

Notification of Silent Status and Silent STA Request

TV Red de Puerto Rico (“TV Red”), licensee of station W24DO-D, Facility ID 181830 herein notifies is silent status and requests a Silent STA for a period of three months. TV Red is in the process of rebuilding the facilities of its LPTV stations, including W24DO-D, which has a CP due to expire on 7/18/2021. The station has been operating under a recently granted Eng. STA File # 0000068097. The requested silent STA, together with other silent requests, will allow TV Red to recoup financially, a necessary economic relief for its survival.

The USVI has experienced an very difficult situation including an unprecedented series of natural disasters: Hurricane Irma and Hurricane Maria, and now the Covid-19 pandemic, events that have seriously impacted the economy and disrupted life in general in the Virgin Islands, and consequently severely disrupted the operation of the TV Red LPTV stations, including W24DO-D in St. Croix and W33DD-D in St. Thomas.

W24DO-D went silent on September 28, 2020 and is expected to be back on the air before the existing Eng. STA expires on November 19, 2020.