

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20554

October 5, 2011

IN REPLY REFER TO:
1800B3-DW

John C. Donlevie
Entercom Wilkes-Barre Scranton, LLC
401 City Avenue, Suite 809
Bala Cynwyd, PA 19004

In re: WILK(AM), Wilkes Barre, PA
Facility ID No. 34380
Silent Since September 9, 2011
Request For Special Temporary
Authority To Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Donlevie:

This letter concerns the request, filed on September 9, 2011, on behalf of Entercom Wilkes-Barre Scranton, LLC, ("Entercom") for Special Temporary Authority to permit AM Station WILK to remain silent.

Entercom's request states that WILK(AM) went silent on September 9, 2011, due to flooding at its transmitter site. Your request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.¹

Entercom's request will be granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station WILK(AM) to remain silent for a period not to exceed 180 days from the date of this letter. **Notwithstanding the grant of this special temporary authority, the broadcast license for WILK(AM) will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not commence by 12:01 a.m. on September 10, 2012.**² See Section 312(g) of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. Section 312(g).

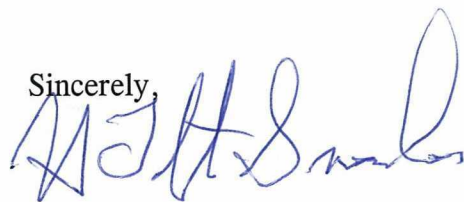
The station's silent status does not suspend the licensee's obligation to comply with all other relevant Commission rules, including the filing, when appropriate, of applications for renewal of broadcast license. Finally, we note that it is imperative to

¹ In the event extension of special temporary authority is sought, please renew the certification in this matter .

² In addition to filing electronically with the Commission on the date operations resume, notification of resumption of broadcast operations must be emailed to Denise.Williams@FCC.gov.

the safety of air navigation that any prescribed painting and illumination of the station's tower shall be maintained until removed. See 47 C.F.R. Sections 17.6 and 73.1740(a)(4).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "H. Taft Snowdon", written in a cursive style.

H. Taft Snowdon
Supervisory Attorney
Audio Division
Media Bureau