

**FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20554**

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

March 10, 2010

Clark Parrish
World Radio Link, Inc.
P. O. Box 5429
Twin Falls, ID 83303

In re: W286AU, Allegan, MI
Facility ID No. 150326
Silent Since December 24, 2009

Request For Special Temporary
Authority To Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Parrish:

This letter concerns the request, filed on December 31, 2009, on behalf of World Radio Link, Inc. ("World"), for Special Temporary Authority to permit FM Translator Station W286AU to remain silent.

World's request states that W286AU went silent on December 24, 2009, due to the station's transfer of ownership. World's request includes the appropriate certification regarding Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988¹

World's request will be granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station W286AU 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 W286AU will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not commence by 12:01 a.m. , December 25, 2010.**² See Section 312(g) of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. Section 312(g).

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

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:

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445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

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).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'H. Taft Snowdon', with a stylized flourish at the end.

H. Taft Snowdon
Supervisory Attorney
Audio Division
Media Bureau