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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20554**

**IN REPLY REFER TO:
1800B3-KLJ**

December 17, 2009

Steven A. Silberberg
Brahmin Broadcasting Corporation
288 South River Road
Bedford, NH 03110

In re: K268BX, Cheyenne, WY
Facility ID No. 149712
Silent Since June 24, 2009

Request For Special Temporary
Authority To Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Silberberg:

This letter concerns the request, filed on September 14, 2009, on behalf of Brahmin Broadcasting Corporation ("Brahmin"), for Special Temporary Authority to permit FM Translator K268BX to remain silent.

Brahmin's request states that K268BX went silent on June 24, 2009, due to interference with KRAN(FM), Warren AFB, Wyoming. Brahmin's request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.¹

Brahmin's request will be granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station K268BX to remain silent until June 24, 2010. **Notwithstanding the grant of this special temporary authority, the broadcast license for K268BX will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not commence by 12:01 a.m. June 25, 2010².** See Section 312(g) of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. Section 312(g).

¹ In the event extension of Special Temporary Authority is sought, please renew the certification in this manner.

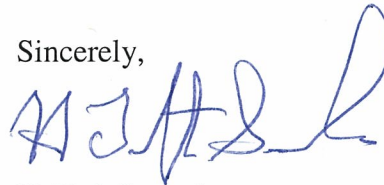
² Notification of resumption of broadcast operations must be mailed to:

Federal Communications Commission
Attn: 1800B3-DW, Room 2-B450
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D. C. 20554

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 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).

Finally, the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. Section 73.1740(a)(4), permit licensees to discontinue operations for good cause and for a period not to exceed 30 days without further authority, provided that the licensee notify Commission by letter "not later than the 10th day of limited or discontinued operations" and if operations are not able to commence by that time, "informal written request shall be made to the FCC no later than the 30th day for such additional time as may be deemed necessary. You failed to timely submit a request for a STA to permit K268BX to remain silent beyond June 24, 2009, and the action taken herein shall not be construed as authorizing the station to remain silent between June 24, 2009 and September 14, 2009.

Sincerely,



H. Taft Snowdon
Supervisory Attorney
Audio Division
Media Bureau

cc: Barry A. Friedman, Esq.