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Sent via electronic mail

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In reply refer to: 1800B3-CP

RE: KOER-LP, Cypress, TX

Facility ID No. 194998 Silent since May 18, 2023 Request for Special Temporary Authority to Remain Silent

Dear Mr. Price:

This letter concerns the request you filed on May 23, 2023, on behalf of Rhema Gospel Radio (RGR), for Special Temporary Authority (STA) to permit Low Power FM Station KOER-LP to remain silent.

RGR's request states that Station KOER-LP went silent on May 18, 2023, for financial reasons.

RGR's request is granted. Accordingly, Special Temporary Authority is granted to permit Station KOER-LP 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 KOER-LP will automatically expire as a matter of law if broadcast operations do not resume by 12:01 a.m., May 19, 2024.

RGR is required to notify the Commission when broadcast operations resume.² If RGR 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.³

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

¹ See 47 U.S.C. § 312(g).

² In addition, periods of operation pursuant to this STA shall be recorded in the station's records (see 47 CFR §§ 73.1820 (AM/FM/TV), 73.877 (LPFM) and/or 74.1281 (FM translator)). 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.

³ *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.

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.⁴

Sincerely,
Victoria Milanley

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