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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Official No. 3088

Date first licensed 7-29-75

Call letters K.L.T.A.

Station location Dinuba, California

Name of licensee Radio Dinuba Company

[redacted]

Near Summit of Bear Mtn., 1.9 mi. NW of Squaw Valley, California (MPH 8-27-74)
xxxN. End of Stokes Mtn., 1 mi. E. of E. end of Avenue 404, 3.7 mi.

Transmitter location E. of Cutler, California(PH-5-31-74)

Main studio location 597 N. Alta Street, Dinuba, California(PH-5-31-74)

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl. No. | Date Issued | Freq. | Power | Time Div. | Period From - To |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| BPH-7567<br>HAAT: 1,000' | 5-21-74<br>(h&v) | 98.9mhz.<br>#255 - | ERP: 8.8kw U<br>(RC) | | 5-21-75 |
| | | CP for New FM Station. | | | |
| BPH-7567(1) | 7-8-74 | Call letters assigned | | | |
| EBSA | 7-8-74 | | | | |
| BMPH-14,183<br>HAAT: 240ft | (L) 8-27-74<br>(H&V) | 98.9mhz<br>MP(BPH-7567) chg TL, trans, ant, TPO, ERP, and HAAT. chg ant sys (decr ht) | ERP: 1.50kw(H&V) | | 5-21-75 |
| BSCA-1457 | 5-1-75 | SCA 67 KHz. | | | |
| BLH-6710(L)<br>ERP: 1.5kw | 7-29-75<br>- HAAT: 2040'(H&V)-RC | Lic.(BPH-7567, as mod.)-New Sta. | | | 12-1-77 |
| BRH-3088 | 4-14-78 | (S) REN. OF LICENSE & | | | |
| BRSCA-1457 | " | | SCA | | 12-1-80 |

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# APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters: K L T A
NEW-FM

Name: Radio Dinuba Company
Dinuba, California(PO 110 North L Street, Dinuba, California 93618)

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action Nature | Action Date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| BPH-7567<br>R & F<br>#021824 $200<br>CODE: 015<br>PRESS: 19 AUG 1971<br>PN REC'd: | 7-30-71<br>8-4-71<br>8-4-71<br><br><br>9-2-71<br>4-18-72 | CP for New FM on: 98.9mc. #255 ERP: 25.8kw(h&v) HAAT:-394.5'(h&v) TPO: 10kw.-<br>Trans: Bauer-Electronics-610; Ant:Jampro-JSCP-5,-5-horiz.-&-vert.-sections.<br>TL: Smith-Mtn.-,77-mi.-N.-of-Ave.-424,-Near-Dinuba,-Calif.-<br>SL &RC: 597 N. Alta St., Dinuba, Calif.<br>36Q-34'-12" - -119Q-21'-07"<br>Atty- Vincent J. Curtis, Jr.(Fletcher, Heald etc.)<br>Engr- Cecil Lynch, Modesto, Calif. | Designated for Hearing<br>Min 16 AUG 1972 19566<br><br>GRANTED<br>gr. fee $1,800.00<br>req.<br>Pd 014<br>W335260 | <br><br><br><br>5-21-74<br><br>8-16-74 |
| AMENDED<br>AMENDED<br>#058269 $200<br>Code 015<br>Press: APR 1 1972 | 1-31-72<br>2-14-72<br>3-31-72 | Section VI<br>Chg. TL to: W. end of Stokes Mtn., 3.7 mi. E. of Cutler, Calif.; chg. trans. (Bauer Electronics 603-A5); chg. ant. (Jampro JSCP-4, 4 sects. (H&V); make chg. ant. system (increase height); chg. TPO; ERP: 8.8kw(H&V); HAAT: 1004'(H&V).<br>(36° 31' 22" - 119° 13' 22") | | |
| AMENDED | 3-31-72 | Revised Exhibits 5, 6, & 7 and Community Needs | | |

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# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KLTA

Name RADIO DINUBA COMPANY
Dinuba, California

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action Nature | Action Date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| BPH-7567 CONTINUED FROM CARD #1 | | | | |
| AMENDED | 4-6-72 | Financial Data | GRANTED | 5-21-74 |
| AMENDED | 5-8-72 | Engr. Statement | | |
| AMENDED | 6-9-72 | Financial Information | | |
| BMPH-14,183<br>Rec'd<br>#321432 $50<br>Filed<br>#324325 $150<br>Code 013<br>Press JUL 26 1974<br>P. N. Rec'd | 6-27-74<br>7-1-74<br>7-2-74<br>7-11-74<br>7-11-74<br><br><br>8-12-74 | MP (BPH-7567) chg. TL to: 1.9 mi. NW of Squaw Valley, Near top of Bear Mountain, Dinuba, California; chg. trans. (Sparta Electronic Corp. 602A); chg. ant. (Jampro JSCP-2, 2 sects. (H&V); make chg. ant. system (decr. hght.);chg. TPO; ERP: 1.5KW(H&V) and HAAT: 2043'(H&V).<br>(36° 44' 55" - 119° 16' 58")<br><br>Atty: Vincent J. Curtis, Jr.(Fletcher, Heald etc.) | GRANTED<br>gr fee req $1,800.00<br>Pd 014<br>W354005 | 8-27-74<br><br>10-11-74 |
| BSCA-1457<br>Rec'd<br>Filed<br>#401154$50<br>#411575$50<br>Code 057 APR 15 1975 | 3-10-75<br>3-14-75<br>4-10-75<br>3-18-75<br>4-10-75 | Request for Subsidiary Communications Authorization on a sub-carrier frequency of 67 khz. | GRANTED | 5-1-75 |

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98.9mhz.

# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KITA

Name RADIO DINUBA COMPANY
Dinuba, California

| File No. | Dated | Application for | Action Nature | Action Date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| BLH-6710 | 4-21-75 | Lic.(BPH-7567, as mod.)-New Sta. | GRANTED | 7-29-75 |
| R & F | 4-25-75 | W 417867-4-28-75-$100.(057) | | |
| PTA | 6-5-75 | ERP: 1.5kw(H&V)-TPO: 1.55kw | | |
| PRESS | JUN 24 1975 | Atty: Fletcher, Heald, et al(V.J.Curtis,Jr.) | | |
| BRH-3088 | 7-15-77 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE | | |
| BRSCA-1457 | " | RENEWAL OF SCA | | |
| R & F | 7-28-77 | | GRANTED | 4-14-78 |
| PN Recd. | " | | | |
| PRESS | AUG 16 1977 | | | |
| BRH 800730 U E | | RENEWAL OF LICENSE | | ISSUED |
| BRSCA " | | RENEWAL OF SCA | | |
| PRESS | AUG 11 1980 | | Gn. | 11-24-80 |

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# 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.