



Federal Communications Commission
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Roberto Gonzalez-Nieves, OFM/Trustee
Archbishop of San Juan
Radio Paz/WKVM-AM Trust
DBA: Archdiocese of San Juan
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San Juan, PR 00902

Re: Radio Paz/WKVM-AM Trust (Radio Paz)
WKVM(AM), San Juan, PR
Fac. ID No.: 8096
Special Temporary Authority (STA)
LMS File No.: 0000242375

Dear Mr. Gonzalez-Nieves:

This is in reference to the request filed on March 27, 2024. Radio Paz requests an extension of the STA granted on October 13, 2023, to continue operating with a reduced power of 20 kW to allow time to repair (or replace) the old 50 kW transmitter.¹ In support of the request, Radio Paz stated that additional time will be needed to operate with temporary parameters.

Requests for extension of STA will be granted only where the licensee can show that one or more of the following criteria have been met:

- Restoration of licensed facilities is complete and testing is underway;
- Substantial progress has been made during the most recent STA period toward restoration of licensed operation; or
- No progress has been made during the most recent STA period for reasons clearly beyond the licensee's control, and the licensee has taken all possible steps to expeditiously resolve the problem.

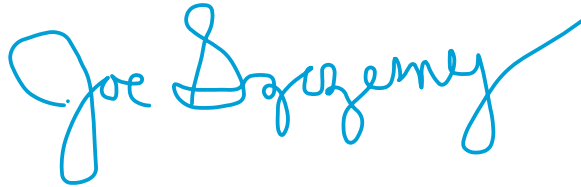
Accordingly, the request for extension of the STA is GRANTED, and Radio Paz may continue to operate with a reduced nominal power of 20 kW day and night using the licensed DA pattern. Radio Paz must use whatever means are necessary to protect workers and the public from exposure to radio frequency radiation in excess of the Commission's exposure guidelines. See 47 CFR § 1.1310. Radio Paz must file the required electronic Restoration of Licensed Operations notice in LMS within a few business days of resuming licensed operations to certify the date the station resumed operations per BL-RC1104FB with negligible changes to all

¹ WKVM(AM) is licensed for DA operation on 810 kHz with 50 kW day and night using the same pattern.

engineering parameters.

This authority expires on **October 14, 2024.**²

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Joe Szczesny". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Joseph Szczesny, Engineer
Audio Division
Media Bureau

cc: Christopher J. Reynolds, Esq., R&M PA (via email only)
Reuben Jusino, RFCS (via email only)

²Periods of operation pursuant to this STA shall be recorded in the station's records (see 47 CFR § 73.1820). The records shall include start/stop dates and times of such operation. These log entries must be maintained for a minimum of two years as specified in 47 CFR § 73.1840(a), unless a longer retention period is requested by the staff. Periods of operation may be subject to independent verification that they in fact occurred.