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June 1954 3372

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 12-11-56 (SEE CARD TWO FOR NAME) K D E S (9-6-56)
 Call letters X K G E C
 Station Location: Palm Springs, California
 X KDES, INC. (AL-8-7-63; EFF: 8-26-63)
 X GEORGE E. CAMERON, JR. (AL 6-29-62, EFF: 7-5-62)
 X CITY NATIONAL BANK OF BEVERLY HILLS, COURT APPOINTED TEMPORARY CONSERVATOR OF THE
 ESTATE OF GEORGE E. CAMERON, JR. (BAL 4-13-62 EFF: 4-13-62)
 Name of licensee X GEORGE E. CAMERON, JR.

3.6 mi. NE of the center of Palm Springs, California (BP 5-5-65)
 X 0.9 mi. W. of Indian Ave., 2.1 mi. N. of Vista Chino, Near Palm Spgs., Calif. (BI-12-28-61)
 X Approx. 1 mi. W. of Indian Ave. and 0.85 miles N. of Highway 111, Near Palm Springs, Calif. (CP 10-9-56)
 Transmitter location X NE Corner of Vista Chino & Caballeros Sts., Palm Springs, Calif. (CP 6-20-56)
(Lic. 12-11-56)

821 N. Palm Canyon Drive, Palm Springs, California. (BS 8-10-72)

9-2262
 X 611 South Palm Canyon Drive, Palm Springs, California (ERC 2-2-62)

X 174 North Palm Canyon Drive, Palm Springs, Calif. (ERC-1006)

Main studio location X TO BE DETERMINED, Palm Springs, California (CP 6-20-56)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BP-10284	6-20-56	920kc	500w	Day	8-20-56 2-20-57
CP for new standard broadcast station.					
BRC-1006 (1)	8-9-56	Modification of construction permit to operate trans. by remote control from 174 North Palm Canyon Drive, Palm Springs, California			
BL-6391	12-11-56	920kc	500w	Day	12-11-56 12-1-59
Lic. to cover CP(BP-10,284, as mod.) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.					
BP-11143	2-12-58	920kc	1kw	Day	4-12 10-12-58
Construction permit to change power and install new transmitter.					
L-7090 (1)	8-9-58	License to cover CP(BP-11,143) which authorized change power to 1kw and install new transmitter (GATES BC 1J)			
BP-13421	10-9-59	920kc	1kw	Day	12-9 6-9-60
CP to change antenna-transmitter loc.; make changes in antenna (dec. hgt.) & changes in ground system.					
BP-3372	11-27-59	920kc	1 kilow	Day	12-1 12-1-62
BMP-8994 (1)	6-2-60	Mod. of CP(BP-13421) for extension of completion date to 10-9-60.			
BMP-9137 (2)	11-17-60	Mod. of CP(BP-13421 as mod.) for extension of completion date to 2-9-61.			
BMP-9283 (3)	1-31-61	Mod. of CP(BP-13421 as mod.) for extension of completion date to 4-9-61.			
BMP-9291	8-2-61	920kc	1kw	Day	12-10-61 7-10-61
Mod. CP(BP-13421, as mod.) to make changes in ant. system (incr. hgt.).					
BMP-9400	8-2-61	Mod. CP(BP-13421, as mod.) for extension of completion date to 9-10-61.			
BMP-9725 (1)	9-8-61	Mod. of CP(BP-13421) for extension of completion date to 12-10-61.			
BRC-1991 (1)	2-2-62	Mod. of lic. to operate transmitter by Remote Control.			
BL-8846	12-28-61	920kc	1kw	Day	12-28 12-1-62
License to cover CP(BP-13,421 as mod.) which authorized a change in antenna-trans. loc., changes in antenna and ground systems.					

Form BC 126
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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters KDES

Station location

TOURTELOT BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 7-31-78 EFF:9-12-78)

*JOSEPH L. TOURTELOT, RENE V. TOURTELOT, & (AL 11-28-72 EFF: 12-1-72)

*JOSEPH V. TORUTELOT, dba TOURTELOT BROADCASTING COMPANY

Name of licensee X TOURTELOT BROADCASTING CORPORATION (AL 11-8-71 EFF. 11-19-71)

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period	
					From-	To-
BZ-4576 (2)	3-6-62	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.				
BAL-4467 EFF:	4-13-62 4-13-62	Involuntary assignment of license to City National Bank of Beverly Hills, Court Appointed Temporary Conservator of the Estate of George E. Cameron, Jr.				
BAL-4552 eff:	6-29-62 7-5-62	Voluntary assignment of license to George E. Cameron, Jr.				
BR-3372	11-8-62	920kc	1kw	Day	12-1	12-1-65
BZ-4901 (1)	5-9-63	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.				
BAL-4852 EFF:	8-7-63 8-26-63	Voluntary assignment of license to KDES, Inc.				
BP-12558	5-5-65	920kc	500w, 5kw-LS	U	7-5	1-5-66
			DA-2			
		CP to increase power to 5kw and install new transmitter (GATES BC-5P) to chg. from 5kw Day to 5kwLS, Hrs of op. from Daytime to Unlimited; install Directional Antenna DA-2, inc. height of tower (3 towers) and change antenna-trans. loc., delete remote control, and retain lic. trans. (GATES BC-1J) as nighttime trans. (2 main trans.) (Cond'1).				
BMP-11,664 (1)	1-21-66	Mod. of CP (BP-12,558) for ext. of completion date to 6-5-66.				
BR-3372	11-15-65	920kc	1kw	Day	12-1	12-1-68
BP-17063	2-10-66	920kc	1kw	Aux.	4-10	10-10-66
		CP to install a Gates BC-1J trans. at main trans. loc. to be operated on 920kc, 1kw, non-DA, for Auxiliary Purposes only.				
BMP-11,775 (2)	5-26-66	Mod. of CP (BP-12,558 as mod.) for ext. of completion date to 11-5-66				
BL-11,414	10-21-66	920kc	500w, 5kw-LS	U	40-21	12-1-66
		Lic to cover CP (BP-12,558 as mod) which auth incr power install new trans. chg hrs. of operation, install DA-(DA-2) ch, ant-trans loc, delete RC and make chrs ant. sys specify type trans				

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Date first licensed

Call letters K D E S

Name of licensee

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BL-11,417	10-21-66	920kc	1kw	Aux.	10-21 12-1-68
		Lic to cover CP(B-17,063) which auth. install new trans at main trans loc. to be operated on 920kc 1kw mn-DA for aux purposes only.			
BL-11,418	10-21-66	920kc	500w, 1kw	Aux	10-21 12-1-68
BL-11,419		Lic to utilize the presently auth daytime trans (COLINS 820E1) to be used an aux. trans at night with DA sys using 500w power. Lic to utilize the presently auth nighttime trans (GATES BC-1J) as the aux. trans for daytime with DA sys using 1kw power.			
BR-3372(S)	11-26-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE & NDEA Main & Auxiliary Transmitters <i>(2 Aux.)</i>			12-1 12-1-71
BRC-3304 (L)	6-5-69	Operate RC. (Main)			12-1-71
BRC-6307	8-4-70	VOL. TC	EFF: 8-21-70		
BR-3372(S)	11-8-71	Renewal of license (Main and Aux. & NDEA			12-1-74
BAL-7393 EBSA	11-8-71 5-25-72	VOL. AL	EFF. 11-19-71		
BS-3372(L)	8-10-72	ML to change SL and RC.			Main & Aux.
BAL-7737	11-28-72	VOL. AL			
BR-3372(L)	8-26-75	RENEWAL (MAIN & AUX.)			12-1-77
BS-3372	8-26-75	Mod. of license to correct coordinates; redescribe NP			
BAL-9408	7-31-78	VOL. AL	EFF: 9-12-78		
BP780831AV(L)	6-27-79	CP inc.	inc. night power & chg. DA 920kHz 1kw, 5kw-1S DA-2 U RC		6-27-80
CONTEL	3-3-80				

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BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

CARD 1

First licensed

Call Letters **KDES**

Station Location

Name **SEE CARD # 2**

Transmitter Location

Main studio location

Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BR-3372 (L)	3-19-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	12-1-80
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BMP800618AG (1)	8-25-80	MP (BP-780831AV) for ext. of time to:	2-1-81
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COMTEL	9-4-80	AUTH. & TERMS COMTEL INSTATED & EXT. THRU	3-3-80 RE- 9-15-80.
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COMTEL	9-19-80	AUTH. & TERMS COMTEL EXT. THRU 11-15-80.	3-3-80
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BMP-810127AN (2)	4-10-81	MP (BP-780831AV, as Mod.) for ext. of time to:	9-30-81
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BR-800729VA(S)	11-17-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	12-1-83

FORM BC-121
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

K D E S (9-6-56)

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Letters

Name GEORGE E. CAMERON, JR., Palm Springs, California
(FC ~~xxxxxx~~ 1432 Beverly Estates Drive, Beverly Hills, California)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
HP-10,284 Rec'd Filed	12-20-55 12-27-55 12-27-55	Construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1010kc 920kc Power: 250w 500w Hrs. of Op.: Daytime Transmitter Location: NE Corner of Vista Chino and Caballeros Sts. Palm Springs, California Studio Location: To be determined Palm Springs, California Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty.	GRANTED	6-20-56
AMENDED Rec'd Filed	3-2-56 3-13-56 3-12-56	AMENDED to change frequency to 920kc, power to 500w, and change type transmitter (GATES BC-500-K).		

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KDES (9-6-56)
xK G E C

Name GEORGE E. CAMERON, JR.
PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-1006 Rec'd Filed	8-4-56 8-6-56 8-6-56	Modification of construction permit to operate transmitter by remote control from 174 North Palm Canyon Drive, Palm Springs, California Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty.	GRANTED	8-9-56
BL-6391 Rec'd Filed	10-22-56 10-24-56 10-24-56	License to cover Construction Permit (BP-10,284 as mod.,) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED	12-11-56
BP-11,143 Rec'd Filed	3-1-57 3-7-57 3-7-57	Construction permit to change power from 500w <u>to</u> 1kw and install new transmitter. (Gates BC 1J) Atty. - Hogan and Hartson Engr. - Dawkins Espy, Los Angeles, Calif.	GRANTED	2-12-58

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Letters K D E SName GEORGE E. CAMERON, JR.
Palm Springs, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-7090 Rec'd. Filed	4-1-58 4-7-58 4-7-58	License to cover construction permit (BP-11,143) which authorized change power to 1kw and install new transmitter (Gates BC 1J)	GRANTED	6-9-58
BP-12,558 Rec'd Filed	10-29-58 11-13-58 11-13-58	Construction permit to increase power from 1kw to 5kw and install new transmitter (GATES BC 5P) Atty. - Hogan & Hartson Engr. - Dawkins Epy, Beverly Hills, Calif.	GRANTED	5-5-65 Cond'l re: Phase Mon., Field meas. equip., DA & non-DA proof. Pre-sunrise operation.
AMENDMENT Rec'd & Filed	5-14-59 5-15-59	Amended to change from 5kw Day to 1kw, 5kw-LS; hrs. of op. from Day to unlimited; install Directional Antenna DA-N; increase hgh. of tower (3 towers) and change Antenna-Transmitter location from NE Corner Vista Chino & Caballeros Sts., TO APPROX. 1-1/2 MI. W. OF INDIAN AVE. AND 2-1/2 MI. N. OF HIG. 117 NEAR PALM SPRINGS California		
AMENDED R. & F.	8-26-59 9-1-59	AMENDED to show remote control operation of transmitter for daytime only.		

SEE CARD #10 FOR ADDL AMENDMENT

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Letters K D E SName GEORGE E. CAMERON, JR.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP- 13,421 R. & F.	9-4-59 9-9-59	Construction permit to change antenna-trans. location from N.E. corner of Vista Chino & Cebaleros Sts., Palm Springs to approx. 1 m. west of Indian Ave. and 0.85 miles north of Hwy. 111 nr. Palm Springs; make changes in antenna (dec. hgt) & changes in ground system. Atty- Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	10-9-59
BR-3372 Rec'd & Filed	8-29-59 9-1-59	Renewal of license. Hogan & Hartson, Attys.	GRANTED	10-27-59 11-27-59
BMP-8994 R & F	5-8-60 5-9-60	Modification of C. P. (BP-13421) which authorized change in antenna-transmitter location, changes in antenna system & ground system) for extension of completion date from 6-9-60 to 10-9-60. Atty's: Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED to	6-2-60 10-9-60

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Palm Springs, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-9137 Rec'd Filed	9-13-60 9-16-60 9-16-60	Modification of C. P. (BP-13421, as modified, which authorized change in antenna-transmitter location, changes in antenna system & ground system) for extension of completion date from 10-9-60 to 2-9-61. Atty's: Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	11-17-60
BMP-9283 R & F	1-6-61 1-9-61	Modification of C. P. (BP-13421 as modified, which auth. to chg. ant.-trans. loc, make chges. in ant. (dec. hgt) & chges. in ground system) for extension of completion date from 2-9-61 to 5-9-61. Atty's: Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	1-31-61 to 4-9-61
BMP-9291 Rec'd Filed	1-23-61 1-31-61 1-31-61	Modification of C.P. (BP-13421, as mod., which auth. a change in ant-trans. location; changes in antenna & gr. systems) to make changes in antenna system (incr. hght). Atty. - Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	8-2-61 (issued with BMP-9400)

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LettersK.D.F.S.....

Name ...GEORGE E. CAMERON, JR.....
PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-9400 R.&F.	3-3-61 3-9-61	Modification of construction permit (BP-13421 as mod., which auth. change antenna-trans. location; and changes in antenna & ground systems) for extension of completion date from 4-9-61 to _____. ATTY. Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED (issued with BMP-9291) to	8-2-61 9-10-61
BMP-9725 R&F	8-18-61 8-21-61	Mod of CP (BP-13421 as mod which auth chg antenna-trans loc; make chgs in antenna system; and changes in ground system) for extension of completion date. from 9-10-61 to _____. Atty: Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED to	9-8-61 12-10-61
BL-8846 R & F	9-27-61 10-2-61	License to cover C.P. (BP-13,421 as modified) which authorized a change in antenna-transmitter location, changes in antenna and ground system. Atty. Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	12-28-61

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Letters KDESName GEORGE E. CAMERON, JR.
PALM SPRINGS, CALIF.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-1991 Rec'd Filed	1-26-61 1-31-62 1-31-62	Modification of license to change studio location and remote control point <u>to</u> 611 South Palm Canyon Drive, Palm Springs, California. Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty.	GRANTED	2-2-62
BC-4576 R. & P.	12-26-61 1-2-62	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. Atty-Corwin R. Lockwood	GRANTED	3-6-62

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-4467 Rec'd Filed	2-26-62 3-1-62 3-1-62	Involuntary assignment of license to City National Bank of Beverly Hills, Court Appointed Temporary Conservator of the Estate of George E. Cameron, Jr. Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	4-13-62 4-13-62
BAL-4553 Rec'd Filed	6-18-62 6-20-62 6-20-62	Voluntary assignment of license to George E. Cameron, Jr. Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty.	GRANTED eff:	6-29-62 7-5-62
BR-3372 Rec'd Filed	8-17-62 9-4-62 9-4-62	Renewal of License. Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty.	GRANTED	11-8-62

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Name KDES, INC.
 George E. Cameron, Jr.
Palm Springs, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-4901 R. & F.	1-29-63 2-5-63	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED	5-9-63
BAL-4852 R & F	7-1-63 7-8-63	Voluntary assignment of license to KDES, Inc. Atty-Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED EFF:	8-7-63 8-26-63

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PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-12,558 CONTD AMENDED R. & F.	6-16-64 6-25-64	Amended to dec. nighttime power to 500w; chg. from DA-N to DA-2; chg. antenna-trans. location to 3.6 mi. NE of the center of Palm Springs, Calif.; delete remote control; chg. applicant name to KDES, INC. (per BAL-4852 gr. 8-7-63); and retain licensed trans. (GATES as nighttime trans. (2 main trans.) Atty-Hogan & Hartson (Corwin Lockwood)	GRANTED BC-1J	5-5-65
BR-3372 R & F	8-25-65 9-7-65	Renewal of license Atty-Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	11-15-65
BWP-11,664 R&F	11-29-65 12-3-65	Modification of CP (BP-12,558 which auth incr power, install new trans, chg hours of operation, install DA(DA-2), change ant-trans loc, delete remote control, and make chgs ant-sys (incr height)) for extension of completion date from 1-5-66 to 6-5-66. Atty. Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	1-21-66

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LettersName KDES, INC.
Palm Springs, Calif.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-17,063 R. & F.	11-5-65 11-9-65	CP to install a Gates BC-1J transmitter at main trans. loc (3.6 mi. NE of center of Palm Springs, Calif.) to be operated on 920kc, 1kw, non-DA, for Auxiliary Purposes only. Atty: Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	2-10-66
BMP-11,775 R & F	5-3-66 5-5-66	Modification of CP(BP-12,558 as mod., which authorized increase power, install new trans, change hours of operation, install DA(DA-2), change ant-trans loc., delete remote control, and make changes ant-system(increase height) for extension of completion date from 6-5-66 to 11-5-66. Atty - Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED to	5-26-66 11-5-66

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Letters K D E SName WDES, INC.
Palm Springs, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-11,414 Rec'd Filed	7/14/66 7/19/66 8/3/66	Lic. to cover CP (BP-12,558 as mod.) which auth. incr. power; install new trans.; chng. hrs. of operation, install DA (DA-2), chng. ant-trans. loc., delete RC and make chngs ant-system, specify type trans. COLLINS 820E1. (2 Main trans.) Atty: Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	10-21-66
BL-11,417 R & F	9/22/66 10/3/66	Lic. to cover CP (BP-17,063) which auth. install new trans. at main trans. loc. to be operated on 920kc 1kw non-DA, for auxiliary purposes only. (3 aux. trans.) Atty: Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	10-21-66
BL-11,418 R & F	9/22/66 10/3/66	Lic. to utilize the presently auth. daytime trans. (Collins 820E1), to be used as an auxiliary trans. at night with the directional antenna system, using 500w power. F. C. C. - WASHINGTON, D. C. (3 Aux.) Atty: Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	10-21-66 Issued with BL-11,419

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920kc

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Name KDES, INC.
Palm Springs, California

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BL-11,419 R & F	9/22/66 10/3/66	Lic. to utilize the presently authorized nighttime transmitter (GATES BC-1J) as the auxiliary trans. for daytime with the directional antenna system, using 1kw power. (3 Aux.) Atty: Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	10-21-66 Issued with BL-11,418
BR-3372 R. & F. #455164 \$135	8-21-68 8-28-68 8-28-68	Renewal of license (Main & auxiliaries). atty-Hogan & Hartson (Corwin R. Lockwood) AMENDED 9-30-68 re: type auxiliary transmitters	GRANTED	11-26-68
SEP 25 1968				
BRC-3304 R & F #473596 \$30. DEC 2 1968	11-18-68 11-22-68 11-22-68	Modification of license to operate Main transmitter by remote control from 611 S. Palm Canyon Drive, Palm Springs, California. (DA-2) Atty.: Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED	6-5-69
Amend. R&F	2-20-69	Add'l. engr.		

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atty called 9-20-68 re type trans. on aux.

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Palm Springs, California

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BTC -6307 R & F FEE PD: \$60 (ALSO SEE: FM KGEC) (Form 316) and KBBQ	7-14-70 7-16-70 #616452 JUL 23 1970	Involuntary transfer of control of lic corp from George E. Cameron, Jr. to Bank of America National Trust & Savings Association, Executor and Trustee of the Estate of George E. Cameron, Jr. (deceased) Atty - Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED EFF:	8-4-70 8-21-70
4-29-71 Annual filing fee \$112.00 paid 11-23-70. #645550.				
BAL-7393 Rec'd FEE PD: \$1000 (ALSO SEE KDES-FM) FILED Pub, notice filed	7-23-71 8-9-71 #022940 8-25-71 8-27-71	Voluntary assignment of license to TOURTELOT BROADCASTING CORPORATION Atty - Hogan & Hartson AMENDED 9-16-71 re: reasons for purchase and financing data. AMENDED 10-28-71 - bank ltr re loan AMENDED 10-20-71 - Escrow Agreement	GRANTED Req. grant fee \$5,500.00 grant fee includes KDES - FM also. # 022095 GRANT FEE PD: EFF:	11-8-71 (063) 11-24-71 11-19-71

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920kc

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JOSEPH L. TOURTELOT, RENE V. TOURTELOT, & JOSEPH V. TOURTELOT, dba

Call

XTOURTELOT BROADCASTING CORPORATION | TOURTELOT BROADCASTING

Letters K D E SName KDES, INC.

COMPANY

PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BR-3372 R & F PN Recd. PRESS OCT 4 1971	8-19-71 8-31-71 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX.) Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty	GRANTED	11-8-71
BAL-7737 R & F FEE PD: \$250 #127674 CODE 053 (Form 316) ALSO SEE FM NOV 21 1972	11-6-72 11-13-72	Voluntary assignment of license to Joseph L. Tourtelot, Rene V. Tourtelot, and Joseph V. Tourtelot, dba TOURTELOT BROADCASTING COMPANY Atty - Hogan & Hartson	GRANTED NO GRANT FEE	11-28-72
BR-3372 R & F PN Recd. PRESS AUG 8 1974	7-1-74 7-30-74 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY) Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty. AMENDED 11-4-74 re: commercial policy: EEO AMENDED 1-6-75 re: employment data AMENDED 1-20-75 re: EEO AMENDED 6-10-75 re: programming	GRANTED	8-26-75

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TOURTELOT BROADCASTING COMPANY

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Letters K D E S

* JOSEPH L. TOURTELOT, RENE V. TOURTELOT & JOSEPH V. TOURTELOT

Name * dba TOURTELOT BROADCASTING COMPANY
PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA

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BR-3372 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	7-11-77 7-26-77 " AUG 22 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX. TRANS.) Wm. S. Reyner, Jr., Atty.	GRANTED	3-19-80
BAL-9408 R & F Form 316 (Also see JUL 21 1978	6-28-78 7-10-78 KDES-FM)	Voluntary assignment of license to Tourtelot Broadcasting Company (OVER) Atty - William Reyner, Jr. (Hogan & Hartson)	GRANTED EFFL	7-31-78 9-12-78
Bp780831AV PRESS:	FEB 28 1979	Construction permit to increase nighttime power to 1kw; make chgs in ant sys (nighttime to utilize all four towers) DA-2 atty: William S Reyner, Jr. (OVER)	GRANTED	6-27-79

BAL-9408 NOTE: Atty called 7-20-78 - Cert. of By-laws nec^d
ABOVE filed 7-25-78

BP-78031AV AMENDED 3-6-81 Extension of CP Extended
until 3-30-81

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

920KHz.

Call Letters: K D E S

Name: TOURTELOT BROADCASTING COMPANY

Station Location: PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BMP800618AG PRESS (O)	AUG 7 1980	MP (BP-780631AV) For Extension of Time to: <u>10-25-80</u> (NEW STATION)	GRANTED 8-25-80 To 2-1-81
BR 800729 VA PRESS	SEP 22 1980	Atty. William S. Reyner, Jr. (Hogan & Hartson) RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX. TRANS.) Wm. S. Reyner, Jr., Atty.	----- GRANTED 11-17-80
BMP810127AN PRESS (O)	APR 2 1980	MP (BP-780831AV, as Mod.) For Extension of Time to: _____ (FOR CHGS.) Atty. William S. Reyner, Jr. (Hogan & Hartson)	GRANTED: 4-10-81 TO: 9-30-81

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

920 kHz

Call Letters: K D E S

Name: TOURTELOT BROADCASTING COMPANY

Station Location: PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BL-810421AA R & F PTA 6-17-81 PRESS MAY 27 1981 Amended	4-21-81 4-28-81 6-11-81	Lic. to cover (BP-780831AV as mod.) for chgs. Atty: William S. Reyner, Jr. (Hogan & Hartson) Re: Engineering Statement	ISSUED

About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form – 3" by 5" filing cards – for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12th Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.