

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

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Sent via electronic mail

Mr. James O'Connor Southeastern Louisiana University SLU BX 783 University Station Hammond, LA 70402 kslu@selu.edu

RE: KSLU(FM), Hammond, LA

Facility ID No. 61234 Silent since May 18, 2022 Request for Special Temporary Authority to Remain Silent

In reply refer to: 1800B3-DW

Dear Mr. O'Connor:

This letter concerns the request you filed on May 17, 2022, on behalf of Southeastern Louisiana University (SLU), for Special Temporary Authority (STA) to permit FM Radio Station KSLU to remain silent.

SLU's request states that Station KSLU(FM) went silent on May 18, 2022, for technical reasons.

SLU's request is granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station KSLU(FM) 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 KSLU(FM) will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not resume by 12:01 a.m., May 19, 2023.

SLU is required to notify the Commission when broadcast operations resume. If SLU 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.²

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.³

Sincerely,

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² *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.

¹ See 47 U.S.C. § 312(g).

³ See 47 C.F.R. §§ 17.6 and 73.1740(a)(4).