

KDOT



REMOVABLE LABEL GUIDE

Cat. No. 4550L

Patent No. 1390199



## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

KDOT (EFF. 10-1-80)

XK A Y K (eff: 5-20-76)

Date first licensed October 23, 1939

Call letters XXX K O V O  
LOCATION: PROVO, UTAH

FIRST MEDIA CORPORATION (AL gr 3/1/76 EFF: 4/14/76)

x K O V O, INC. (AL 10-17-56; EFF: 11-5-56)

x K O V O BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 12-16-41) Eff. 2:04 pm, 12-30-41

Name of licensee x CLIFTON A. TOLBOE, trading as CITIZENS VOICE &amp; AIR SHOW

651 West 1600 South, Provo, Utah (Redescription per ltr. 3-18-59)

x 651 West 16th Street, Provo, Utah. (MP 4-16-48)

x Vineyard District, Utah County, Utah (CP 7-28-47)

Transmitter location x 3rd South and 16th West Streets, Provo, Utah (C.P. &amp; MP 9-18-39) Lic.

10-23-39

651 West 1600 South, Provo, Utah (Ltr. 3-18-59)

x 16 East Third North, Provo, Utah (Ltr. 3-22-54)

x 108 West Center Street, Provo, Utah (Licensed 10-23-39)

ZIP 84601

Main studio location x 44 W Center Street, Provo, Utah (C.P. &amp; MP 9-18-39)



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

APPL. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME Div.	PERIOD		
					From	To	
Letter B5-P-2044	4-10-39 Eff. 4-17-39	1210	100w, 250w-LS	U	Subject to R.132 & 139. For new station at Provo, Utah.		
B5-P-2044	9-18-39	1210	100w, 250w-LS	U	11-18	5-18-40	
B5-MP-795	C.P. for new station; Mod.C.P. for approval of trans.site & antenna						
B5-L-1002	10-23-39	1210	100w, 250w-LS	U	10-23	10-1-40	
License to cover C.P. for new station							
B5-ML-901	12-5-39	1210	250w	U	12-5	10-1-40	
Mod. license to increase power							
B5-S-1015	2/20/40	1210	250w	U	3/1	8/1/40	
Order	6/12/40	Extension of License			8/1	10/1/40	
Order	9-10-40	Extension of license			10-1	3-29-40	
NARBA REALLOCATION							
B5-R-1015	3-24-41	1240	250w	U	3-29	10-1-41	
B5-Z-1087	7-3-41	1240	250w	U	7-3	10-1-41	
Determine operating power by direct measurement							
B5-S-1015	9-30-41	Extension of license			10-1	11-1-41	
B5-S-1015	10-21-41	Extension of license			11-1	12-1-41	
B5-R-1015	11-18-41	1240	250w	U	11-18	10-1-42	
B5-AI-278	12-16-41	Vol. Assign license to KOVC BROADCASTING COMPANY				Eff 2:04 pm 12-30-41	
B5-S-1015	9-15-42	Extension of license			10-1	12-1-42	
B5-R-1015	11-17-42	1240	250w	U	11-17	4-1-43	
B5-R-1015	3-23-43	1240	250w	U	4-1	4-1-45	
B5-S-1015	3-27-45	Extension of License			4-1	6-1-45	
B5-R-1015	4-9-45	1240	250w	U	4-9	8-1-46	
B5-S-1015	7-10-45	1240	250w	U	10-1	8-1-46	
Mod.Lic. Order 107-A							
B5-S-1015	7-25-46	Extension of license			8-1	10-1-46	
B5-R-1015	9-12-46	1240	250w	U	9-12	8-1-49	
B5-P-3667	7-28-47	960	1kw*	U	9-28	3-28-48	
*DA-N							
CP chg. freq. incr. power, new T and DA for night use, and chg. T location							
Renewal and Mod. of license in accordance with Order #107							



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Date first licensed .....

Call letters ..... K O V O

Card #2

K O V O, INC.

Name of licensee  K O V O BROADCASTING COMPANY .....

SEE CARD #1

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....



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Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BMP-3669	3-8-48 date.	Mod. CP	(3669)	for ext.	of completion 9-28 5-1-48
BMP-3743	4-16-48	Mod. CP	(3667 as mod)	to change type of T, and change T site (description only)	9-28 5-1-48
BL-3080	5-6-48	960	1kw* *DA-N	U	5-6 5-1-50
		Lic. to cover CP	(3667 as mod) to increase power, install new T and use and change T site.		change freq., DA for night
BR-1015	4-21-50	960	1kw* *DA-N	U	5-1 5-1-53
BP-8408	10-23-52	960	1kw-5kw-LS DA-N	U (COND'L CLAUSE)	12-23-52 6-23-53
		CP to increase day power and install new trans.			
BMP6070	12-16-52	Mod. of CP	(BP-8408) to change type trans. (COND'L CLAUSE)		2-16-53 8-16-53
<del>BR-1015</del>	<del>4-15-53</del>	<del>960</del>	<del>1kw-5kw-LS</del>	<del>U</del>	<del>5-1 10-1-53</del>
<del>BR-1015</del>	<del>4-15-53</del>	<del>960</del>	<del>1kw-5kw-LS</del>	<del>U</del>	<del>5-1 10-1-53</del>
BL-4914	2-27-53	960	1kw, 5kw-LS DA-N	U	2-27-53 5-1-53
		Lic. cover CP (8408) as mod) and install new transmitter (COND'L CLAUSE)			for increase day power
BR-1015	4-15-53	960	1kw-5kw-LS DA-N	U	5-1 10-1-53
BRC-84 (1)	6-15-53 from 108	Mod. of lic. to operate trans. by R.C. W. Center Street, Provo, Utah using non DA			
BR-1015	9-9-53	960	1kw, 5kw-LS DA-N	U	10-1-53 10-1-56
BRC-370 (1)	4-21-54	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 16 East Third North, Provo, Utah, while using non-directional antenna			
BR-1015	9-11-56	960	1kw, 5kw-LS DA-N	U	10-1 10-1-59
BAL-2453 EFF	10-17-56 11-5-56	Voluntary assignment of license to: K O V O, INC.			



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Date first licensed .....

Call letters K O V O

Station location .....

Name of licensee See Card #1

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period	
					From	To
BP-12839	3-25-59	960kc	250w	Aux.	5-25	11-25-59
	CP to install a new transmitter, to be used as an auxiliary transmitter on 960kc with power of 250w non-DA for auxiliary purposes only.					
BR-1015	9-23-59	960.	1kw-5kw.	LS U	10-1	10-1-62
			DA-N			
BR-1015	9-23-59	960kc	1kw-5kw	LS U	10-1	10-1-62
			DA-N			
	Superseding authorization correcting type of Phase Monitor					
BS-12839 (1)	4-21-61	Mod. of license to show the new description of Monitoring Point No. 1.				
	9-25-62	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.				
BR-1015	11-30-62	960kc	1kw, 5kw	LS U	11-30	10-1-65
			DA-N			
BTC-4488 Eff:	4-6-64 5-1-64	Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of licensee corp. by Ashley L. Robison thru sale of stock to Glenn C. Shaw, thereby each acquiring negative control				
BP-16344	11-6-64	960kc	250w	DA-N Aux	1-6	7-6-65
	CP to install a new auxiliary trans. (Gates 250 C-1) at main trans. location, to be operated on 960kc, 250w, DA-N, for Auxiliary purposes only.					
BS-1015 (1)	3-30-65	Mod. of license to change operating specifications (Memc).				
BR-1015	9-1-65	960kc.	1kw, 5kw	Unl	10-1	10-1-68
			DA-N			
BL-11,000	10-11-65	960kc	250w	DA-N Aux	10-11	10-1-68
	Lic to cover CP (BPW16,344) to install new trans to be used as an Aux trans. for Aux purposes only.					
BR-1015(S)	9-25-68	Renewal of License & NDEA (Main & Auxiliary)			10-1-71	
BR-1015(S)	9-30-71	Renewal of Main & Aux & NDEA			10-1-74	
EBSA	5-25-72					



Form BC 126

960 khz

June 1954

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Date first licensed 10-23-39

Call letters K.O.V.O.

Station location PROVO, UTAH

Name of licensee FIRST MEDIA CORPORATION

Transmitter location SEE # 1

Main studio location \_\_\_\_\_



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BTC-7267	12-6-73	INVOL. TC			EFF: 9-17-73
BAL-8554	3/1/76	Vol AL			EFF: 4/14/76
BZ-9288	1-19-77	Chgs. &			RENEWAL OF LICENSE
BR-1015	12-27-76	MAIN &			AUX. TRANS. 10-1--77
BR-1015(S)	2-24-78	RENEWAL			(MAIN & AUX.) 10-1-80
COMTEL	4-2-80	AUTHORITY & TERMS			COMTEL 3-5-79 EXTENDED THRU 6-30-80
EBSA	10-1-80	CALL SIGN CHANGE			
BR800602WA (L)	9-22-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			10-1-83
COMTEL	11-12-80	AUTH. & TERMS			COMTEL 3-5-79 REINSTAT- ED & EXT. THRU 1-31-81. THIS AUTH. DOES NOT COVER THE PERIOD OF 10-1-80 THRU 11-3-80.
COMTEL	1-22-81	AUTH. & TERMS			COMTEL 3-5-79 EXT. THRU 4-30-81.
BP800820AK (L)	4-14-81	960khz	1kw	5kw Unl.	4-14-82 CP to specify new maximum tolerance values for the nighttime directional pattern.



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call K O V O  
Letters x NEWName CLIFTON A. TOLBOE to d/b as Citizens Voice & Air Show  
(P.O. 457 East First South, Provo, Utah)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-P-2044	1-17-38	Construction permit for a new station on: Frequency: 1210 kc Power: 100w, 250w-LS Hours of operation: Unlimited time Transmitter & studio sites: To be determined, Provo, Utah	<del>Returned</del> <del>Section 4-</del> Ex. Rept. I-742 Dock. 5077 GRANTED Effective Subject to selection of trans. site & antenna. Letter written Issued with MP-795	<del>1-31-38</del>  4-10-39 4-17-39   9-18-39
Resubmitted	2-1-38			
B5-MP-795	6-8-39	Mod. of C.P. (B5-P-2044) for approval of antenna and studio site at 44 W. Center St., Provo, Utah, and approval of transmitter site at 3rd South, & 16th West, Provo, Utah.	Granted	9-18-39



Mr. Shinnick - attorney



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Call

Letters

K O V O

K O V O BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 12-16-41)

Name

x CLIFTON A. TOLBOE, d/b as CITIZENS VOICE &amp; AIR SHOW.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Action
				Date
BS-L-1002	9-20-39	License to cover C.F. (35-P-2044) as mod. for a new station.	GRANTED	10-22-39
BS-ML-901	10-27-39	Modification of license to increase power from 100w; 250w-LS to 250w day and night.	GRANTED	12-5-39
BS-AL-278	3-27-40	Voluntary assignment of license from Clifton A. Tolboe, tr/as Citizens Voice and Air Show, to KOVO BROADCASTING CO.	Granted	12-16-41
Amended Received	10-29-40 10--31-40	RE: Agreement of Sale and to add exhibit 14, wherein it is stated that No New Stock will be sold and/or issued.	Eff. 2:04	pm, 12-30-41
Amended Received filed	8-15-41 8-26-41 9-5-41	Form 335 filed 8-1-41. RE: corporate structure.		



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Letters

K O V O

K O V O BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 12-16-41)

Name x CLIFTON A. TOLBOE, tr/as CITIZENS VOICE & AIR SHOW.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-R-1015	5-29-40	Renewal of license.	Granted 1240 kc,	3-24-41 250w, U
B5-Z-1087 Rec'd	5-28-41 6-2-41	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna input in compliance with Section 3.54.	Granted	7-3-41
B5-R-1015	7-16-41	Renewal of license and Form 335	Granted	11-18-41
B5-R-1015 Resub.	8-28-42 "	Renewal of license and Form 335 (Sec. 11d) "	<del>Ret'd</del> Granted	<del>9-4-42</del> 11-17-42
B5-R-1015	2-15-43	Renewal of license	Granted	3-23-43
B5-P-3667 Rec'd Filed	6-30-44 7-27-44 7-27-44	C.P. to change frequency from 1240 to 960 kc, increase power from 250w to 1kw, install new transmitter and DA for night use, and change transmitter location from 3rd South and 16th West Streets, Provo, Utah, to Vineyard District of Utah County, Utah. (Ernest L. Wilkinson, Atty.)	Docket No. 6739 GRANTED Hearing -	7-28-47 after Order issued

See card # 4



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Call letters K O V OName K O V O BROADCASTING COMPANY

FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
			NATURE	DATE
B5-P-3667 AMENDED Recd. Filed	Con'td. 9-18-45 9-24-45 10-11-45	AMENDED re changes in proposed directional antenna system for night use.		
B5-R-1015 Recd. Resub.	1-30-45 2-1-45 2-24-45	Renewal of license Photos filed 2-28-45 Let. with additional information filed 5-1-45	Returned--- Granted	2-9-45- 4-9-45



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call  
Letters K O V OName K O V O BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-R-1013 Rec'd	5-27-46 6-3-46	Renewal of license Filed by Ernest Wilkinson, atty. Amend. & logs filed 7-15-46	GRANTED	9-12-46
BMP-3669 Rec'd Filed	2-26-48 3-1-48 3-1-48	Mod. of C.P. (B5-P-3667, which authorized to change frequency, increase power, install new transmitter and DA for night use and change transmitter location) for extension of completion date from: 3-28-48 to: 5-1-48.	GRANTED	3-8-48



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Call  
Letters K O V OName K O V O Broadcasting Company

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-3743	2-26-48	Mod. of U.P. (B5-P-3667, as mod., which authorized change in frequency, increase in power, installation of new transmitter and directional antenna for night use and change in transmitter location) to change type of transmitter (RCA BTA-1L) and change transmitter location from Vineyard District, Utah to 651 West 16th Street, Provo, Utah (description only).	GRANTED	4-16-48
Rec'd	3-1-48			
Filed	3-1-48			



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Call  
Letters K O V OName K O V O BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-3080 Rec'd Filed	3-25-48 3-29-48 3-29-48	License to cover C.P. (B5-P-3667, as mod.,) which authorized change in frequency, increase in power, installation of new transmitter and directional antenna for night use and change in transmitter location.	GRANTED	5-6-48
BR-1015 Rec'd	1-26-50 2-24-50	Renewal of license. (James A. McKenna, Jr., Atty.)	Granted	4-21-50
BP-8408 Rec'd Filed	2-15-52 2-25-52 2-25-52	Construction permit to increase daytime power from 1kw to 5kw and install a new transmitter (RCA BTA-5G).  Dwight D. Doty, Atty. Millard M. Garrison, Engr. Haley and Doty represent station as per letter dated September 23, 1952.	GRANTED Blanketing Clause	10-23-52



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FORM A-170  
FORMERLY FCC FORM 94Call  
Letters ..... K. Q. V. O. ....

Name ..... K. Q. V. O. BROADCASTING COMPANY .....

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-6070 Rec'd Filed	11-17-52 11-25-52 11-25-52	Modification of construction permit (BP-8408, which auth. increase daytime power and installation of a new transmitter) to change type of transmitter (Gates BC-5B).  Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED  Blanketing Clause	12-16-52
BL-4914 Rec'd Filed	1-13-53 1-15-53 1-15-53	License to cover construction permit (BP-8408, as mod.,) which auth. increase power and installation of a new transmitter.	GRANTED  (Blanket Clause)	2-27-53
BR-1015 Rec'd Filed	2-10-53 2-24-53 2-24-53	Renewal of License Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED	4-15-53



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Call  
Letters K O V OName K O V O BROADCASTING COMPANY  
Provo, Utah

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRC-84 Rec'd Filed	6-2-53 6-8-53 6-8-53	Modification of license to operate transmitter by Remote Control from 108 West Center St., Provo, Utah.  Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED	6-15-53
BR-1015 Rec'd Filed	6-9-53 6-16-53 6-16-53	Renewal of License, Informal request Filed by Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED	9-9-53
BRC-370 Rec'd Filed	4-6-54 4-9-54 4-9-54	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 16 East Third North, Provo, Utah, while using non-directional antenna.	GRANTED	4-21-54
BR-1015 Rec'd Resub Rec'd & Filed	6-26-56 7-3-56 7-19-56 7-24-56	Renewal of license	<del>Returned 7-12-56</del> GRANTED	<del>See II</del> 9-11-56 <del>dated after verification</del>



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AUG. 1955

Call Letters K O V O

Name K O V O, INC.  
\* KOVO BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-2453 Rec'd Filed	9-14-56 9-24-56 9-24-56	Voluntary assignment of license to K O V O, Inc.  Ben C. Fisher, Atty.	<del>GRANTED</del> GRANTED EFF:	<del>10-17-56</del> 10-17-56 11-5-56
BP- Rec'd	7-10-58 7-15-58	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (COMPOSITE) as an auxiliary transmitter to be operated on 960kc, 140w, for auxiliary purposes only to be located at present location of main transmitter	Application returned 7-18-58	re: power.
BP-12,839 Rec'd Filed	2-24-59 2-27-59 2-27-59	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (COMPOSITE) at 651 West 16th Street, Provo, Utah to be used as an auxiliary trans. on 960kc with power of 250w non-DA for Auxiliary purposes only.	GRANTED	3-25-59  <i>see P-16344</i>



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Call  
Letters K O V OName K O V O, INC.  
Provo, Utah

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1015 Rec'd Filed 6-2	6-30-59 7-2-59 7-2-59	Renewal of license	GRANTED	9-23-59
BR-1015 Rec'd Filed	6-27-62 6-29-62 6-29-62	Renewal of license	GRANTED	11-30-62
BTC-4488 R. & F.	1-31-64 2-3-64	Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of licensee corporation by Ashley L. Robison thru sale of stock to Glenn C. Shaw, thereby each acquiring negative control.	GRANTED Eff:	4-6-64 5-1-64
BP-16,344 R. & F.	8-26-64 8-31-64	CP to install a new auxiliary transmitter (Gates 250 C-1) at main transmitter location, to be operated on 960kc, 250w, <u>Non-DA</u> , for auxiliary purposes only.	GRANTED Changed to DA-N	11-6-64



FORM BC-121  
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Card #12

Call Letters K A Y K  
XX K O V O

Name K O V O, INC.  
PROVO, UTAH

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1015 R & F	6/19/65 6/24/65	Renewal of license	GRANTED	9-1-65
BL-11,000 Rec'd Filed	4/27/65 4/29/65 6/16/65	Lic. to cover (C. P. 16,344) to install new trans. to be used as an auxiliary transmitter for auxiliary purposes only.	GRANTED	10-11-65
BR-1015 R & F #439410 \$75 #439411 \$30 AUG 1 1968	6/22/68 6/26/68 6/26/68 6/26/68	Renewal of license (Main & Auxiliary)	GRANTED	9-25-68



Form BC-121  
September 1969

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Letters K O V OName K O V O, INC.  
Provo, Utah

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1015 R & F P.N. PRESS <b>AUG 9 1971</b>	6-30-71 7-6-71 7-6-71	Renewal of License (Main & Auxiliary) AMENDED 9-7-71 re: commercial policy	GRANTED	9-30-71
BTC-7267 R & F FEE ID: \$250 #241571 CODE 047 (Form 316) ALSO SEE FM KFMC <b>OCT 25 1973</b>	10-1-73 10-10-73	INVOLUNTARY transfer of control of lic corp from Glenn C. Shaw and Ashley Robison to Sidney S. Gilbert, Receiver  Atty - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED  EFF:	12-6-73  9-17-73
BR-1015 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	6-27-74 7-1-74 " " JUL 12 1974	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUX.) AMENDED 8-2-76 to change name of applicant to "First Media Corporation: <b>AUG 30 1976</b>	GRANTED	12-27-76  issued with BZ-9288



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960kHz

Call **K A Y K**  
Letters **XXXX C V C**

FIRST MEDIA CORPORATION

Name **x K O V O, Inc.**  
Provo, Utah

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL -8554 R & F FEE PD: \$100 #495216 CODE 047 (INCLUDES FM KFINC) NOV 21 1975	10-31-75 11-5-75	Voluntary assignment of license to FIRST MEDIA CORPORATION  Atty for assignee - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson Statement re/renewal filed 2-6-76 (by assignee)	GRANTED EFF: FEE REQ:	3/1/76 4/11/76 pd 7/16/76 W 592282
PN filed	12/8/75			
BZ-9288 R & F \$50#599270 DM PRESS NOV 29 1976	7-20-76 7-22-76 8-2-76 11-11-76		GRANTED issued with	1-19-77 RENEWAL
BR-1015 R & F PN REcd. PRESS	6-1-77 " JUN 27 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & AUXILIARY TRANS.)	GRANTED	2-24-78



PHASE 1 REFUND ACTION  
Payable to First Media Corp.

W 592282

TRANS.  
CODE  
533

DATE  
810701

AMT.  
\$1,323.77

INITIALS  
YMP



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## APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

960 KHz

Call Letters: K A Y K

Name: FIRST MEDIA CORPORATION

Station Location: Provo, Utah

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BR800602WA PRESS JUL 16 1980		Renewal of License Atty.: Kevin F. Reed	GRANTED 9-22-80



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## APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

960KHz.

KDOT

Call Letters: XK A Y K

Name: FIRST MEDIA CORPORATION

Station Location: PROVO, UTAH

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BP800820AK PRESS (O)	SEP 25 1980	CP to Specify New Maximum Tolerance Values for the Nighttime Directional Pattern.	GRANTED 4-14-81 Con'd
AMENDED	1-12-81	Atty. Kevin F. Reed (Dow, Lohnes & Albertson) MOTION TO RETURN AS UNACCEPTABLE FILED BY VERNON L. WILKINSON ON BEHALF OF MAY BROADCASTING COMPANY	
AMENDED	2-4-81	RE: Engineering Statement	
	2-23-81	REPLY TO KAYK'S RESPONSE FILED BY VERNON L. WILKINSON, ON BEHALF OF MAY BROADCASTING COMPANY	
AMENDED	3-13-81	Engineering Statement	



## 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 12<sup>th</sup> 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.

