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RE: Analog Licensee & Digital
Construction Permit Cancellation
WSSS-LP, Steubenville, OH
Facility ID No. 270
File Nos. BLTTL-19980506JD and
0000054719

Dear Licensee:

This is with respect to the above captioned analog station. Commission records indicate that you failed to file a license to cover by the expiration date for the station's digital construction permit – October 1, 2021. As such the station's construction permit was automatically forfeited and its underlying analog license was automatically cancelled at 12:00 A.M. (local time) on July 14, 2021.¹

Accordingly, pursuant to 47 CFR §§ 74.788(b) and 74.731(m), the construction permit and license for the above captioned station were **AUTOMATICALLY FORFEITED/CANCELED** and its call sign has been **DELETED**.² All authority to operate the station has been **TERMINATED**³ and any operation of the facility **MUST CEASE IMMEDIATELY**.⁴

Sincerely,

/s/

Barbara A. Kreisman
Chief, Video Division
Media Bureau

¹ See 47 CFR §§ 74.731(m) and 74.788(b).

² This letter is being sent as a courtesy. Cancellation of the station's construction permit, license, and deletion of its call sign by Media Bureau staff in the Licensing and Management System (LMS) is an administrative function and does not constitute an official Commission action. See e.g., *Media Bureau Reminds Remaining Low Power Television and Television Translator Stations that the July 13, 2021 Digital Transition Date and Other Important Deadlines are One Week Away*, Public Notice, DA 21-786 (rel. July 6, 2021); 86 FR 32262 (June 17, 2021).

³ See 47 CFR § 74.731(m).

⁴ We remind the Licensee that it must continue to adhere to the requirements in the former station's authorizations pertaining to lighting of antenna structures. See 47 U.S.C. § 303(q); 47 CFR §§ 17.1 *et seq.*, 73.1213 and 73.1740(a)(4). See also *Streamlining the Commission's Antenna Structure Clearance Procedure*, Report and Order, 11 FCC Rcd 4272, 4293 (1995) (tower owner bears primary responsibility for maintaining tower painting and/or lighting).