

**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20554**

October 7, 2020

In reply refer to: 1800B3-KC

Ms. Lucyna Migala
Migala Communications Corp.
5356 West Belmont Avenue
Chicago, IL 60641-4192

In re: **WCEV(AM), Cicero, IL**
Facility ID No. 42137
Silent since January 20, 2020

Request for Extension of Special Temporary
Authority to Remain Silent

Dear Ms. Migala:

This letter concerns the request you filed on August 17, 2020, on behalf of Migala Communications Corporation (MCC), for extension of Special Temporary Authority (STA) to permit AM Radio Station WCEV to remain silent.

Commission records reflect that MCC stated that Station WCEV(AM) went silent on January 20, 2020, for financial reasons. The previous STA was granted on February 26, 2020, and expired on August 24, 2020. MCC requests extension of its STA for continuing financial reasons. The request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.

MCC's request is granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station WCEV(AM) to remain silent until January 20, 2021. **Notwithstanding the grant of this Special Temporary Authority, the broadcast license for Station WCEV(AM) will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not resume by 12:01 a.m., January 21, 2021.**¹

MCC is required to notify the Commission when broadcast operations resume. If MCC 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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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 CFR §§ 17.6 and 73.1740(a)(4).