

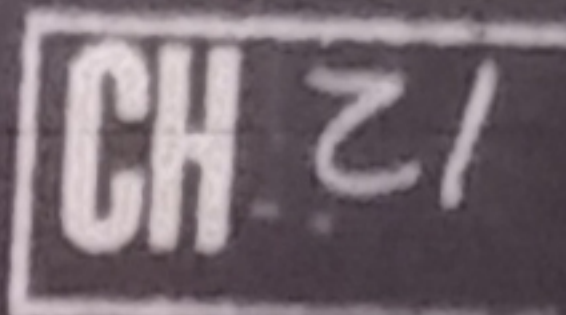
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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 2-17-78 (#266)



Call letters K T I N

Station location FORT DODGE, IOWA

Name of licensee STATE EDUCATIONAL RADIO AND TELEVISION FACILITY BOARD

Transmitter location 1.2 mi. N. of Bradgate, Iowa

Main studio location 2801 Bell Ave., Des Moines, Iowa



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period	
					From	To
BPET-499	4-16-75	Ch-46	V-562kW	Unl.	6-16-75	
AH:1020' MSL:2362'		662-668	A-56.2kW			10-16-76
CP for new noncommercial educational TV station.						
BPET-499	6-23-75	call letters assigned K T I N				
EBSA	6-23-75					
BMPET-874 (2)	10-14-76	MP(BPET-874) to extend completion date				4-14-77
Doc.20632	12-23-76	Ch-21	V-759kW	Unl.	2-23-77	
AH:1160 MSL:2362'		512-518	A-75.9kW			6-23-78
Data showing proposed oper. on above facilities, and chg. type trans. & ant.						
BRCETV-96 (3)	10-14-76	Remote control authority				
Wire Trans. & Ant.	4-7-77	Re tend. lic. appl., auth. oper. Main PTA accord. 73.629 & provisions Doc. 20632.				
Doc.20632	2-17-78	Ch-21	V-759kW	Unl.	2-17-78	
AH:1160' MSL:2362'		512-516	A-75.9kW	RC		2-1-80
Lic. to cover chgs. in Doc. 20632; New Station.						
BRET-790917KK	1-24-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)				2-1-83
BRET-790917KK	1-24-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE(S)				2-1-83
THIS SUPERSEDES PREV. AUTH. TV SHOW						
CORRECT MAIN TRANS. AND ANT. DATE, AND EXP. DATE.						



Form BC-121  
September 1969

NONCOMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL TV  
APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters KTIN

Name STATE EDUCATIONAL RADIO AND TELEVISION FACILITY BOARD  
CH-46 (PO c/o Don D. Saveraid, Box 1758, Des Moines, IA 50306)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPET-499 R & F PRESS: PN REC'D:	5-1-74 6-21-74 9-17-74	CP for new Educ. TV on: Freq.: Ch-46, 662-668MHz ERP: Vis. 561kW(H)RMS, Aur. 56.1kW(H)RMS HAAT: 1023.7 ft. TL: 1.2 mi. N. of Bradgate, Iowa (42-49-02.8 94-24-40.9) SL: 2801 Bell Ave., Des Moines, Iowa Trans.: RCA TTU-55B Ant.: RCA TFU-42J STATION LOCATION: FORT DODGE, IOWA  Atty.: Harrison T. Slaughter (Pierson, Ball & Dowd) Engr.: William V. Weakley Additional Engineering filed 1-30-75.	GRANTED	4-16-75



REPORT AND ORDER adopted 5-11-76, released 5-17-76 in Docket No. 20632 RM-2594 40624. In view of the foregoing, and pursuant to the authority found in Sections 4(1), 5(d)(1), 303(p) and (r), and 307(b) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, and Section 0.281(b)(6) of the Commission's Rules, IT IS ORDERED, That effective June 24, 1976, the TV Table of Assignments (Section 73.606(b) of the Commission's Rules and Regulations) IS AMENDED as follows:  
Fort Dodge, Iowa #21, 50+; IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That effective June 24, 1977, and pursuant to Section 316 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, the construction permit of the State Educational Radio and Television Facility Board, for Station KTIN-TV, Fort Dodge, Iowa IS MODIFIED to specify operation on Channel #21 in lieu of Channel #46 subject to the following conditions: (a) The permittee shall inform the Commission in writing by no later than July 24, 1976, of its acceptance of this modification. (b) The permittee shall submit to the Commission by October 22, 1976, all the necessary information complying with the applicable technical rules for modification of authorization to cover the operation of Station KTIN-TV on Channel #21 at Fort Dodge, Iowa. (c) Prior to commencing operation on Channel #21, the permittee shall submit the same measurement data normally required in an application for a TV Broadcast station license. (d) The permittee shall not commence operation on Channel #21 until the Commission specifically authorizes it to do so. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That this proceeding IS TERMINATED. (Copy of R & O sent Certified Mail 5-18-76)



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Letters KTIN

Name STATE EDUCATIONAL RADIO AND TELEVISION FACILITY BOARD

~~City~~ FORT DODGE, IOWA

CH 21 File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCETV-96 R & F Press:	7-15-76 8-17-76 <b>13 SEP 1976</b>	Req. auth. to oper. trans. by RC from KDIN-TV Approximately one mile south of Alleman, Iowa Atty: John J. Duffy (Pierson, Ball & Dowd) AMENDED 9-7-76 re Engineering.	GRANTED	10-14-76
		Data submitted 6-21-76 in accordance with Report and Order adopted 5-11-76, released 5-17-76 in Docket No. 20632 to specify proposed operation on Ch-21, 512-518MHz; ERP Vis. 1600kW(Max) 759kW(H), Aur. 75.9kW type trans. Gates BT-55U; type ant. RCA TFU-45J Special (BT); and HAAT 1165.4 ft.  Atty.: John J. Duffy (Pierson, Ball & Dowd)	GRANTED	12-23-76



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CH-46 FORT DODGE, IOWA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPET-874 R & F Press:	8-31-76 9-14-76 27 SEP 1976	MP(BFET-499) to extend completion date to 4-16-77 Atty.: John J. Duffy (Pierson, Ball & Dowd)	GRANTED	10-14-76



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NONCOMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL TV

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Letters KTINName STATE EDUCATIONAL RADIO AND TELEVISION FACILITY BOARD  
CH-21 FORT DODGE, IOWA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
ENGINEERING DATA R & F PRESS:	3-24-77 3-28-77 SEP 22 1977	Lic. to cover chgs. in Docket No. 20632. Atty.: John J. Duffy (Pierson, Ball & Dowd)	GRANTED	2-17-78
BRET- 790917KK R & F PN REC'D PRESS	9-7-79 9-17-79 9-17-79 79 09 28	RENEWAL OF LICENSE ATTY: DANIEL W. TOOHEY {DOW, LOHNES & ALBERTSON}	J	1-24-80
BRET-800801KL R&F PRESS	8-1-80	Request authority to operate trans. by remote control from KDIN-TV APPROXIMATELY ONE MILE SOUTH OF ALLEMAN, IOWA  Daniel W. Toohey, Atty		



## 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 radio 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.

TV History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest TV stations. 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 12<sup>th</sup> 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 television station history.

