior to license expiration. Mr. Ratti has represented to staff that he has now sufficiently recovered from his stroke to complete construction of the station's digital construction permit and resume operations within ninety days.

For the reasons discussed above, **IT IS ORDERED**, that the Petition for Reconsideration filed by VALCOM Broadcasting, LLC **IS GRANTED** and the license (File No. BLTVL-20020122AAB), call sign, and construction permit (File No. 000004165) **ARE REINSTATED**. The Licensee is required to complete construction of its digital facility and resume operations **WITHIN NINETY DAYS** of the date of this letter. Upon completion of construction of its digital facility, the station must file the required license to cover and notify the Commission of its resumption of operations through the Commission's Licensing Management System (LMS). Instructions for filing a license to cover and notice of resumption of operations are provided on the attached page. Failure to complete construction of its digital facility and resume operations within ninety days will result in cancellation of the station's license and construction permit, deletion of its call sign, and dismissal of all pending applications.

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Deputy Chief, Video Division Media Bureau

Instructions for filing a Resumption of Operations Notice in LMS

- Click on facility tab from the landing page after logging in.
- Click on facility ID of the station.
- Click on file an application.
- Click on resume operation notice from drop down menu and submit.

FCC Form 2100 – Schedule F–Application for License

- 1. Click on "Authorizations" tab on the left top of the page.
- 2. Click on construction permit authorization.
- 3. Click on "File an Application" button.
- 4. Select "License to Cover" from drop down menu.
- 5. Complete the application and click "Submit."

Should any issues be encountered when attempting to file the licensee should immediately contact Hossein Hashemzadeh at (202) 418-1658 or by e-mail at Hossein.hashemzadeh@fcc.gov.

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