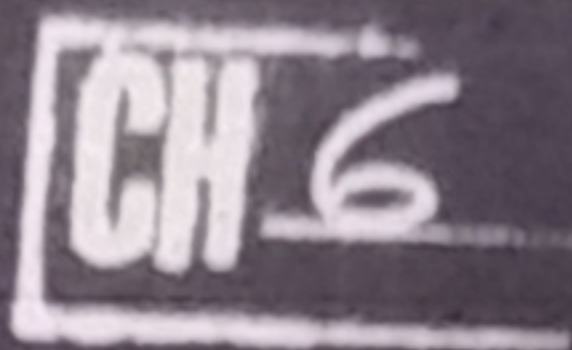


KEMV (TV-HD)

BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD



First licensed 2-27-81

Call Letters K E M V

Station Location MOUNTAIN VIEW, AR

Name ARKANSAS EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION COMMISSION

Transmitter Location 1.5 mi. NNE of Fox, AR

Main studio location 350 S. Donaghey, Conway, AR

Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BPET-564 AH:1390' MSL:2515'	3-15-79	Ch-6, 82-88MHz ERP:V-100kW; A-10kW	5-15-79 9-15-80
CP for New Noncommercial Educational TV Broadcast Station			
BPET-564 (1)	9-12-79	Call Sign assigned (and EBSA)	2-27-81

BLETS00903KE	2-27-81	Lic. for a new station	6-1-82

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters ~~(NEW)~~ K E M V

Name ARKANSAS EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION COMMISSION
CH-6 MOUNTAIN VIEW, ARKANSAS (PO c/o Lee Reaves, 350 S. Donaghey St., Conway, AR 72032)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPET-564 R & F PRESS: PN REC'D:	3-24-77	CP for new Educ. TV on: Freq.: Ch-6, 82-88MHz ERP: Vis. 100kW, Aur. 10kW HAAT: 4370.8-ft. TL: On-Alex-Mountain, 1.46 mi. SW of Alex, Ark. (35-52-43-92-22-54) SL: 350 S. Donaghey St., Conway, Ark. Trans.: RCA TT-25FL Ant.: RCA-TF-5GM MAJOR-ENVIRONMENTAL-ACTION Atty.: William S. Green (Pierson, Ball & Dowd) Engr.: Oscar Reed, Jr. (Jansky & Bailey) Amended 6-20-77 re possible chgs. in antenna site. Amended 7-13-77 re additional information Amended 10-12-77 re Exh. # 11, Request for Waiver Amended 11-16-77 re financial	GRANTED COMMISSION ACTION	3-15-79
	4-8-77 APR 25 1977 8-24-77			
AMENDMENT R & F PRESS:	11-21-77 11-22-77 JAN 31 1978	AMENDED re financial; and chg. TL to 1.5 mi. NNE of Fox, Ark. (35-48-47 92-17-24); and type ant. to RCA TF-6BM; and HAAT 1389.5 ft. MAJOR ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION Amended 4-6-78 re legal & updates. REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION ^{SECTION} 73.685(b) OF THE RULES, if necessary.		

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER adopted 3-15-79, released 3-23-79 FCC 79-167 5305: Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED, That the Joint Petition For Approval of Agreement filed by KOTV, Inc., and Arkansas Educational Television Commission, IS GRANTED; reimbursement as set forth in the agreement IS APPROVED; the objections filed by George T. Herbreich, Noark Investment Company, and Mid-America Broadcasting, Inc. ARE DENIED; Sections 73.685(a) and (b) of the Commission's Rules ARE WAIVED; and the application of Arkansas Educational Television Commission IS GRANTED.

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: KEMV

Name: ARKANSAS EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION COMMISSION
CH-6

Station Location: MOUNTAIN VIEW, AR

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BLET-800903KE R&F	9-3-80	LIC. to cover CP(BPET-564) for new station Harrison T. Slaughter, Atty.	granted 2-27,81

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.

FM History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest FM stations in the FM band, then at 42 to 50 MHz. (The band was shifted to its present location, 88 to 108 MHz, in 1946.) 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 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). Prior to that move, the History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only a few sets of microfiche exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above.

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.

