

Periods of Silence

KZBV(FM), Carmel Valley, California (Facility ID No. 176698) and K219LL, Chualar, California (Facility ID No. 152139) (collectively, the “Stations”) are currently silent.

On August 25, 2020, the Stations went silent due to wildfires in the Stations’ transmitter area which also caused the Stations’ staff to evacuate. The Stations’ licensee, Aware FM, Inc. (“Aware”), filed a Notice of Suspension of Operations/ Request for Silent STA for each Station on September 8, 2020,¹ which were subsequently granted on November 9, 2020.²

The Stations remain silent as of the date of the instant license renewal application. Aware hopes to resume on-air operations with the Stations as soon as possible, and shall amend the Stations’ license renewal application promptly once the Stations resume on-air operations – which shall be on or before August 25, 2021 in compliance with Section 312(g) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

¹ CDBS File Nos. BLSTA-20200908AAI (KZBV) & BLSTA-20200908AAJ (K219LL).

² Letter from Victoria McCauley, Attorney, Audio Division, Media Bureau, FCC, to Davina Sashkin, Esq., Counsel for Santa Cruz Educational Broadcasting Foundation, *In re: KZBV(FM), Carmel Valley, CA (Facility ID No. 176698)* (1800B3-DW) (Nov. 9, 2020); Letter from Victoria McCauley, Attorney, Audio Division, Media Bureau, FCC, to Davina Sashkin, Esq., Counsel for Santa Cruz Educational Broadcasting Foundation, *In re: K219LL, Chualar, CA (Facility ID No. 152139)* (1800B3-DW) (Nov. 9, 2020).