

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
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In reply refer to: 1800B3-KC

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Ms. Anneliese Kaufman
Midtown Radio
916 22nd Street #6
Sacramento, CA 95816

In re: **KUTZ-LP, Sacramento, CA**
Facility ID No. 196604
Silent since July 25, 2018

Request for Extension of Special Temporary
Authority to Remain Silent

Dear Ms. Kaufman:

This letter concerns the request you filed on February 7, 2019, on behalf of Midtown Radio (MR), for extension of Special Temporary Authority (STA) to permit Low Power FM Station KUTZ-LP to remain silent.

Commission records reflect that MR stated that Station KUTZ-LP went silent on July 25, 2018, for technical reasons. The previous STA was granted on August 10, 2018, and expired on February 6, 2019. MR 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.

MR's request is granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station KUTZ-LP to remain silent until July 25, 2019. **Notwithstanding the grant of this Special Temporary Authority, the broadcast license for Station KUTZ-LP will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not resume by 12:01 a.m., July 26, 2019.**¹

MR is required to notify the Commission when broadcast operations resume. If MR 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,



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).