

The station in the following History Cards, with the last call sign KVOF-TV, is for the earlier Channel 38 station that was deleted about 1983.

The current station was authorized by construction permit BPC T-19811130KI, granted 8/22/1984, with a call sign of KWBB (later changed to KCNS).

KVOF-TV



REMOVABLE LABEL

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Form BC 126 #1 STA 12-26-68
June 1954 PTA 3-23-69

COMM. TV

38

ceased operation: 4-15-71 **BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD**

Resumed oper. 8-1-74.

KVOF-TV (Eff: 3-27-74)

Date first licensed 1-20-71 (Off. No. 711)

Call letters XK U D O

Station location SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

FAITH CENTER (BALCT-492 EFF: 6-8-73)

~~XX~~JOHN M. ENGLAND, TRUSTEE IN BANKRUPTCY (BALCT-444 8-20-71 EFF: 10-23-71)

Name of licensee X BAY BROADCASTING COMPANY

SAN BRUNO PEAK, NEAR SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA (BMPCT-6907 10-28-68)

Transmitter location X SUTRO MANSION, midway between Mt. Sutro and Twin Peaks, San Francisco, Calif

760 HARRISON STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA (BMPCT-6707 10-28-68)

Main studio location X 25 11th STREET, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPCT-3621	8-6-68	CH. 38	V-720 kw	U	10-6-68
Docket No. 16678		614-620A-141 kw			4-6-69
AH: 1540' MSL: 1811'		CP for a New Comm. TV B/C Station.			
<u>CONSTRUCTION PERMIT ISSUED WITHOUT CALL LETTERS</u>					
BPCT-3621	9-16-68	CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED (1)			4-6-69
BMPCT-6907	10-28-68	Ch. 38	V-843 kw DA	U	
AH: 1310' MSL: 1499.		5614-620A-137 kw DA			4-6-69
MP (BPCT-3621) Chg. ERP, TL, SL; type trans. antenna, AH.					
WIRE	12-26-68	PEND. COMPL. PROOF OF PERFORMANCE,			
AUTH. GR. OPER. KUDO TEMP. PERIOD END. 1-6-69 ACCORD. LTR.					
DATED 12-22-68. THIS AUTH. SUBJECT TO COND. NO HARMFUL					
<u>INTERFERENCE CAUSED TO EXISTING STATIONS.</u>					
BMPCT-6964	1-16-69	Ch. 38	V-895 kw DA		
		614-620	A-145 kw DA		4-6-69
MP (BPCT-3621, as mod) chg. ERP					
WIRE	1-15-69	RE TEND. LICENSE APPL. PEND. FILING			
AUDIO FREQ. MEASURE. USING PRE-EMPHASIS ACCORD. SEC. 73.					
73.687 (B) (3) RULES AND AUDIO FREQ. DISTORTION MEASURE. TO					
1000 CYCLES AT 25 PERCENT MODULATION ACCORD. SEC. 73.687 (B)					
(3) RULES EXT. AUTH. GR. OPER. KUDO TEMP. PERIOD END.					
2-15-69 ACCORD. BMPCT-6964. ALSO NECESSARY FILE RADIO					
REQ. HARMONIC MEASURE. IF HARMONIC FILTERS INSTALLED OTHER					
THAN TYPE SPECIFIED BY MANUFACTURER IN APPL. FOR TYPE					
<u>ACCEPTANCE.</u>					
WIRE	2-14-69	RE AMENDMENT LIC. APPLI. BLCT-1862.			
PENDING FURTHER EVALUATION AURAL PROOF OF PERFORMANCE					
MEASUREMENTS AND ACCEPTABILITY OF HARMONIC FILTERS					
INSTALLED, EXT. AUTH. GR. OPER. TEMP. PER. END. 3-15-69					
<u>ACCORD. BMPCT-6964.</u>					
WIRE	3-13-69	EXT. OF ABOVE AUTH. FOR PERIOD END.			
4-15-69.					
WIRE	4-14-69	EXT. OF ABOVE AUTH. END. 5-15-69			
WIRE	5-15-69	EXT. OF ABOVE AUTH. END. 6-15-69.			
WIRE	5-23-69	RE AMENDED LIC. APPLI. BLCT-1862			
AUTH. GR. OPER. ON FTA SEC. 73.629 RULES AND CP BMPCT-6964					
WIRE	6-18-69	PEND. DIPLEXER REPAIRS AUTH. GR. OPER.			
TEMP. PERIOD END. 7-1-69 AT REDUCED AURAL POWER. ADVISE					
WHEN NORMAL OPER. RESUMED.					

Form BC 126 #2
June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters K U D O

Station location SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

Name of licensee BAY BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location SEE CARD # 1

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From: To
WIRE	6-27-69	EXT. AUTH. GR.			IN WIRE 6-18-69 FOR
PERIOD END.	7-7-69				
Wire	7-18-69	Pending diplexer repairs, auth. oper. to 7-31-69 without lower sideband notch filter; subj. causing no interference to any authd. serv.; advise normal			
WIRE	10-22-69	Above auth. ext. to 11-5-69			
WIRE	6-15-70	PENDING DIPLEXER REPAIRS, AUTH. GR. OPER. TEMP. PER. END. 7-1-70 at REDUCED POWER. ADVISE WHEN NORMAL OPERATION RESUMED.			
WIRE	10-13-70	PENDING COMPLETION COLOR NOTCH FILTER AND DIPLEXER REPAIRS AUTH. GR. OPER TEMP. PER. END. 11-13-70 AT REDUCED POWER SUBJECT TO CAUSING NO INTERFERENCE TO ANY OTHER AUTHORIZED SERVICE. ADVISE WHEN NORMAL OPERATION RESUMED.			
BAPCT-478	12-22-70	Vol. A/CP			
BLCT-1862	1-20-71	Ch-38	V-891kwDA	Unl.	1-20-71
AH:1310' MSL:1499.5'		614-620mcA	89.1kwDA		12-1-71
Lic. (BPCT-3621 as mod.) for new station.					
WIRE	3-17-71	AUTH. GR. 10-13-70 EXT. TO 4-19-71			
WIRE	4-15-71	PENDING FINANCIAL REORGANIZATION AUTH GR. REMAIN SILENT TEMP. PER. END. 6-15-71. THIS AUTHORIZATION CONTINGENT ON SUBSEQUENT FILING OF WRITTEN CERTIFICATION THAT TOWER LIGHTING IS BEING MAINTAINED.			
WIRE	6-14-71	ABOVE AUTH. EXT. TO 9-15-71 ✓			
BALCT-444	8-20-71	Vol. A/L (Eff: 10-23-71)			
WIRE	9-9-71	ABOVE AUTH. EXT. TO 12-15-71 ✓			
LTR.	12-23-71	ABOVE AUTH. EXT. TO 2-15-72 ✓			
LTR.	2-25-72	ABOVE AUTH. EXT. TO 4-15-72 ✓			
EBSA	5-15-72				
Ltr.	5-23-72	Auth. remain silent reinstated & extended thru 4-15-72 to 6-14-72.			
Ltr.	8-23-72	Auth. remain silent thru 9-12-72			
Ltr.	9-20-72	Auth. remain silent reins. & ext'd. 9-12-72 thru 11-13-72. ✓			
BRCT-711	5-29-73	CH 38	V891kw	Unl	5-29-73
AH: 1310 MSL:1499.5		614-620A	89.1kw		12-1-74
Renewal of License					

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June 1954

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

K U D O

Date first licensed

Call letters

Station location

Name of licensee SEE CARD ONE

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BALCT-492	5-29-73	Vol. A/L			
BMLCT-771	1-30-74	ML to chg. SL.			12-1-74
BRCTV-176 (1)	6-10-74	Remote control authority			
BRCT-711	7-10-75	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (L)			12-1-77
BTC-8083	8-30-76	Voluntary transfer of control.			

FORM BC-121

AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters ~~to~~ K U D O

Name BAY BROADCASTING COMPANY

PO c/o Edward D. Keil, President, 244 Kearney Street, San Francisco, California 94108

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPCT- 3621 R. & F	8-31-65	Construction permit for a new Commercial Television broadcast station: Channel #38, 614-620mc. ERP: Vis. 720kw (Horz), Aur. 202kw (Horz) Unlimited hours Transmitter location: Sutro Mansion midway between Mt. Sutro and Twin Peaks, San Francisco, California Studio location: 25 Eleventh Street, San Francisco, California STATION LOCATION: SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA (RCA TTU-50B) AH: 1659 feet Ely, Duncan & Bennett-atty: (J. C. Muys) Wash., D.C. MC 2-6474 R. A. Isberg-engr.; 1215 Henry St., Berkeley, Calif. LTR. DATED 1-26-66 Atty now is: Arent, Fox, Kintner, Plotkin & Kahn (G. A. Bechtel) Washington, DC	GRANTED	D-16678
	9-2-65			AUG 6 1968
				ORDER #19347 adopted 7-12-68 by Review Board EFF: 8-6-68
				CONDITION: SUBJECT TO COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 73.640 OF RULES.

FORM BC-121

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Aug. 1955

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Letters WELL KUDOName BAY BROADCASTING COMPANYCH 38 SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPCT-3621 AMENDED Recd. & Filed	(CONT'D) 3-21-66 3-21-66	AMENDED to increase issued and subscribed stock; increase number of stockholders; change officers & directors; amended Articles of Incorporation; submitted By-Laws; made changes in programming, staffing & financial data.	GRANTED	D-16678 AUG 6 1968
AMENDED Rec'd Filed	1-21-67 7-3-67 8-4-67	AMENDED (Order) to reduce Aural ERP to 141 kw change antenna structure and decrease antenna height above average terrain to 1561 feet.		
<u>AUG 30 1967</u> BMPCT-6907 R & F Press	8-31-68 9-5-68 SEP 17 1968	Mod. (BPCT-3621) to chg. ERP to Vis. 1510 kw. (Horz), Aur. 244 kw (Horz); trans. loc. to San Bruno Peak, KNBR-FM Bldg., Dale City, Calif. studio loc. to 760 Harrison St., San Francisco, Calif.; type trans. AMPEX TA-55BT; type antenna RCA TFU-30J; antenna struc.; and antenna height above average terrain to 1317 feet.	GRANTED	2,56366 \$30. - 9-5-68 10-28-68

Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV.

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Letters **KUDO**Name **BAY BROADCASTING COMPANY**
CH-38 **San Francisco, California**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMPCT-6907 AMENDED R & F	Cont'd 10-4-68 10-8-68	AMENDED to make change in antenna structure and antenna height above average terrain to 1314 feet. (legal and financial)	GRANTED	10-28-68
BMPCT-6964 Recd. FILED PRESS	12-14-68 12-17-68 12-26-68 JAN 9 1969	MP (BPCT-3621, as mod.) to change ERP to Vis. 2150 kw (HORZ); Aural 348 kw (HORZ).	HELD - NO FEE PAID GRANTED	1-16-69 1-16-69
\$30. #480116 BLCT-1862 Recd. FILED	12-26-68 12-22-68 12-26-68 1-8-69	LICENSE (BPCT-3621, as mod.) for a new station. Gene A. Bechtel, Atty. (Arent, Fox, Kintner, Kahn)	GRANTED	1-20-71
\$30. #479926 PRESS	12-26-68 JAN 24 1969	AMENDED 2-14-69 re financial and engineering. Amended 7-14-70 re financial.		
BAPCT-478 R & F #647506 \$250 AC: 055 PRESS:	11-19-70 12-3-70 12-3-70 DEC 10 1970	Involuntary assignment of construction permit to Bay Broadcasting Company (holding assets for the benefit of creditors). Atty.: G. A. Bechtel (Arent, Fox)	GRANTED	12-22-70

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters K U D O

JOHN M. ENGLAND, TRUSTEE IN BANKRUPTCY

Name BY BROADCASTING COMPANY
CH-38 SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BALCT-444 Received Filed #016337 \$250 AC: 055 PRESS:	5-14-71 7-13-71 8-3-71 7-13-71 AUG 9 1971	Involuntary assignment of license to John M. England, Trustee In Bankruptcy. Atty.: Gene A. Bechtel (Arent, Fox)	GRANTED EFF: 10-23-71	8-20-71
BRCT-711 R & F PN REC PRESS	8-30-71 9-3-71 9 3-71 SEP 10 1971	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Gene A. Bechtel (Arent, Fox)	GRANTED	5-29-73

BRCT-711 - conditions:

- 1) That the assignment of license covered by BALOT-492 be consummated within ~~thirty~~ forty-five (45) days of the date of the grant, that the Commission be notified of such consummation within one day thereafter.
- 2) That the licensee shall submit to the Commission within ninety (90) days of resumption of operation a ~~xx~~ full proof of performance containing the date requested by Section II-C of FCC Form 302.

Failure to meet these conditions will render the grant null and void, and will cause the renewal application to revert to pending status.

Proof of Performance filed 9-30-74 - to Bill Martin 10-7-74

FORM BC-121

AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters ~~W~~ K U D O

Name BAY BROADCASTING COMPANY

PO c/o Edward D. Keil, President, 244 Kearney Street, San Francisco, California 94108

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			Nature	Date
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	9-2-65			AUG 6 1968
LTR. DATED 1-26-66 Atty. now is: Arent, Fox, Kintner, Plotkin & Kahn (G.A. Bechtel) Washington, DC			ORDER #19347 adopted 7-12-68 by Review Board EFF: 8-6-68 CONDITION: SUBJECT TO COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 73.640 OF RULES.	

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV.

Call **KVOF-TV**
Letters **XKUDO**

Name **FAITH CENTER**
CH-38 **San Francisco, California**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCTV-176 R&F 259535\$50 AC: 58 PRESS:	12-6-73	Request auth. to oper. trans. by remote control from Radio Road, San Bruno Mtn., approx. 2 mi. S. of San Francisco, California. AMENDED 4-26-74 re engineering	GRANTED	6-10-74
	12-10-73			
	12-10-73			
BRCT-711 R & F PN Rec'd: PRESS:	7-24-74	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-10-75
	8-1-74	Atty: Morton L. Berfield (Conan and Bertfield)		
	8-1-74	No Annual Report Filed		
	SEP 24 1974	Amended 11-6-74 re community needs and problems.		

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV

Call
Letters KVOF-TV

Name FAITH CENTER
CH-38 SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-8083 R&F #588347\$200 AC-047 PN RECD PRESS	7-2-76 7-7-76 JUL 1976	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Paul O. David, Herb Cuckler, et al (10 members of Board of Directors), to Dr. W. Eugene Scott, William T. Cantelon, et al (11 members of Board of Directors). Atty.: Cohen and Berfield	GRANTED Eff:	8-30-76
BRCT-711 R&F PN RECD. PRESS	7-25-77 8-1-77 8-1-77 AUG 15 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty.: Morton L. Berfield No Contours filed:		
BALCT-800425KG R&F PN REC'D (form 314) PRESS	4-18-80 4-25-80 5-20-80	Voluntary assignment of license to Hispanic-American Communications, Inc. -San Francisco Assignor-James K. Edmundson, Jr., Atty. (Tepper & Edmundson) Assignee-William M. Barnard, Atty. (Kenkel and Barnard) Amended 6-27-80 re financial & legal		

1977 Renewal:

MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER adopted 7-27-78, released 8-11-78 FCC 78-528 95670: Therefore, in light of the above discussion, IT IS ORDERED, That the informal objections filed by the Committee on Children's Television-North, et al, against nine San Francisco area licensees identified in footnote 1 and the informal objection filed by the Committee on Children's Television-South against seven Los Angeles licensees identified in footnote 2 ARE DENIED to the extent they seek hearings on the specific license renewals of these particular stations and GRANTED to the extent that they seek reinstatement of the Commission's Children's Inquiry and incorporation of the arguments and data therein provided as part of that Inquiry. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, That the pleadings and filings of this proceeding are made a part of the inquiry in Docket 19142.

RESPONSE TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION 6-22-79 by Michael Goch for Faith Center/KVOF-TV.
REPLY TO "RESPONSE TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION" 7-2-79 by Andrew Jay Schwartzman for Council on Religion and the Homosexual, Inc.

PETITION TO DENY ASSIGNMENT APPLICATION AND TO DENY ASSIGNOR'S PETITION FOR SPECIAL RELIEF 7-2-80 by Roger J. Metzler, Jr. for Together Media Ministries and the Inter-Faith Communications Commission.

REQUEST FOR INTERIM ACTION 6-27-80 by William M. Barnard for Hispanic-American Communications, Inc.

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 7-11-80 by James Edmundson ~~for~~ for Faith Center

OPPOSITION 7-30-80 by James K. Edmundson for Faith Center, Inc.

OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DENY ASSIGNMENT APPLICATION AND TO DENY ASSIGNOR'S PETITION FOR SPECIAL RELIEF 7-30-80 by Jay E. Ricks for Hispanic-American Communications, Inc. et al.

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 8-8-80 by Roger J. Metzler, Jr. for Together Media Ministries & Inter-Faith Communications Commission

SEE CARD #7A

CARD #7A

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV
Call Letters: KVOE-TV

Name: FAITH CENTER
Ch-38

Station Location: SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BALCT-800425KG (CONTINUED)			

PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION 12-8-80 by Peter A. Rohrbach for The East Los Angeles Community
Union and Telacu Industries, Inc.

CARD 78

APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV
Call Letters: KVOE-TVName: FAITH CENTER
Ch=38

Station Location: SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRCT-801015KE R & F PN REC'D	10-14-80 10-15-80	SUPPLEMENTAL RENEWAL OF LICENSE ATTY: JAMES R. EDMUNDSON {TEPPER & EDMUNDSON}	

BRIEF OF INSPIRATION MEDIA OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, INC. 8-27-80 by Jerrold Miller for
Inspiration Media of Southern California, Inc.

PETITION TO INTERVENE 8-27-80 by Jerrold Miller for Inspiration Media of Southern
California (IMSC).

BRIEF OF TOGETHER MEDIA MINISTRIES 8-27-80 by David Tillotson for Together Media Ministries
(TMM) and the Inter-Faith Communications Commission.

REPLY BRIEF OF TOGETHER MEDIA MINISTRIES 9-8-80 by David Tillotson for Together Media
Ministries (TMM) and the Inter-Faith Communications Commission.

MOTION FOR EXPEDITED PROESSING OF APPLICATION TO COMPORT WITH MINORITY OWERSHIP POLICIES
2-13-1981 BY Joseph F.Hennessey. for KVOF-TV ,CH.38

OPPOSITION 3-10-81 BY JAMES K. EDMUNDSON FOR KVOF -TV,CH.38

OPPOSITION TO PETITION TO DISMISS 2-23-81 by JOSEPH F. HENNESSEY FOR KVOF -TV

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 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 television station history.

