



Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554

November 16, 2021

**Sent via electronic mail**

*In reply refer to: 1800B3-KC*

Ms. Ellen Frazee  
P.O. Box 833  
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efrazee@hotmail.com

RE: **WVCB(AM), Shallotte, NC**  
Facility ID No. 31573  
Silent since September 15, 2021  
Request for Special  
Temporary Authority to Remain Silent

Dear Ms. Frazee:

This letter concerns the request you filed on September 17, 2021, on behalf of WVCB Radio (WVCB), for Special Temporary Authority (STA) to permit AM Radio Station WVCB to remain silent.

WVCB's request states that Station WVCB(AM) went silent on September 15, 2021, for technical reasons.

WVCB's request is granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station WVCB(AM) to remain silent not to exceed 180 days from the date of this letter.

**Notwithstanding the grant of this Special Temporary Authority, the broadcast license for Station WVCB(AM) will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not resume by 12:01 a.m., September 16, 2022.<sup>1</sup>**

WVCB is required to notify the Commission when broadcast operations resume. If WVCB does not file the notification of resumption of operations in a timely manner, the license may be subject to cancellation pursuant to section 312(g) of the Communications Act, as amended.<sup>2</sup>

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. 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.<sup>3</sup>

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Victoria McCauley", is positioned above the typed name.

Victoria McCauley  
Attorney, Audio Division  
Media Bureau

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<sup>1</sup> See 47 U.S.C. § 312(g).

<sup>2</sup> *Id.* In addition to filing a notification of resumption of operations electronically on the date operations resume, notification of resumption must also be emailed to Denise.Williams@FCC.gov.

<sup>3</sup> See 47 C.F.R. §§ 17.6 and 73.1740(a)(4).