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RE: **KJJT(FM), Los Ybanez, TX**
Facility ID No. 29267
Silent since May 3, 2020
Request for Extension of Special
Temporary Authority to Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Koerner:


This letter concerns the request you filed on December 18, 2020, on behalf of Jesus Pena Acosta (JPA), for extension of Special Temporary Authority (STA) to permit FM Radio Station KJJT to remain silent.

Commission records reflect that JPA stated that Station KJJT(FM) went silent on May 3, 2020, due to the COVID-19 emergency. The previous STA was granted on June 24, 2020, and expired on December 21, 2020. JPA requests extension of its STA because the COVID-19 emergency remains ongoing.

JPA's request is granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station KJJT(FM) to remain silent until May 3, 2021. **Notwithstanding the grant of this Special Temporary Authority, the broadcast license for Station KJJT(FM) will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not resume by 12:01 a.m., May 4, 2021.**¹

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

Victoria McCauley
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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 C.F.R. §§ 17.6 and 73.1740(a)(4).